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## Regional Policy Dialogue on Sustainable Urbanization in South Asia

Le Meridien Hotel, New Delhi, 17-18 December, 2014

## **TENTATIVE PROGRAMME**

DAY 1 (Wednesday, 17 December)		
0830 - 0855	Registration	
0900-0945	<ul> <li>Inaugural Session</li> <li>Opening remarks by Dr. Nagesh Kumar, Head, UNESCAP South and South-West Asia Office</li> <li>Inaugural address by H.E. Mr. M. Venkaiah Naidu, Honourable Minister of Urban Development and Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation, Government of India</li> <li>Vote of Thanks by Prof. Jagan Shah, Director, National Institute of Urban Affairs</li> </ul>	
0945 - 1015	Group Photo and Tea Break	
1015 - 1145	<ul> <li>Session 1. Urbanization in South Asia: Trends, Challenges and Priorities</li> <li>Focus Areas: <ul> <li>The wealth of our cities: people, work, culture</li> <li>Demographic, economic and environmental pressures on South Asian cities</li> <li>The infrastructure gap and its implications for South Asia's urban development</li> <li>Towards sustainable, inclusive and resilient cities: How do we achieve this in South Asia?</li> <li>India's Smart Cities proposal</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

Chair: Mr. Shankar Agarwal, Secretary, Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India  Key presenters: Mr. Umer Malik, Senior Research Fellow, Mahbub-ul Haq Centre for Human
Development, Lahore  Dr. Donovan Storey, Chief, Sustainable Urban Development Section, ESCAP, Bangkok  Prof. Jagan Shah, Director, National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA), New Delhi  Mr. Peter Dalglish, Country Representative of UN-Habitat, Afghanistan
<b>Q&amp;A session</b> (20 min)
<ul> <li>Session 2. Shelter for All: Access, affordability and quality of life</li> <li>Focus Areas:</li> <li>Meeting housing gaps through sustainable building and design</li> <li>Greening pro-poor and affordable housing</li> </ul>
Chair: Ms. Anita Agnihotri, Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviations, Government of India
Key presenters: Mr. Rakesh Ranjan, Advisor on Housing & Urban Development, Planning Commission of India Dr. P S Rana, Former CMD, Housing and Urban Development Corporation Limited (HUDCO)
<ul> <li>Mr. Sanjeev Kumar, Joint Secretary (JNNURM), Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation (MoHUPA)</li> <li>Dr. Sameer Sharma, Joint Secretary (Housing), Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation (MoHUPA)</li> <li>Mr. H.M.U. Chularathne, Executive Director, SEVANATHA – Urban Resource Center, Sri Lanka</li> <li>Ms. Salma Shafi, Ashoka Innovators for the Public, Dhaka</li> </ul>
<b>Q&amp;A session</b> (20min)
Lunch
Session 3. Achieving Total Sanitation and Sustainable Waste Management in South Asian cities  Focus Areas:  Experiences, challenges and good practices  The role of cost-effective technologies

	Decentralized strategies and community participation	
	Chair: Prof. Lawrence Surendra, Chairman, The Sustainability Platform, Institution of Engineers, India	
	<ul> <li>Key presenters:</li> <li>Mr. Saraswati Prasad, Joint Secretary (SBM), Ministry of Drinking Water &amp; Sanitation, Govt of India (tbc)</li> <li>Ms. Paramita Dey, Infrastructure Specialist, ADB South Asia Urban Knowledge Hub, NIUA</li> <li>Dr. CRC Mohanty, UNCRD, Japan</li> <li>Mr. Abu Hasnat M D Maqsood Sinha, Waste Concern, Dhaka Mr. Ajay Suri, Regional Advisor, Asia, Cities Alliance</li> <li>Q&amp;A session (20min)</li> </ul>	
1545 - 1600	Tea break	
1600 - 1730	Focus Areas:  Green urban infrastructure for resilient cities  Urban climate mitigation and adaptation  City examples of green urban planning  Chair: Mr. Emani Kumar, ICLEI South Asia, New Delhi  Key presenters: Dr. Jyoti Parikh, Executive Director, IRADE Mr. Batu Krishna Uprety, Expert Member, Climate Change Council & Chair, LDC Expert Group, Kathmandu Prof. Santosh Kumar, SAARC Disaster Management Centre Mr. G.K. Bhat, Chairman, TARU Leading Edge Dr. Arvind Kumar, President, India water Foundation  Q&A session (20min)	
DAY 2 (Thursday, 18 December 2014)		
0930 - 1100	<ul> <li>Session 5.Urban Planning, Land &amp; Transit Oriented Development</li> <li>Focus Areas: <ul> <li>New paradigms for planning</li> <li>Multi-modal integration and mobility</li> <li>Replicable models from the region including financing</li> <li>Low carbon transport options</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

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	Chair: Mr. Amitabh Kant, Secretary DIPP, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India  Key presenters: Dr. Shipra Narang Suri, Vice-president, International Society of City and Regional Planners and Co-Chair, World Urban Campaign Mr. Yogeshwar Parajuli, Development Commissioner, Kathmandu Valley Development Authority Mr. Amit Bhatt, Strategy Head, EMBARQ India, New Delhi Mr. Barjor Mehta, World Bank Mr. Muhammad Farid Zarmast, Urban Researcher, UN-Habitat, Afghanistan  Q&A session (20min)
1100 - 1130	Tea Break
1130 - 1300	<ul> <li>Session 6. Financing South Asia's Urban Future: Good practices in Public-Private Partnerships for urban development</li> <li>Focus Areas:         <ul> <li>Bankable green infrastructure projects in the Asia-Pacific region to learn from</li> <li>Good practices in PPP for low carbon infrastructure for cities</li> <li>Social finance for sustainable and inclusive cities</li> </ul> </li> <li>Chair: Dr. P. S. Rana, Former CMD, Housing and Urban Development Corporation Limited (HUDCO)</li> <li>Key presenters:         <ul> <li>Dr M. Ravi Kanth, Chairman and Managing Director, HUDCO</li> <li>Ms. Chandrima Sinha, Director (Capacity Building and Programmes), IDFC Foundation</li> <li>Mr. Balakrishnan Elangovan, Senior Programme Manager, Cities Development Initiative for Asia, Chennai</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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