

Dear *Chief Executive,*

**Subject: Program on Climate Change Mitigation & Role of Public Sector Enterprises on
17th & 18th December 2019**

SCOPE the apex body of Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) endeavors to make its members globally competitive through proactive approach of creating conducive policy environment. Efforts are also made to conceptualize a wide range of programs which not only help in building capacities for future skills but also to help develop PSEs as model corporate citizens of the country.

With growing environmental concerns and radical climate changes, it has become imperative for every country to be proactive in its efforts to adapt policies that would help in mitigating climate change. Understanding the looming environmental challenge that the country is likely to face in the future, SCOPE and GIZ, Germany, a German public-benefit federal enterprise, have entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to jointly collaborate on work related to climate change including capacity building through seminars and workshops, climate financing, carbon markets, explore possibilities to develop alternatives to hazardous products etc.

In light of the above, SCOPE and GIZ are organizing a two day **National Seminar on "Climate Change Mitigation & Adaptation, Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)- Emerging Role of Public Sector Enterprises" on 17th & 18th December 2019 (Tuesday & Wednesday) December 2019 at SCOPE Convention Centre, New Delhi.**

Shri Babul Supriyo, Hon'ble Minister of State for Environment, Forest and Climate Change has been invited to inaugurate the program.

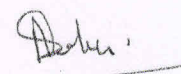
The Seminar shall seek to deliberate on key issues and priorities to achieve the national goal and also help in re-strategizing business behavior & activities with the achievement of SDGs and targets of the NDCs without compromising on commercial prudence.

This program would provide an ideal opportunity for PSE executives to interact with the policymakers from the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF), think tanks such as NITI Aayog, experts & scholars. The methodology shall be a judicious mix of regulatory provisions and experience sharing by leading PSEs giving an opportunity for the participants to learn from each other.

A line in confirmation of your participation and those of your senior executives from your organization may please be communicated to the **Program Coordinators Mr. S. A. Khan, GGM (CA) (Mob: 9899-40-2245) or Ms. Samridhi Jain, Research Analyst (Mob: 9810-90-7778) at hrscope.khan@gmail.com.**

With *Regards*

Yours sincerely



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To: **All Chief Executives of CPSEs.**

CC: **Director / Head of (HR) of CPSEs**

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National Seminar on

**Climate Change Mitigation & Adaptation,
Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)-
Emerging Role of
Public Sector Enterprises**

17th - 18th December, 2019

Venue:

SCOPE Convention Centre, SCOPE Complex
7 Institutional Area, Lodhi Road
New Delhi - 110003

Climate Change – A Global Threat & A National Agenda

Climate Change is shaping the future world by creating a strong impact on societies across the world. The uncomfortable preview of climate change is already being seen in the form of rising global warming, rising sea levels, extremities of storms and tsunamis etc. Given the rising awareness and collaboration of countries to mitigate climate change, it would not be understatement that climate change will shape the 21st century either through mitigation or adaptation of measures so as to counter violent climate disruptions.

Government of India has also embraced climate change mitigation and sustainability by adopting and ratifying the Paris Agreement in 2015. India, as a part of its Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) has pledged to reduce emissions intensity by 2030 which has activated many government bodies and institutions for developing national indicators for the SDGs.

SCOPE & GIZ, Germany – Preparing PSEs for National Agenda

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Understanding the looming environmental challenge that the country is likely to face, SCOPE and GIZ, Germany, a public-benefit federal enterprise, have entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to collaborate on the challenging times ahead.

Key objectives of MoU include aligning Indian PSEs with the national mission of environment protection and enhancing their capacities in various areas and approaches related to climate change. The MoU also seeks to explore possibilities of working with other Asian countries to exchange best practices and promote the cause of greener environment.

Program Perspective:

Public Sector Enterprises (PSEs) have been partnering the Government in promoting national agenda and the national cause. Climate Change Mitigation and achievement of SDGs shall also require necessary action and synergy of PSEs so as to rethink strategy and business behaviour to align their activities to contribute to the achievement of SDGs and targets of the NDC. This may also lead to alteration of supply chains or technology intervention.

In order to address the key issues and priorities to achieve the national goal of climate change mitigation and Sustainable Development Goals, SCOPE and GIZ, India are jointly organizing a National Seminar on “Climate Change Mitigation & Adaptation, Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)- Emerging Role of Public Sector Enterprises” on 17th & 18th December 2019 at SCOPE Convention Centre, New Delhi.



Program Objectives

- To enhance awareness amongst PSE Executives regarding SDGs, Climate Change related risks and opportunities.
- To understand & appreciate role of industries in achieving climate change mitigation, adaptation and SDGs.
- To deliberate on the Key Action Areas through experience-sharing and evolving strategies for achieving excellence.

Session Themes

The programme will have 7 technical sessions as below:

- Indian Climate Policy and international negotiations – what does it mean for the industry?
- Low carbon growth and decarbonization of key sectors
- Climate Resilient Infrastructure and Supply Chains
- Carbon Pricing in Indian Industry and role of Carbon Finance
- Role of Indian Industry in achieving Sustainable Development Goals
- Accelerating mobilisation of climate finance in India
- What will intensify Industry action for Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) and Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) implementation?

Eminent Resource Persons and Speakers

The participants will be addressed by eminent persons from the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF), policymakers and think tanks such as NitiAayog, experts of international repute, faculty and scholars from institutions and industry experts from various sectors including financial, environment etc.

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Eminent speakers and guests have been invited to address the participants including:

- Mr. C. K. Mishra, Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF)
- Mr. Ravi Shanker Prasad, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF)
- Dr. Ajay Mathur, Director General, TERI
- Dr. Navroz Dubash, Professor, CPR

- Mr. Atul Sobti, Director General, SCOPE
- Dr. Ulrike Julie Reviere, Country Director, GIZ India
- Dr. Ashish Chaturvedi, Director Climate Change, GIZ India
Dr. Kirit Parikh, Founding member and Chairman, IRADe
- Ms. Dagamer Walter, Director, International Labour Organisation, India
- Mr. Shantanu Gotmare, Country Director, Global Green Growth Institute
- Select Chief Executives for experience sharing and address

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Who May Attend

Senior Executives from sectors such as Energy & Power, Oil & Gas, Coal, Mining, Fertilizers, Manufacturing, Steel etc.

Venue & Dates

The Workshop would be organized at SCOPE Convention Centre, SCOPE Complex, 7, Institutional Area, Lodi Road, New Delhi-110 003 on 17th & 18th December 2019. The Workshop will begin on 17th December 2019 (Tuesday) at 1000 hrs. and will conclude on 18th December 2019 (Wednesday) at 1730 hrs. The participants may plan their travel arrangements accordingly.

Financials

Program fee is Rs. 14,500/- per participant + GST 18%. This program is being held on non-residential basis. Payment to be made by Cheque / Demand Draft in favour of "Standing Conference of Public Enterprises" payable at New Delhi or through NEFT to Standing Conference of Public Enterprises as per details given below:

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About GIZ, Germany

GIZ, Germany is a public-benefit federal enterprise supporting the German Government and other partners to develop effective solutions that offer people better prospects and sustainably improve their living conditions. GIZ, Germany, represented by GIZ, India, has been undertaking many projects to enhance capacities in line with Nationally Determined Contributions (NDC).

About Standing Conference of Public Enterprises (SCOPE)

Standing Conference of Public Enterprises (SCOPE) is the apex professional organization representing the Central Government Public Enterprises with some State level Enterprises, Banks and other Institutions also as its members. SCOPE's objective is to promote excellence in organizations where public investment is involved, in order to enable them to be globally competitive. It is a proactive interface between its member enterprises and the world outside which comprises the Government, policy makers, stakeholders, other business organizations and the media. SCOPE is also an Employers' Organization representing Indian Public Sector Enterprises at National and International forums in order to make them better place to work



MoU signing between
SCOPE and GIZ

Nominations may be mailed at the earliest but not later than Friday, 13th December 2019 on
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