

Government of India MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

Organisation of 01st Renewable Energy Global Investment Promotion Meet & Expo (RE - INVEST) on 15 to 17 February, 2015 in New Delhi.

RE-INVEST

First Renewable Energy Global Investment Promotion Meet & Expo (RE - INVEST) is proposed to be organised on 15-17 February, 2015 in New Delhi with the intent of providing a platform to the global investment community to connect with stakeholders in India. The Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency (IREDA), jointly with CII and FICCI has been given the responsibility of organising the Meet. The Central Theme of the Meet is further growth of renewable energy and energy efficiency in the country.

- 2. Ministry of New and Renewable Energy shall provide guidance and support and oversee the preparations by the organisers through a widely represented Steering Committee under the Chairmanship of Secretary, MNRE. Apart from CII and FICCI, country's other leading industrial and sector specific (RE) Associations/ Organizations, including ASSOCHAM and PHDCII will also be closely associated with organising of the Event.
- 3. The Plenary Session is proposed to be **inaugurated by the Prime Minister of India on 15th February, 2015** and addressed by high level dignitaries **at Vigyan Bhawan**, New Delhi. The Breakout Sessions and the Exhibition will be held at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi.
- 4. RE-INVEST is expected be attended by over 200 Global investors from various countries, international financial institutions, bilateral and multilateral financial institutions along with Indian Banks, non-banking financial companies (NDFCs), state governments, PSUs concerned, renewable power developers and manufacturers, state renewable energy nodal agencies and other related stakeholders.
- 5. The main objective of the Meet is to showcase India as an investment destination for renewable energy and to encourage investors for setting up projects and manufacturing facilities of Renewable Energy equipment & products in India.
- 6. FDI up to 100% under the automatic route is permitted in Renewable Energy Generation and Distribution projects subject to the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003. Incentives offered included financial and fiscal advantages, preferential tariff or payment security mechanism. Moreover, the government has also a policy to encourage transfer of foreign technologies, including those in renewable energy sector.

- 7. In addition to the investment promotion meet, a large exhibition of manufacturers, promoters and developers is also planned to showcase India's manufacturing capabilities and latest technologies to provide an idea to foreign investors about the potential areas of investment in the Renewable Energy sector and to facilitate: (i) Promotion of leading States as excellent destination (ii) One to One meetings for setting up of joint ventures in the Renewable Energy Sector and (iii) To provide an opportunity to Indian Renewable Energy Manufacturers to showcase their products and technologies against the best in the world and enhance their competitiveness and invite some leading RE technology manufacturers from other countries.
- 8. RE-INVEST will bring together leading project developers in renewable energy sectors, fund sponsors, financiers, advisors, utility representatives, lenders, institutional investors, equipment suppliers and other key industry players to share their perspectives on the latest innovations and developments in the renewable project finance and investment market. The Meet will also provide a unique business platform for investors and buyers across renewable energy industry segments to interact and initiate dialogues for business exchange.
- 9. The investment Meet is designed to showcase investment opportunities across key renewable energy sectors in India and to highlight Central and State Governments initiatives on improving the enabling environment for investors. Sessions will include sector-specific granulated discussions for a better understanding about policies, incentives, compliance norms, time lines and other practical requirements. The Meet will serve as a global platform for mutual dialogue and interaction between captains of Indian industry, High level dignitaries and policymakers from State Governments with investors and stakeholders.
- 10. The Agenda will consist of working panels and networking opportunities to discuss and explore information which will stimulate joint cooperation among Indian and foreign companies in Renewable Energy sector and share experience and knowledge. The schedule shall be planned to complement the Trade show and Conference at RE-INVEST.
- 11. Participants will address key drivers of renewable energy production and use, including: Grid interactive renewable power: Policy and Technical issues; Decentralized and distributed renewable energy generation; Up scaling Global Effort for Technology Development & Transfer; and Renewable Energy Financing and Investment.
- 12. Join us and use this unique opportunity to meet top executives and global investment community, business professionals from around the world, Central and State Government officials in India and foremost leading business personalities in Renewable Energy sector.
- 13. Details about schedule, agenda, subjects, registration procedure and pricing for exhibition space, accommodation etc. shall be available shortly on the Websites of the Ministry: http://mnre.gov.in, IREDA: http://www.ireda.in as well as that of RE-INVEST Website (presently under construction).
