

REPORT

Meeting of IGEF Sub Group 3 on “Energy Efficiency” on 11 December 2017

The Indo German Energy Forum’s (IGEF) Subgroup 3 (SG3) – Energy Efficiency meeting was held on 11th December, 2017 at Hotel “The Imperial”, New Delhi. The meeting was co-chaired by Shri Abhay Bakre, Director General, Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE), Ministry of Power (MoP), Government of India and Dr. Georg Maue, Head General Issues of Energy Efficiency, Federal Ministry for Economics and Energy (BMWi), Government of Germany. Further participants were represented by Bureau of Energy Efficiency, German Embassy, GIZ, KfW, IGEF-SO.

The meeting has started with short opening remarks by Co-Chairs. Referring to the recent developments in the power sector of India, Mr. Abhay Bakre highlighted the new projects, which the Ministry of Power (MoP) wishes BEE/GIZ to pursue in coming months such as energy efficiency in building sector, standards and labelling for appliances, PAT Schemes. Dr. Maue gave a presentation about the German policy in consonance with the EU policy and the example of the instrument developed for industry which is Efficiency Networks.

Mr. Piyush Sharma delivered a presentation on the results and update of the PAT Schemes.

Mr. Sharma has presented the achievements of three last PAT Cycles. The next PAT IV will start from 31st March 2018.

The next point of the discussion was activities on Cooling and Energy Efficiency Potential studies in India, where the results of the internal Deep Dive Workshop on both studies commissioned to AEEE and TERI were presented. Mr. Bakre updated on the developments and challenges of charging infrastructure in e-mobility. Mr. Tobias Winter, IGEF-SO led a discussion on identification of industries with ability to adapt processes to variable electricity tariffs determined by offer of fluctuating power from renewable energy sources - Demand Side Management by differentiation of tariffs. The last topic was the identification of further relevant issues and activities for the 2018 working plan.