## Discussion Paper on the CAREC Institute



### **Presentation Outline**

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- Next Steps

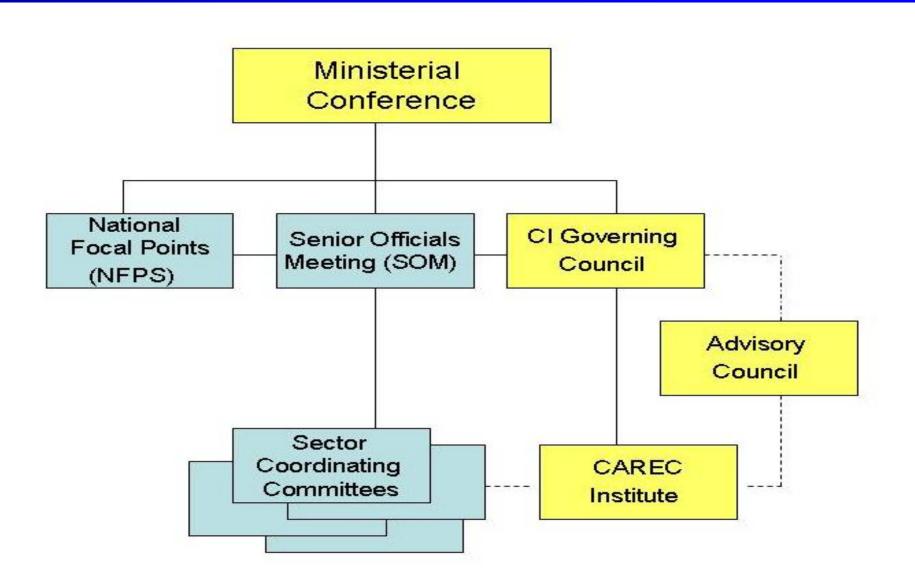


## Background

- Agreements of NFP Meeting, Bangkok 28 Sept ---
  - CI will move to a physical base in the region at a designated time;
  - Requirements to be met by the country hosting the CI
  - Principles of ownership and regionality, fairness and balance to guide the operations of the CI
  - Features of the CI would include consensus-based decision; rotation of key management positions; governance structure
- ADB to draft a discussion paper relating to CI's establishment and operationalization



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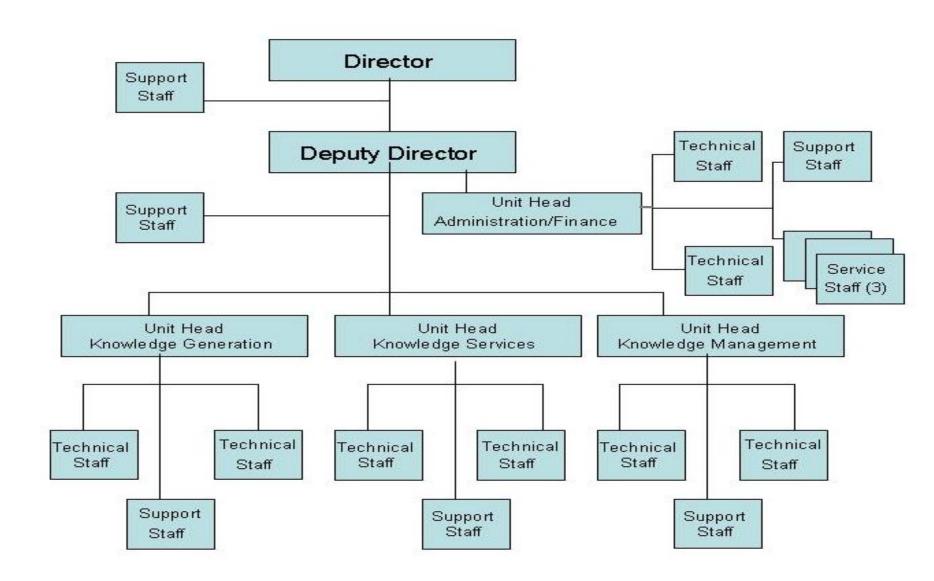
- Ministerial Conference as oversight and highest decision-making body
- Governing Council
  - provides strategic guidance and direction
  - Composed of NFPs
  - Decides on the basis of consensus
  - Meets at least once a year



## **Advisory Body**

- Advisory Council
  - Sounding board of new ideas and approaches
  - Composed of 3 members who are prominent thinkers plus CI Director as ex-officio
- Advisory Forum an annual event for exchange of ideas on issues related to CI's work

## **Organization Structure**



## CI Management and Staff

#### **CI Management**

- 1 Director
- 1 Deputy Director
- 4 Unit Heads
  - KG
  - KS
  - KM
  - Administration/ finance

#### **CI Staff**

- 8 technical staff (2 per unit)
- 6 support staff (secretaries)
- 3 service staffs

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Management =6
Staff =17
TOTAL = 23
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## Management and Staffing

- Director: CAREC countries except host country; rotation basis
- Deputy Director: Host Country
- Unit Heads: CAREC countries
- Balance in key management representation
- Technical staff: CAREC countries
- Recruited openly (positions are advertised) and selected based on merit (fit between position requirement and qualifications)
- Tenure of three (3) years



#### Continued

- Support and service staff: host country
- Recruitment and selection of CI Management be done by the Governing Council
- Recruitment and Selection Committee to be established by Governing Council for staff.



## **Cost Estimates and Financing**

ITEMS	Phase 1 2013-2014	Phase 2 2015-2017	Proposed Financing Sources				
			Host	Member Countries	ADB	Other MI Partners	Others
Capital cost *	TBD	TBD	V				
Operating and maintenance cost **	TBD	TBD	V				
Salaries & benefits ***							
Director (1)	\$1.2M	\$1.4M	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	
Deputy Director (1)							
Unit Heads (4)							
Technical Staff (8)							
Non Tech Staff (9)	TBD	TBD	V				
Program Cost****	\$ 4.20M	\$5.8M	V	V	V	<b>V</b>	V

\*One-time costs

\*\* Yearly recurring costs

\*\*\* Annual costs





## **Proposed Financing Sources**

- Host Country:
  - All capital costs, and operating and maintenance costs
  - Portion of salaries and benefits
  - Salary of local staff
- CAREC Members:
  - Portion of salaries and benefits
  - Part of Program Costs in cash or in kind
- ADB:
  - Part of salaries and program costs
- Partner Multilateral Institutions
  - Part of salaries and program costs
- Private sector sponsorships
- Trust Fund to serve as a vehicle for country contributions; to be administered by ADB

# The Founding Document Options

- Intergovernmental Agreement
- Memorandum of Understanding
- Joint Ministerial Declaration



## **Next Steps**

- Finalize decision on location and timing
- Make progress in discussing the governance and organizational aspects of the CI
- ADB as Secretariat to facilitate



## THANK YOU

