

First Annual Meeting of CAREC Members Electricity Regulators Forum (CMERF)

Beijing, People's Republic of China (PRC): 4-6 July 2005

Agenda

Day 1: Monday, 4 July 2005

- 8:30 – 9:00 Registration
- 9:00 – 9:15 Welcome Remarks**
- Mr. Shao Bingren, Vice Chairman, State Electricity Regulatory Commission, PRC
- 9:15 - 9:30 Opening Remarks**
- Mr. K. Sridhar, Head of Portfolio Management, ADB
- 9:30 – 10:00 Diagnostic Review of Regulatory Approaches and Challenges (DRRAC) in Electricity Regulation in Central Asia**
- Mr. David Butcher, Consultant, ADB
- 10:00 – 10:30 *Coffee Break*
- 10:30 – 12:00 Plenary: Defining the role and mandate of the regulator: International experience with establishing regulators. (20 minutes for each presenter followed by discussion)**
- Chair: Dr. Gao Shiji, Fellow and Director, Development and Research Center of the State Council, PRC
- Role and mandate of electricity regulators in South Asia**
Mr. Shahid Hasan, Fellow, The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI)
- Role and Mandate of the Electricity Regulator**
Prof. Inna Steinbuka, Chair, Energy Regulators Regional Association
- Mr. Nurlan Aldabergenov**, First Deputy Chairman, Agency for Regulation of Natural Monopolies, Kazakhstan
- 12:00 – 1:30 *Lunch*
- 1:30 – 3:30 Plenary: Why vertically unbundle? Improving transparency, commercial performance and economic efficiency through structural regulation. (20 minutes for each presenter followed by discussion).**
- Chair: Dr. Sun Yaowei, Deputy Director-General, State Electricity Regulatory Commission, PRC; Expert of Electricity Reform Steering Group Office of the State Council

[Power Sector Reform in PRC: development and challenges](#)

Dr. Yu Yanshan, Director, State Electricity Regulatory Commission, PRC

[Vertical unbundling](#)

Mr. Rustambek Sadyraliev, Deputy Head of Price and Tariff Unit, State Energy Agency, Kyrgyz Republic

[Vertical unbundling](#)

Mr. Farkhod Karabaev, Department Head, Ministry of Finance, Uzbekistan

[Regulation of Vertically Integrated vs. Unbundled Utilities](#)

Mr. Oliver Butalid, Commissioner, Energy Regulatory Commission, Philippines

3:30 – 4:00 *Coffee break*

4:00 – 5:00 **Discussion:** Progress with vertical unbundling
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Dinner Banquet hosted by SERC

Day 2: Tuesday, 5 July 2005

9:00 – 10:30 **Plenary:** Improving the commercial performance of distribution companies (20 minutes for each presenter followed by discussion)

Chair: Aashish Mehta, Economist, ADB

[Improving sales revenue collection by reducing the losses in central regional electricity distribution networks](#)

Mr. Radian Ganjuur, Chairman, Energy Regulatory Authority, Mongolia

[Reducing commercial losses, increasing bill collection](#)

Mr. Ilgar Seyfullayev, Head Adviser, Ministry of Industry and Energy, Azerbaijan

[Meralco Franchise](#)

Mr. Gerry Dela Paz, Assistant Vice President, Meralco, Philippines

[Power Marketing of BEPC: Statutes & Measures](#)

Mr. Shi Lu, Deputy General- Manager, Beijing Power Company, PRC

10:30 – 11:00 *Coffee Break*

11:00 – 12:00 **Discussion:** The state of commercial losses in Central Asia. Focus on relevant statistics and loss reduction measures
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12:00 – 1:00 *Lunch*

- 1:00 – 3:00 **Plenary:** Setting tariffs – cost recovery, economic efficiency and social goals. (20 minutes for each presenter followed by discussion)
Chair: Chimed Khurelbaatar, State Secretary, Ministry of Finance, Mongolia
- [Tariff Reform and Regulation in \[the\] People’s Republic of China \(PRC\)](#)
Mr. Huang Shaozhong, Director, State Electricity Regulatory Commission; and Member of Tariff Reform Scheme Research Group of the State Council, PRC
- [Beyond Cost Recovery: Setting Tariffs for Financial, Economic and Social Goals](#)
Mr. Peter Choynowski, Principal Economist, ADB
- [Tariff Setting](#)
Mr. Davlatnazar Kurbonov, Department Head, State Agency on Antimonopoly Policy, Tajikistan
- [Tariff Setting: The Philippine Experience](#)
Mr. Oliver Butalid, Commissioner, Energy Regulatory Commission, Philippines
- Ms. Gaziza Baramysova, Department Head, Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources, Kazakhstan
- 3:00 – 3:30 *Coffee Break*
- 3:30 – 5:00 **Plenary:** Electricity markets (20 minutes for each presenter followed by discussion)
- Chair: Mr. David Butcher, Consultant, ADB
- [Northeast China Regional Power Market](#)
Dr. Han Shui, Director-General, SERC Northeast China Bureau, PRC, and Senior Expert of China’s Northeast Power Market Steering Group
- [Reform, Regulation, and Wholesale Market](#)
Mr. Sohail Hasnie, Senior Energy Specialist, ADB
- [Regional Power Trading: Mekong Experience](#)
Mr. Pradeep Perera, Financial Specialist, ADB

Cocktail hosted by ADB

Day 3: Wednesday, 6 July 2005

- 8:30 – 9:30 **Discussion:** Selection of [study topics](#) for program year 2005-2006 CMERF delegates
- 9:30 – 10:00 *Coffee Break*

- 10:00 – 11:30** Finalization of the [draft MOU establishing CMERE](#)
- 11:30 – 11:45** **Closing Remarks**
Mr. Shi Yubo, Vice Chairman, State Electricity Regulatory Commission,
PRC
- 11:45 – 12:00** **Closing Address**
Mr. Anil Terway, Director, ADB
- 12:00 – 1:30* *Lunch*
- 1:30** **Trip to Beijing Power Company**