

**Greater Mekong Subregion
7th Meeting of the Experts Group on Power Interconnection and Trade (EGP-7)
Westin Riverside Plaza, Chiang Mai, Thailand, 29-30 May 2002**

Agenda and Program

Wednesday, 29 May 2002

0800 - 0830 Registration

Session I- Opening Session

0830 - 0900 Opening and Welcome Remarks

Secretary General, National Energy Policy Council (NEPC), Thailand

Khaild I. Rahman

Director, Infrastructure Division, Mekong Department (MKID), ADB

Prutichai Chonglertvanichkul

Introductory Remarks by the Chairperson of EGP

0900 - 0940 Overview of Draft Guideline for Establishment of Regional Power Trade
Coordination committee

Ms. Diane Minogue, Consultant to ADB

**Session II- Presentation of the Draft Final Report: Regional Indicative Master Plan
on Power Interconnection in the GMS**

0940 - 1020 Presentation of Overall View of the Study, Demand Forecast and
Technical Coordination

- Mr. Lars Fosser, Norconsult

1020 -1040 Coffee Break

1040 - 1210 Changes in Generation Expansion Scenario

- Mr. Gerard Doorman, Norconsult

1210 - 1400 Lunch

1400 - 1530 Changes in Transmission Development Scenarios

- Mr. Hans Woldstad, Norconsult

1530 - 1600 Coffee Break

1600 - 1730 Economic Comparison of Scenarios

- Mr. Hans Woldstad and Mr. Gerard Doorman, Norconsult

1930 Dinner Hosted by National Energy Policy Council, Thailand

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- 0830 - 0945 Indicative Master Plan on Power Interconnection and Project Profiles
- Mr. Hans Woldstad and Mr. Lars Fosser, Norconsult
- 0945 - 1015 Follow up Actions for Master Plan (Ownership, Release of Information, feasibility study)
- Mr. Jong-Inn Kim, ADB
- 1015 - 1040 Coffee Break
- 1040 - 1140 JBIC Study for Regional Cooperation Strategy in Interconnected Power Networks in Indo-China
- Mr. Masaya Kawaguchi, JBIC Institute
- Mr. Yashuhiro Yokosawa, Assistant Manager, TEPCO

Session III- Establishment of Regional Power Trade Coordination Committee

- 1140 - 1210 Progress of signing for Inter-Governmental Agreement on Regional Power Trade in the GMS
- Chairman, EGP
- 1210 - 1350 Lunch
- 1350 - 1520 Institutional and Legal Arrangement/ Framework of the Nordic Power Market
- Mr. Peter. Byding, Vattenfall and Per-Olof Johansson, SwedPower
- 1520 - 1540 Coffee Break
- 1540 - 1700 Discussion/ Review of Guideline for Establishment of Regional Power Trade Coordination Committee
- Ms. Diane Minogue, Consultant to ADB
- 1700 - 1730 Discussion for Study on Regional Power Trade Operating Agreement in the GMS
- Mr. Jong Inn Kim, Project Engineer, ADB

Session IV – Closing Session

- 1730 - 1800 Consideration and Adoption of Proceeding
- 1800 Closing Remarks
- Mr. Prutichai Chonglertvanichkul, Chairman, EGP
 - Mr. Khaild I. Rahman, Director, MKID, ADB
 - Representative, National Energy Policy Council, Thailand
- 1930 Dinner Hosted by ADB