

FINAL AGENDA

DAY 1, 5 July 2022	
Time (Cambodia)	Item
8:00 AM – 8:15 AM	Registration/Log-in Zoom
8:15 AM – 8:30 AM (Session 1. In-person)	<p>Opening Address by RPTCC – 29th Chairperson <i>Dr. Chansaveng Bounngong, Director General, Department of Energy Policy and Planning, Ministry of Energy and Mines, Lao PDR</i></p> <p>Welcome Address by ADB: Role of GMS Energy Transition Task Force (ETTF) in Facilitating Decarbonization of the Power Sector – Opportunities and Challenges in Greening GMS Energy Systems. <i>Toru Kubo, Director, Energy Division, Southeast Asia Department. ADB</i></p>
8:30 AM – 9:00 AM (Session 2. Virtual)	<i>Country Presentation: Cambodia*</i>
9:00 AM – 9:30 AM (Session 3. In-person)	<i>Country Presentation: People’s Republic of China*</i>
9:30 AM – 10:00 AM (Session 4. Virtual)	<i>Country Presentation: Lao PDR*</i>
11:00 AM – 11:10 AM	Coffee / Tea Break
11:10 AM – 11:40 AM (Session 5. In-person)	<i>Country Presentation: Myanmar*</i>
11:40 AM – 12:00 PM (Session 6. Virtual)	<i>Country Presentation: Thailand*</i>
12:00 PM – 12:15 PM (Session 7. In-person)	<i>Country Presentation: Vietnam*</i>
12:20 PM – 1:45 PM	Lunch
1:45 PM – 2:30 PM (Session 8. Virtual)	<p>Role of Carbon Finance in Energy Transition <i>Karthik Iyer, Climate Bonds Initiative</i></p>
2:30 PM – 3:15 PM (Session 9. Virtual)	<p>Renewable Energy and Demand Management, Korean Experience <i>Taeil Kang, CEO and Chief Consultant, One Energy Island Co., Ltd.</i></p>
3:15 PM – 3:30 PM	Coffee/Tea Break
3:30 PM – 4:30 PM (Session 10. Virtual)	<p>Building a case for Energy Efficiency in GMS Energy Transition <i>Rajeev Ralhan, Executive Director, PwC India</i></p>
4:30 – 5:30 PM (Session 11. In-person)	<p>Role of Energy Storage in Renewables in Energy Transition <i>Robert de Groot, Mott MacDonald</i></p>
5:30 PM – 5:45 PM (Session 12. In-person)	<p>Wrap-up of Day 1 RPTCC Discussions <i>Pradeep Tharakan, Unit Head, Sovereign Energy Operations, GMS, ADB.</i></p>
6:30 PM	Dinner

***Note:** Each country makes a presentation showing – (i) the latest country’s power sector development (e.g., new policies, plans, tariff regulations); (ii) latest development of the cross-border power interconnections, i.e., new MOU, new agreement, new projects; (iii) report about the actual data of cross border power trade (please refer to the data request by ADB), future projections of demand and supply post-Covid; and (iv) roles of renewable energies, energy storage, smart grids, and energy efficiency in GMS Energy Transition Plan



DAY 2, 6 July 2022	
8:15 AM – 8:30 AM D2. Session 1. In-person)	Overview of Day 2 <i>Pradeep Tharakan, Unit Head, Sovereign Energy Operations, GMS, ADB.</i>
8:30 AM – 8:45 AM D2. Session 2. In-person)	Marking the RPTCC's achievements in the harmonizing GMS power systems to facilitate regional power trade – closing of the TA8830-REG <i>Duy-Thanh Bui, Principal Energy Economist, ADB</i>
8:45 AM – 9:30 AM D2. Session 3. In-person)	Decarbonizing the Energy Pathway is a necessity for GMS Energy Transition and ADB's assistance - ETTF for GMS that is aligned with ADB's finance of \$100 billion for Energy Transition Pathway of DMCS. <i>Pradeep Tharakan, Unit Head, Sovereign Energy Operations, GMS, ADB</i>
9:30 AM – 10:15 AM D2. Session 4. In-person)	Development Partner Forum on Supporting Energy Transition in the GMS – High-level Discussions by Development Partners (DFs) can what support GMS countries with their respective energy transition plans in terms of technical assistance, pilot investments, capacity building, and knowledge sharing. <i>Chair -Pradeep Tharakan, Unit Head, Sovereign Energy Operations, GMS, ADB</i>
10:15 AM – 10:45 AM	Coffee/Tea Break
10:45 AM – 12:00 PM D2. Session 5. Virtual)	Updates in the GMS Program: Asadullah Sumbal, Principal Regional Cooperation Specialist, ADB 1. Proposed New Regional Investment Framework (RIF) 2025 <i>Pinsuda Alexander, Economist (Regional Cooperation), ADB</i> 2. Results Framework and Development Partner engagement <i>Antonio Ressano, Principal Regional Cooperation Specialist, ADB/ Alely Bernardo, Senior Financing Partnerships Specialist, ADB</i> 3. Open Discussion 20 min
12:00 PM – 1:30 PM	Lunch
1:30 PM – 2:30 PM D2. Session 6. Virtual)	Presentation on TA 9003-REG – GMS Energy Efficiency and Opportunities <i>Hyunjung Lee, Senior Energy Economist, ADB</i>
2:30 PM – 3:30 PM D2. Session 7. Virtual)	Overview of ongoing Feasibility Studies on Indonesia, Philippines, and Vietnam Energy Transition Mechanism (ETM) including technical and financial assessment. <i>David Elzinga, Senior Energy Specialist (Climate Change), ADB</i>
3:30 PM – 4:00 PM	Coffee / Tea Break
4:00 PM – 4:30 PM D2. Session 8. Virtual)	Private Sector Case Studies: Cambodia Solar Park Project <i>Ferran Vila Planas, Public-Private Partnership Specialist, ADB</i>
4:30 PM – 5:00 PM D2. Session 9. In-person)	Summary of Discussions of Day 2 and Agree on Actions for GMS ETTF <i>Pradeep Tharakan, Unit Head, Sovereign Energy Operations, GMS, ADB</i>
7:30 PM – 9:00 PM	Closing of the RPTCC-29 & Dinner