

Landscape of Green Finance in India: The Way Forward for Transformational Change.

Date: 11 December 2024 (Wednesday)

Time: 10:15 am – 01:05 pm (Followed by lunch)

Venue: Juniper Hall, India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi

Background

In November 2021, India ratcheted its climate ambitions at the Conference of Parties 26 (COP26) and announced the target to reach 500 GW of renewable energy generation by 2030. India also announced its aim to achieve Net Zero by 2070. India will require ~INR 162.5 thousand crores (USD 2.5 trillion) from 2015 to 2030, roughly INR 11 trillion (USD 170 billion) per year, to finance its NDC goals. While climate finance is increasing, we are still significantly short of our climate finance needs.

In this event, CPI will launch and present the latest findings from the "Landscape of Green Finance in India" report, which measures public and private sources of green capital in India for 2021 and 2022. This event brings together stakeholders engaged in the green and climate space to discuss India's economic and financial progress so far in the climate arena and to deliberate on how green investment can be enabled. Finance can be mobilized from public, private, and blended financing.

Agenda	
10:15 – 10:45 am	Registration
10:50 – 10:55 am	Welcome Address Ms. Neha Khanna, Senior Manager, Climate Policy Initiative
10:55 – 11:00 am	Opening Remarks (message) Dr. Barbara Buchner, Global Managing Director of Climate Policy Initiative
11:00 – 11:15 am	Keynote Address Ms. Chandni Raina, Economic Adviser, Economic Division, Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance, Government of India (TBC)
11:15 – 11:55 am	Key Findings – Landscape of Green Finance in India Ms. Malini Chakravarty, Research Manager; Ms. Uma Pal, Senior Analyst; and Ms. Jaspreet Kaur, Analyst, Center for Sustainable Finance, Climate Policy Initiative
Panel Discussion: The Landscape of Green Finance in India- The way forward for	

transformational changes	
11:55 am – 12:50 pm	<p>Moderator: Mr. Vivek Sen, India Director, Climate Policy Initiative</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Upendra Bhatt, Co-founder and Managing Director, cKinetics (TBC) • Ms. Simmi Sareen, Co-founder, Climake and Head, Unitus Capital's Debt Advisory Business (TBC) • Dr. Dhruva Purkayastha, Director for Growth and Institutional Advancement, Council on Energy, Environment and Water (TBC) • Ms. Sonali Shahpurwala, Head Inclusive Banking, Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation (TBC) • Dr. Suchismita Mukhopadhyay, Lead Specialist – Advocacy, Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure (TBC)
12:50 – 1:00 pm	Q&A
01:00 – 01:05 pm	<p>Closing Remarks Mr. Shubhashis Dey, Advisor, Climate Policy Initiative</p>
Lunch	