

GLOBAL METHANE INITIATIVE

GLOBAL METHANE INITIATIVE COAL SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING
Held in conjunction with CCII's 10th International Symposium on CBM/CMM
21 October 2010, Beijing, China

FINAL AGENDA

- 8:00 **Registration**
- 9:00 **Welcome Addresses**
- Co-Chair Pamela Franklin (USA), Acting Co-Chair P.R. Mandal (India), Co-Chair Huang Shengchu (China)
 - Brief introduction of all meeting participants
- 9:15 **Adoption of Agenda**
Subcommittee Chairs
- 9:20 **Update from the Administrative Support Group (ASG):
Partnership Steering Committee and Ministerial Meeting Outcomes**
Pamela Franklin, Co-Chair
- Ministerial Meeting Outcomes
 - Steering Committee Charge to Subcommittee
 - Discussion of new Terms of Reference
- 9:40 **Discussion about Ministerial Meeting**
- Questions about outcomes
 - Implications for Coal Subcommittee
- 9:50 **Updates from Partner Countries**
Brief updates (5- 10 minutes each) from Partner country delegates regarding status and implementation of country action plan and any new or planned activities in-country or in other Partner countries. Partner countries expected to participate if present:
- *Australia*
 - *China*
 - *Germany*
 - *India*
- 10:45 **TEA BREAK**

- 11:00 **Updates from Partner Countries (continued)**
- *Mongolia*
 - *Pakistan*
 - *United Kingdom*
 - *United States*
- 12:00 **Updates from Project Network**
- Updates on activities and new developments
 - Update from Hua Guo, CSIRO, on CSIRO’s research agenda in China
 - Update from Ray Pilcher, Chairman, UNECE Group of Experts on Coal Mine Methane, on Group of Expert activities to disseminate results of *Best Practice Guidance for Effective Methane Drainage and Use in Coal Mines*
- 12:30 **LUNCH BREAK**
- 1:30 **Updates from Project Network (continued)**
- Updates on activities and new developments
 - Update from Richard Mattus, MEGTEC, on global milestones and status of VAM processing
- 2:00 **Subcommittee Discussion**
- Responding to the Steering Committee charges to the Subcommittee
 - The role of methane abatement (e.g., flaring, destruction only) in the Coal sector
 - Creating, updating, implementing country-specific action plans and strategies
 - Process for evaluating leadership roles in the Subcommittee
 - Addressing technological challenges in commercial development of CMM
 - Update on International CMM Projects Database
- 3:15 **Continuation of Discussion / Planning for Next Subcommittee Meeting and Other Events**
- Announcements of upcoming conferences / workshops / other events of interest to the Subcommittee
 - Proposal(s) for dates / locations / possible events tangential to next Subcommittee meeting (first half of 2011)
- 3:30 **ADJOURN**