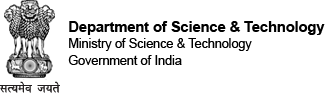
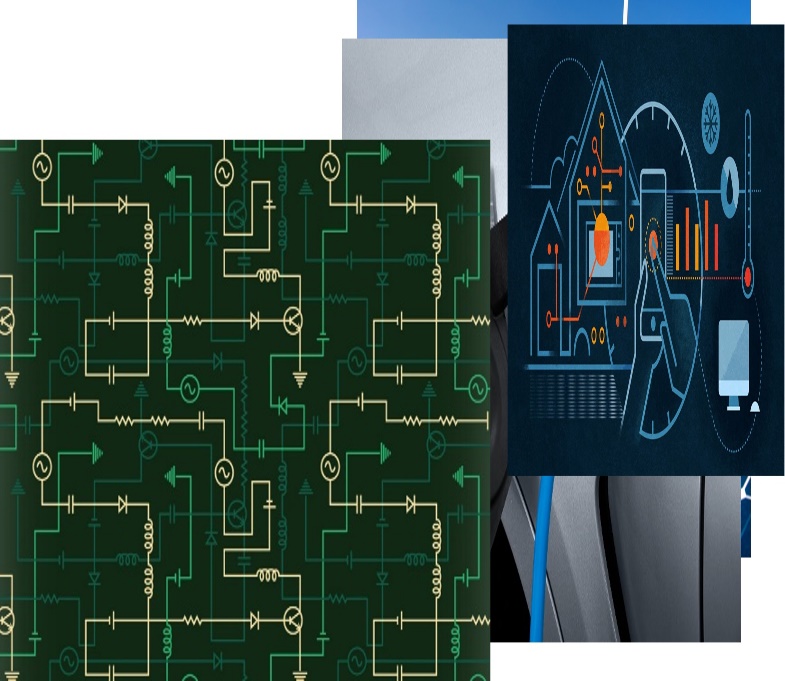
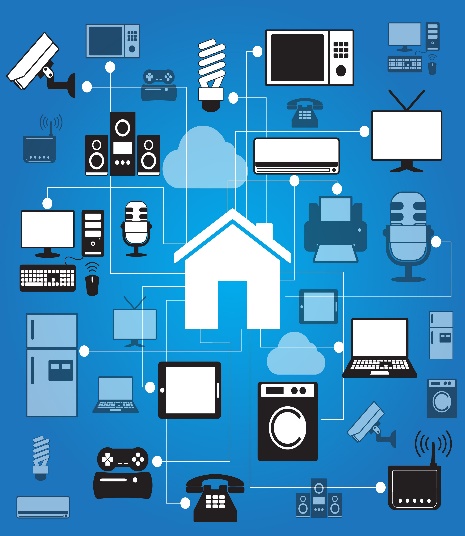
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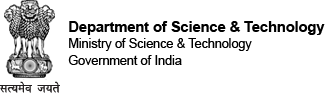
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**About the Meeting**

**Introduction**

Second International Meeting on Off grid access to electricity Innovation Challenge during March 1-2 March 2019 in New Delhi, India, aims to bring together leaders and visionaries from government, scientific community, and the private sector that are looking at the entire value chain in a holistic way and can speak about and debate the development of these complex changes, which are redefining the future of energy worldwide. The 2-days event at New Delhi, India is intended to become a must-attend event for the Energy Experts to identify and pursue RD & D pathways for provide off grid solution for betterment of people living in marginal conditions.

**Main objective of the Meeting**

Building upon the Stakeholder Workshop: Identifying Technology Innovation Needs and Opportunities under Mission Innovation Challenge no#2: Off-grid Access to Electricity event at Paris City on 12th July 2017, the present meeting aims to facilitate an informed expert dialogue that assists in bridging the knowledge gaps in key area and also to better understand the linkages of elements to provide solution to off grid households and communities. The meeting will focus on achieving the following objectives:

* Build an improved, shared understanding of the state of technologies evolve out to provide reliable solution to off grid households and communities
* Promote collaboration opportunities to researchers, innovators, and potential investors;
* Develop new collaboration projects between key partners (government-to-government, researcher-to-researcher, public-private, etc.) in order to work forward to business model
* Inspire the decision makers and leaders around the world and showcase the possibilities and benefits that can be generated from bringing together the top minds in science and industry and from working together on finding solutions for marginal households.

**Course of Events**

The 2-days event will consist of plenary sessions, thematic panel and group discussion. An exhibition will be held in conjunction with the meeting.

**Participants**

* Representatives of Mission Innovation countries Innovation Challenge 2: Off Grid Access to Electricity .
* Australia
* Brazil
* Canada
* China
* European Union (Represented through European Commission)
* Finland
* France
* Germany
* India
* Indonesia
* Italy
* Mexico
* Morocco
* Netherland
* Norway
* Republic of Korea
* Saudi Arabia
* Sweden
* United Kingdom
* United States of America
* International Agencies: IEA, IRENA, WEF, UNIDO, SE4ALL, ADB, ISA, RMI, ADB
* Stakeholders, such as policy makers, senior advisors, technical experts, industry representatives, financial institutions and investors.
* Broader public and think tanks.

**PROGRAMME**

**Second International Stakeholders Meet on Mission Innovation Challenge IC2:**

**Off Grid Access to Electricity**

**Friday, 1 March 2019**

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| 09:00–09:30 | Registration | |
| 09:30-10:00 | **Inaugural session : Setting the Scene** | |
| **Welcome Address** | **Dr. Sanjay Bajpai,**  **Head, TMD (E&W), DST** |
| **Opening Remarks** | **Prof. V. Ramgopal Rao**  **Director, IIT Delhi** |
| **Introduction to MI challenge IC2** | **France (Co-lead)** |
| **Keynote Address** | **Shri Upendra Tripathy, DG-International Solar Alliance (tbc)** |
| **Inaugural address** | **Dr. Renu Swarup, Secretary, DBT (tbc)** |
| **Vote of thanks** | **Shri Vineet Saini, Scientist -E , DST** |
| 10:00-10:45 | **Group Photo, High Tea, Poster session and Exhibition on off grid innovations** | |
| 10:45-13:30 | **Technical Session-I**  **Mission Innovation Session**  **MI countries & Perspective of International organization** | |
| 13:30- 14:30 | **Lunch** | |
| 14:30-16:00 | **Technical Session-II**  **Success stories and Initiatives in Off Grid Solution in France, India and other MI Countries** | |
| 16:00-16:15 | **Tea-Coffee break** | |
| 16:15- 17:30 | **Panel Discussion**  **Way forward to accelerate deployment of Off Grid solution**  **Chair: Prof. Ashutosh Sharma, Secretary, Department of Science and Technology**  **Co-Chair: Prof. V. Ramgopal Rao, Director, IIT Delhi** | |
| 17:15- 18:00 | **High Tea** | |

**Saturday, 2 March 2019**

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| 9:30- 11:00 | Overview of MI Projects : Off Grid access to Electricity in France  Overview of MI Projects : Off Grid access to Electricity in India  Overview of MI Projects : Off Grid access to Electricity in MI Countries  Detailed presentation of Ongoing MI projects in India ( 4 projects) |
| 11:00- 11:15 | **Coffee Break** |
| 11:15-12:30 | **Detailed presentation of ongoing MI Projects : Off Grid access to**  **Electricity (5 Projects)** |
| 12:30-13:00 | **Concluding Session**  *Conclusion Remarks & Next Steps by Sanjay Bajpai and France co-leads*  *Vote of thanks by Vineet Saini* |