





## Task Force-I

#### "Harmonization of Policy, Legal and Regulatory Issues" Terms of Reference and Key Deliverables

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- Objective
- Quick-recap of Task Force-I work
- Terms of Reference
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## Objective

- To minimizing/addressing policy, legal and regulatory risks/barriers if any.
- To create the enabling systemic conditions for a sustainable market.
- Create congenial environment for investors in Cross Border Energy Trade (CBET) generation and transmission infrastructure
- A transparent and fair regional regulatory framework and pathway for regional energy market.







## **Recap of Task Force-1 work**

- Develop the regional regulatory guidelines
- Suggested Changes/Amendments in Electricity Laws/Regulations/Policies
- South Asia-South Asia Forum of Energy/Electricity Regulators (SAFER)
- Regional investment framework
- Open access and model trading licensee framework







## **Recap of Task Force-1 work**

• Total Task Force-1 meetings- 6

 Stakeholders Meetings and Report release event – 16







## **Deliverables of Extended Phase**

SAFIR Working Group

South Asia Energy/Electricity Regulatory Compendium

SAFIR-Regulatory newsletter and web portal

Research on South Asia electricity regulations to develop regulatory pathway SAARC CEERE

Technical support to SAARC CEERE

Present the key findings related to policy/regulatory harmonization Policy harmonization related to CBET aspects

Technical assistance to country government

Regulation and Policy Coordination Template

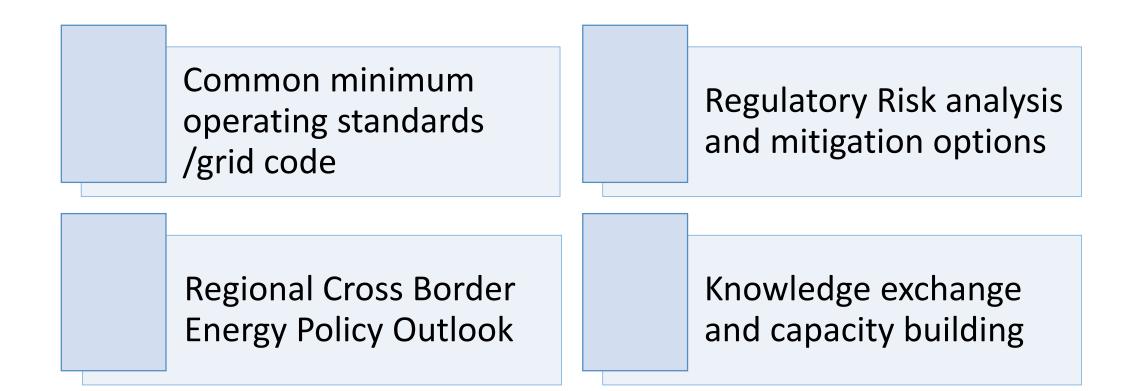
Regional Cross Border Energy Policy Outlook







#### **Deliverables**









## **Terms of Reference**

- Review of existing Acts, Policies and Regulations from the perspective of CBET to identify any inconsistencies/gaps.
- Review of National Electricity Policy/Plan of SA countries with a purpose of aligning the same for CBET.
- Institutionalize/technical support to regional regulatory institution to promote cross-border power trade.
  - Technical Support to SAFIR and SAARC CEERE
- To promote cross-learning and network building







## **Terms of Reference**

- Expand TF-I studies and activities to South East Asia (BIMSTEC region)
- Develop Regional frameworks and guidelines to support regional infrastructure projects and power trade.
- Case studies of trilateral and multilateral power trade across the globe in detail and draw inference for South Asia
- Review international best practices and practices inside the South Asia Region from regulatory and policy perspective.















## **TF-I** meetings - Pictures











# Thank You!

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