

SARI/EI

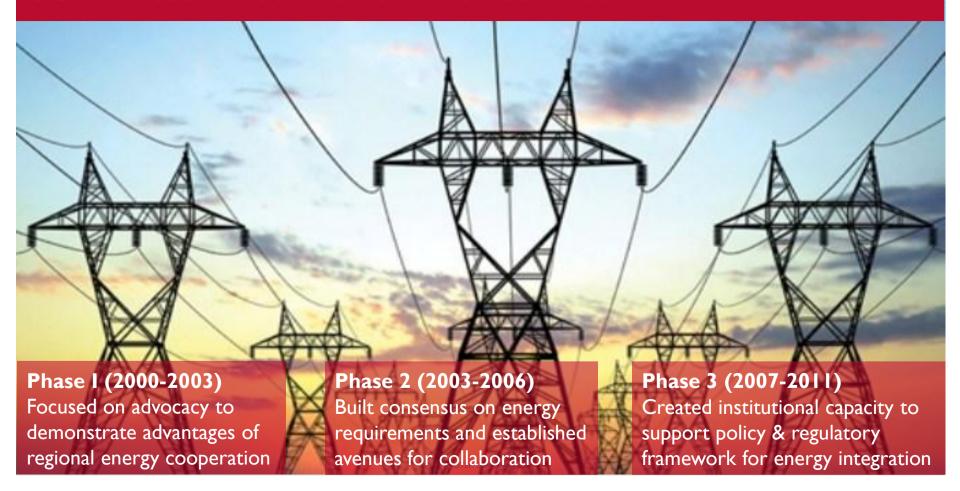


South Asia Regional Initiative for Energy Integration (SARI/EI)

Role of SARI in Capacity Building in South Asia United States Energy Association.



USEA: Associated with SARI since 2000



Accomplishments over the years



☐ Trained more than 1,500 senior energy executives from 369 institutions over the course of 65 activities covering diverse stakeholders

USEA: Playing a complementing role



Initiated in 2013, USEA mechanism complements the IRADe work by building capacity and strengthening institutions

Current Phase: USEA's Initial activities



Workshop on Competitive Electricity Markets – Design, Implementation & Benefits (March 2014, Sri Lanka)

Peer Exchange: Introduction to Electricity Markets – Southern African Power Pool and Eskom (May 2014)

Executive Exchange:
Successful Cross-Border
Bilateral Electricity Market:
Bangladesh – India (August 2014)

SARI: Increased Sub-Regional Focus (Eastern Grid)



SARI/EI: Support to Nepal

- ☐ Skills Development Program
- ☐ Technical and transactional advisory services



SARI/EI: Support to Bangladesh

☐ Skills Development Program

☐ Technical assistance to BERC



SARI/EI: Support to Bhutan

- Currently designing package for Bhutan
- ☐ Trainings and exposure visits
- ☐ Targeted short-term TA including peer reviews





SARI/EI: Plan for Next year

- Develop and deliver customized program for Bhutan
- ☐ Power trading training for Pakistan
- ☐ An international conference on connecting South Asia with South East Asia
- Executive Exchange program on load forecasting and large-scale integration of renewable energy



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