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**SEMINAR ON
'SOLAR ENERGY: INVESTMENT AND R&D'
0930 – 1600 HRS
SATURDAY, 7 JANUARY 2012, BIRLA AUDITORIUM, JAIPUR**

PROGRAMME

0930 - 1030 Hrs	:	Registration
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1030 - 1140 Hrs	INAUGURAL SESSION	
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1030 - 1040 Hrs	Opening Remarks	Mr Deepak Puri Co-Chairman, CII National Committee on Renewable Energy & Chairman, Moser Baer India Ltd
1040 - 1055 Hrs	Address by Chief Guest	Dr Farooq Abdullah Union Minister for New & Renewable Energy, Government of India
1055 - 1105 Hrs	Theme Address	Mr G B Pradhan Secretary Ministry of New & Renewable Energy Government of India
1105 - 1120 Hrs	Special Remarks	Mr Vayalar Ravi Union Minister for Overseas Indian Affairs Government of India
1120 - 1135 Hrs	Keynote Address	Mr Ashok Gehlot Chief Minister Government of Rajasthan
1135 - 1140 Hrs	Concluding Remarks	Mr Parvez Diwan Secretary Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs

1140 - 1200 Hrs	Tea / Coffee Break
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1200 - 1315 Hrs	Session 1: Investment Opportunities & State Policy	
1200 – 1205 Hrs	Opening Remarks by Session Moderator	Mr Deepak Gupta Former Secretary Ministry of New & Renewable Energy
1205 – 1215 Hrs	Address by Chief Guest	Mr Namu Narain Meena Minister of State for Finance
1215 – 1225 Hrs	Special Address	Dr Jitendra Singh Minister for Energy Government of Rajasthan
1225 -1300 Hrs	Remarks by Panelists (7 Minutes each): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Naresh Pal Gangwar Secretary (Energy) Government of Rajasthan • Mr D J Pandian Principal Secretary Government of Gujarat • Lord Diljit Rana Ex President, GOPIO • Mr V Saibaba Chief Executive Office, Lanco Solar • Mr Satish Mandhana Managing Director IDFC Private Equity Co Ltd 	
1300 – 1315 Hrs	Open Discussions	
1315 – 1320 Hrs	Concluding Remarks	Session Moderator
1320 - 1430 Hrs	Lunch	



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1430 - 1600 Hrs		Session 2: R&D and Manufacturing technology Development
1430 - 1435 Hrs	Opening Remarks by Session Moderator	Mr Sumant Sinha Chairman & CEO Renew Power
1435 - 1450 Hrs	Address by Guest of Honour	Mr Kevin Ramnarine Minister of Energy Government of the Republic of Trinidad & Tobago
1450 - 1505 Hrs	Address by Chief Guest	Mr Ashwani Kumar Minister of State Ministry of Science and Technology
1505 - 1537 Hrs	Remarks by Panelists (8 Minutes each): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Tarun Kapoor Joint Secretary, Ministry of New & Renewable Energy • Dr Ayodhya N Tiwari Head, Laboratory for Thin Films and Photovoltaics, Switzerland • Mr James Abraham Chief Executive Officer, Sunborne Energy • Dr Prem K Kalra Director, IIT Jodhpur 	
1537 - 1555 Hrs	Open Discussions	
1555 - 1600 Hrs	Concluding Remarks by	Session Moderator