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### Agenda

Climate Leadership Conference & CAP 2.0° Awards ceremony  
1 August 2019,  
Hall - Sovereign 1, Le-Meridien, New Delhi

Time	Description
10:30 – 11:00 hours	Registration and Welcome Tea
11:00 – 12:00 hours	<p><b>Building disaster resilient infrastructure for the nation against climate change impacts</b></p> <p><b>Session Annotation:</b> A landmark study released by the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) reveals that India is one of the most vulnerable countries in the world to global warming and will face the brunt of climate change devastation in the coming years. Their Special report on 1.5°C investigates the impacts of increase in global average temperature by 1.5°C above pre-industrial levels in the context of strengthening global response to the threat of climate change and sustainable development.</p> <p>Limiting global warming to 1.5°C will not leave us safe. India, as well as the rest of the world will continue to experience increasing negative impact as the temperature rises, although it would be much lesser than the calamitous effects of a 2°C warmer planet.</p> <p>India is already losing about 1.5 per cent of its GDP every year due to climate change-related risks. This builds a stronger case for India to further invest on adaptation and build resilient infrastructure, medical facilities and undertake climate smart agriculture. Recently, the Indian government has</p>

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	<p>pledged INR 480 crores towards setting up of a secretariat “Coalition for Disaster Risk Resilient Infrastructure” on the lines of International Solar Alliance and has already received support from the UN, World Bank and many developed economies which will support building standards, frameworks, R&amp;D etc. to build resilient infrastructure. Industry will have to contribute by beginning to produce materials which can help build disaster resilient infrastructure as well as design and construct using these.</p> <p>The session will understand preparedness of Indian Industry on adoption of climate-resilient infrastructure, the current status and how the transition can be achieved.</p> <p><b>Session Chairman*</b> <b>Mr. Jamshyd Godrej</b>, Chairman, CII Climate Change Council, Past President, CII, CMD, Godrej and Boyce Manufacturing</p> <p><b>Chief Guest*</b> <b>Sir Dominic Asquith</b>, British High Commissioner to India, British High Commission</p> <p><b>Special Invitee*</b> <b>Mr. Ravi Shankar Prasad</b>, Additional Secretary, MOEF&amp;CC</p> <p><b>Speakers</b> <b>Dr. V. Thiruppugazh</b>, Joint Secretary (Policy &amp; Plan), National Disaster Management Authority* <b>Mr. Junaid Kamal Ahmad</b>, India Country Director, South Asia, World Bank* <b>Mr. Ranganath N. Krishna</b>, MD &amp; CEO, Grundfos Pumps India</p>
12:00 – 13:00 hours	<p><b>Start-up eco-system on innovation in India</b></p> <p><b>Session Annotation:</b> India has been very active in creating a healthy startup ecosystem, and growth in the number of startups is increasing year-on-year. In fact, India is among the top five startup communities in the world. With a young and inspired pool of entrepreneurs, our country saw a 40% growth in the number of startups and incubators in 2016-17.</p> <p>The objective of this session is to unlock India’s Cleantech potential that addresses climate change effectively. The panelists who have themselves addressed climate change impacts by way of innovation and invention will share their insights on challenges and achievements of the startup</p>

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	<p>ecosystem on innovation in the climate change space. This session will focus on how the Indian startup ecosystem fared in 2017-18.</p> <p><b>Speakers*</b> <b>Mr Suresh Paul Jones</b>, Founder, JSP Enviro, 2018 winning company at Climate Launchpad</p> <p><b>Mr. Riddhish Chetan Soni</b>, Co-founder, Head Remote Sensing, Drone Development, Image Processing, AumSat Geospatial Technologies, 2018 winning company at Climate Launchpad</p> <p><b>Mr. Kushagra Srivastava</b>, CEO, Chakr Innovation, 2017 winning company at Climate Solver, WWF</p> <p><b>Mr. Som</b>, Co-founder, Carbon Masters India, 2017 winning company at Climate Solver, WWF</p>
13:00 – 14:00 hours	Lunch
14:00 – 15:00 hours	<p><b>Challenges that industry face in accounting supply chain greenhouse gas emissions and what is the way forward</b></p> <p><b>Session Annotation:</b> If India needs to contribute to the global commitments and also remain a competitive choice in the international market, companies supply chains consisting mainly of small &amp; medium enterprises (SME) need to also reduce their Greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. GHG emissions in supply chains are on an average four times higher than those of a company's direct operations.</p> <p>Weak collaboration among suppliers and buyer on environmental matters, variations due to maturity of suppliers when it comes to GHG management and no incentives for suppliers to reduce GHG emissions are the limiting factors for the inclusion of supply chain parameters in the overall GHG emission inventory of large companies. Therefore, fiscal and policy instruments need to be developed.</p> <p>This session will discuss the critical challenges that companies face when accounting for supply chain emissions, what steps are needed, what policy changes are needed, and how to design incentives to bring inclusivity.</p> <p><b>Moderator</b> <b>Ms. Seema Arora</b>, Deputy Director General, CII</p>

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	<p><b>Speakers*</b> <b>Mr Anirban Ghosh</b>, Chief Sustainability Officer, Mahindra group</p> <p><b>Mr. Naveen Soni</b>, Vice President - External Affairs &amp; CSR Division, Toyota Kirloskar Motor Pvt Ltd</p> <p><b>Mr. Mahendra Singhi</b>, Managing Director and CEO, Dalmia Bharat</p> <p><b>Mr Krishan Dhawan</b>, CEO, Shakti Sustainable Energy Foundation</p>
15:00 – 16:00 hours	<p><b>High-level session – New government’s agenda on Climate Change</b></p> <p><b>Session Annotation:</b> The objective of this session is to crystallize India’s position for the upcoming United Nations Secretary General (UNSG) Climate Change Summit where India would lead the discussion on “Industry Transition” along with Sweden.</p> <p>This session will throw light on the new government’s agenda and priority areas on climate actions in near future. The objective of the session will be to understand whether India will develop ambitious targets for key sectors in addition to its NDC commitments or do the communicated NDCs need to be re-evaluated.</p> <p><b>Session Chairman*</b> <b>Mr Sumant Sinha</b>, Co-Chairman, CII Climate Change Council, CMD, Renew Power</p> <p><b>Key speakers*</b> <b>Mr B. Rajagopal</b>, President, DSM India or <b>Special Invitee</b>, DSM Netherlands</p> <p><b>Mr. Praveen Garg</b>, Additional Secretary / <b>Mr Ravi Shankar Prasad</b>, Additional Secretary, MOEFCC</p> <p><b>Dr T Ramasamy</b>, Former Secretary, Department of Science &amp; Technology</p> <p><b>Mr Nitin Desai</b>, Chairman, TERI</p>
16:00 – 17:00 hours	<p><b>Recognition Ceremony - CAP 2.0° Awards Ceremony</b></p> <p><b>Key speakers*</b> <b>Mr B Rajagopal</b>, President, DSM India or <b>Special Invitee</b>, DSM Netherlands</p>

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	<p><b>Shri. Prakash Javadekar</b>, Minister of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India</p> <p><b>Mr Rakesh Bharti Mittal</b>, Immediate Past President, CII (2018-19) &amp; Vice Chairman, Bharti Enterprises</p> <p><b>Mr Chandrajit Banerjee</b>, Director General, CII</p> <p><i>Note: Awards distribution, certificates disbursement and mementos to Jury will follow the session</i></p>
17:00 – 17:30 hours	Closing by emcee followed by Tea/Coffee