UNFCCC – COP15 / CMP 5 Side Event

"How to access the CDM for household and community projects and achieve a fairer geographical distribution?"

A dialogue between EU and developing countries representatives and experts

Tuesday 15 December 2009

Lunch Side Event 13:00 – 15:00

UNFCCC COP 15/CMP 5 Side Event, Room Schumann in the EU Pavilion C5, Bella Center, Copenhagen, Denmark

Despite the great need and potential for sustainable energy projects at household and communities level in developing countries, the Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) hardly features any projects at this level. Making CDM accessible for household and community level projects would give a fairer geographical distribution of CDM projects?





Programme

Introduction

"Why household and community level projects matter – and how the CDM could be applicable for community projects", **Sascha Gabizon**, *Executive Director WECF – Women in Europe for a Common Future*

Key note speech "Household and community projects under the CDM: Experiences and proposal to improve the CDM", Robert Müller, *atmosfair*

Project presentation

Project example presentation: "Nigerian Cook Stove project, improvement of the household situation and the situation for women and the poor", **Yahaya Ahmed**, *DARE - Developmental Association for Renewable Energies Nigeria*

Panel 1: Experiences with household and community level projects, what needs to be done to improve the situation? **Panel 2:** How to access the CDM for household and community projects and achieve a fairer geographical distribution? **Panel Discussion** by EU and developing countries representatives and experts from Germany, Georgia, The Netherlands, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Burkina Faso, Nigeria, Indonesia, ...

Closing of the session

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