



## Urban Transport and Climate Change – Policy Challenges for Indian Cities

DSDS 2015 Thematic Track

Saturday, 7 February 2015, 11 AM – 1 PM

Taj Palace Hotel, Sardar Patel Marg, Diplomatic Enclave, New Delhi 110 021

11.00 – 11.05	<p>Opening Remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Prodipto Ghosh, Director, Earth Science and Climate Change Division, TERI</li> </ul>
11.05 – 11.17	<p>Urban Transport: Challenges in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Gunnar Lindberg, Managing Director, Institute of Transport Economics (TOI) Norway</li> </ul>
11.17 – 11.30	<p>Urban Passenger Transport Scenarios for India</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mr Stephen Perkins, Head of Research, International Transport Forum, Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD)</li> </ul>
11.30 – 11.40	<p>Discussants: An Indian Perspective</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prof Sanjay Gupta, School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi</li> <li>• Dr Ashish Verma, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore</li> </ul>
11.40 – 11.50	<p>Coping with Climate: Assessing Policies for Climate Change Adaptation and Transport Sector Mitigation in Indian Cities in the CLIMATRANS study</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Farideh Ramjerdi, CLIMATRANS Project Manager &amp; Senior Research Economist, TOI</li> </ul>
11.50 – 12.00	<p>Policy Challenges for the Transport Sector in Indian Cities in the Context of Climate Change: Key Issues for Panel Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Ulka Kelkar and Ms Neha Pahuja, TERI and Ms Silvia Olsen, TOI</li> </ul>
12.00 – 12.50	<p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Chair: Mr S Sundar, Distinguished Fellow, Sustainable Habitat Division, TERI</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ms Hanne Bjurstrøm, Special Envoy, Ministry of Climate &amp; Environment, Norway; and Co-Chair, Climate and Clean Air Coalition to Reduce Short-Lived Climate Pollutants</li> <li>• Mr Shankar Aggarwal, Secretary, Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India</li> <li>• Mr Ashok Lavasa, Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Government of India</li> <li>• Prof Geetam Tiwari, MoUD Chair Professor for Transport Planning, Department of Civil Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology Delhi</li> <li>• Mr Stephen Perkins, Head of Research, International Transport Forum, OECD</li> <li>• Dr Gunnar Lindberg, Managing Director, TOI Norway</li> </ul>
12.50 – 13.00	<p>Open Discussion</p>