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The JCM credits, 300 tCO₂ for 15 months, were issued for the project between Thailand and Japan. Expected emission reductions achieved by the project are approximately 4,900 tCO₂.

<<JCM project from which the JCM credits were issued>>

TH001: Introduction of Solar PV Systems on Rooftops of Factory and Office Building

Solar PV system grids installed in factory complex rooftops for self-consumption

The project information is available at:

<https://www.jcm.go.jp/th-jp/projects/issues>

Updates of JCM activities in Thailand are available at:

<https://www.carbon-markets.go.jp/eng/jcm/initiatives/thailand.html>

On 20 April 2018, the 4th Joint Committee meeting of the JCM between Thailand and Japan was held in Bangkok.

The project photos are available at:

<https://www.carbon-markets.go.jp/eng/>

https://www.carbon-markets.go.jp/eng/en_columns/en_renewable_energy/ (Column)

https://www.carbon-markets.go.jp/eng/en_publications/ (Publication)

-- [Save the date] 8 May 2018: UNFCCC SB48 Side Event organized by AIT/OECC/MOEJ --

We are delighted to inform you that Asian Institute of Technology (AIT), Overseas Environmental Cooperation Center, Japan (OECC) and Ministry of the Environment, Japan (MOEJ) will co-organize a side event on 8 May 2018, Tuesday at UNFCCC SB48 in Bonn, Germany.

"Empowering developing countries to gain access to climate finance through capacity building"

Date: 8 May 2018, Tuesday, 16:45 - 18:15

Venue: Kaminzimmer, World Conference Center Bonn (WCCB)

Abstract: National capacity building is key to achieving a paradigm shift towards low-emission, climate-resilient development pathways and effectuating transformative change in developing countries. This side event aims to exhibit and appraise various aspects of capacity-building support provided to developing countries in the area of climate finance.

Agenda:

<Presentations>

Moderated by Amjad Abdulla, GCF Board Member, Maldives

1. "Empowering Developing Countries to Gain Access to Climate Finance Through Capacity-building"
- Alla Metelitsa, AIT
2. "Self-Empowerment through Participation in Capacity-building Activities – Experiences, Lessons Learned, and Good Practices"
- Jonah Auka, Climate Change and Development Authority, Papua New Guinea
- Batjargal Zamba, UNFCCC Focal Point, Mongolia (former Minister of Environment)
3. "Development of projects triggering Paradigm Shift": Scaling-up Project Implementation Contributing Towards Enhancing NDC's level of Ambition
- Yuriko Koyanagi, OECC

4. "Potentials on Leveraging Climate Finance for Carbon Emission Reduction projects under the Joint Crediting Mechanism: A case study on a Solar Farm Project in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia"

- Masayuki Iwai, CEO, Farmdo Co. Ltd, Japan

- R. Jigjid, President & CEO, Everyday Farm LLC, Mongolia (former Minister of Mining)

<Panel Discussion: "Capacity Gaps and Interventions">

Moderated by Yuriko Koyanagi, OECC

Panelists are:

- Jonah Auka, Climate Change and Development Authority, Papua New Guinea
- Batjargal Zamba, UNFCCC Focal Point, Mongolia
- Amjad Abdulla, GCF Board Member, Maldives
- Scott Hook, Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat
- Kazuhisa Koakutsu, Director for International Negotiations, MOEJ
- Masayuki Iwai, Farmdo Co. Ltd, Japan
- Jigjid Rentsendoo, Everyday Farm LLC, Mongolia

Panelists will share experience on pressing capacity and other critical gaps that hinder access to climate finance in developing countries. They will also discuss potential interventions that can help fill these gaps. Experiences are shared on developing a "showcase" project which facilitated local entities' investment and co-financing, leading to sustainable dissemination of low carbon technologies.

The flyer and concept note are available at:

https://seors.unfccc.int/seors/reports/events_list.html?session_id=SB48

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