#### **COP22 Official Side Event in Marrakech, Morocco**

# Promoting Low Carbon Asia for the Paris Agreement: Cases of National and Local Experience on NDC activities and market mechanisms

Date: 9 November 2016, Wednesday

Time: 11:30- 13:00

Venue: Bering (150)

After the adoption of the Paris Agreement, while development of national level plans such as NDCs have been making progress, development of city level plans for the realization of low-carbon cities are also becoming active. With understanding this background and focusing on city-level activities, some actual examples of activities including city-to-city collaboration through the Joint Crediting Mechanism (JCM) and utilization of the Asia-Pacific Integrated Model (AIM) will be introduced. In the discussion session, panelists will discuss how national-level and city-level activities can create synergistic effects to accelerate the movement to further achieve low-carbon or decarbonized societies in the future.

#### Agenda

#### Introduction

Facilitator: Dr. Junichi Fujino, National Institute for Environmental Studies (NIES)

#### Opening remarks (11:30 - 11:35)

Prof. Ho Chin Siong, University of Technology Malaysia (UTM)

Mr. Yoshihiro Mizutani, Director, International Cooperation Office, Ministry of the Environment, Japan

#### <u>Presentation (11:35–11:45)</u>

### "Trends, Challenges, and Support for NDCs"

Mr. Ranping Song, World Resource Institute (WRI)

# Presentation (11:45 - 12:15)

# "Japanese supporting activities: modeling/city twining/market mechanism"

Mr. Yoshihiro Mizutani, Ministry of the Environment, Japan (MOEJ)

Dr. Junichi Fujino, National Institute for Environmental Studies (NIES)

# Case studies in Asia (12:15 - 12:35)

Malaysia: Mr. Datuk Hj Sahrom Ujang, Kuala Lumpur City Hall, Malaysia

**Vietnam:** Mr. Nguyen Van Huy, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, Vietnam (MONRE)

# Panel discussion (12:35 - 13:00)

Leading discussants:

Prof. Ho Chin Siong, University of Technology Malaysia (UTM)

Mr. Nguyen Van Huy, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, Vietnam (MONRE)

Mr. Boyd Joeman, Iskandar Regional Development Authority (IRDA)

Mr. Ranping Song, World Resource Institute (WRI)

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