

CSE Media Briefing Workshop
BUILD THEM GREEN
Deconstructing the Building Sector in India
June 28-29, 2012
India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

DAY 1: THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 2012

Magnolia Hall, India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi

9.00 – 9.30 AM

Registration

9.30 – 11.30 AM

Session 1: Why 'green' buildings?

Setting the theme: Buildings: Earthscrapers

Chair: Anumita Roychowdhury, *executive director-research and advocacy, CSE*

- **Building sector: The growth story**
Deepak Bhavsar, *managing director, strategic consulting, Jones Lang la Salle, Delhi*
- **The industry perspective**
Rajeev Talwar, *group executive director, DLF, Delhi*
- **Implementation challenges: Lessons from ground**
Praveen Kumar, *administrator, Haryana Urban Development Authority, Gurgaon*
- **Challenges to greening of buildings**
Harsha Sridhar, *architect, Initiative for Green Habitats, Bengaluru*
- **Why green buildings make sense?**
Gaurav Shorey, *assistant professor, Sushant School of Architecture, Delhi*

Tea: 11.30 – 11.45 AM

11.45 AM – 1.00 PM

Session 2: The regulatory realm

Setting the theme: EIA and sustainable buildings

Sakshi C. Dasgupta, *deputy programme manager, sustainable building programme, CSE*

Regulatory framework for the building sector

Chair: Paritosh Tyagi, *former chairperson, Central Pollution Control Board, Delhi*

- **Buildings and environmental regulations: Developers' perspective**
Navin Raheja, *president, National Real Estate Development Council, Delhi*
- **Buildings and green tapism**
Leo F Saldanha, *coordinator, Environment Support Group, Bengaluru*
- **EIA and buildings: plugging the loopholes**
Vishwambhar Choudhari, *environmental activist, Oasis Environmental Foundation, Pune*

Lunch: 1.00 – 2.00 PM

2.00 – 3.30 PM

Session 3: Energising efficiency in buildings

Setting the theme: Energy intensities of buildings

Siva Kishan, *programme director, sustainable building programme, CSE*

Energy Conservation Building Code: the future roadmap

Chair: Ajay Mathur, *director general, Bureau of Energy Efficiency, Delhi*

- **Building skills for implementing ECBC**
Aalok Deshmukh, *independent energy consultant, Delhi*
- **Innovative mechanism for supporting implementation**
Prasad Vaidya, *principal, The Weidt Group, California, USA*
- **Appliance rating: Turning the market around**
Daljit Singh, *former senior research fellow, Prayas Energy Group, Delhi*

Tea: 3.30 – 3.45 PM

3.45 – 5.30 PM

Session 4: Economics of affordable housing

Setting the theme: Affordable yet green housing
Siva Kishan, CSE

Chair: Leo F Saldanha, *Environment Support Group*

- **Financing opportunities for affordable housing**
Arnab Roy, *executive director, National Housing Bank, Delhi*
- **Green housing for all**
Vishnu Swaminathan, *director, Housing for All, Ashoka India, Bengaluru*
- **Affordable housing on developers' agenda**
B R Balakrishnan, *chairperson, Alchemy Urban Systems Pvt Ltd., Bengaluru*
- **Innovative design for low cost housing**
Mukta Naik, *architect and urban planner, Micro Homes Solutions, Delhi*

DAY 2: FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 2012

CSE office – Core 6A, 4th Floor, India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road

9.00 – 10.00 AM

Green Talk

Sunita Narain, *director general, CSE*

Tea: 10.00 – 10.15 AM

10.15 – 11.00 AM

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan's Green Quotient

Deependra Prashad, *architect, Deependra Prashad Architects and Planners, Delhi*

11.00 AM – 12.45 PM

Visit to Indira Paryavaran Bhawan

Rajpal Kaushal, *senior architect* and Bhagat Singh, *superintendent engineer, CPWD MoEF Building, Lodhi Road*

Lunch, CSE office – IHC: 1.30 – 2.30 PM

3.00 – 4.00 PM

Tour of Centre for Science and Environment

Tughlakabad Institutional Area, New Delhi

Tea: 4.15 PM