



**Interim Secretariat**  
**INTERNATIONAL SOLAR ALLIANCE**

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**Subject: Invitation for Expression of Interest for partnering in International Solar Alliance International Events.**

International Solar Alliance (ISA) intends to participate in the following major upcoming renewable energy events scheduled to be held in India and abroad. It is proposed to organise these Events (summarised below) in partnership with Apex Chambers of Commerce & Industry/ Renewable Energy Associations in India and abroad.

2. Proposal has been received from PHD Chambers of Commerce and Industry (PHDCCI) for partnering in **Global RE-INVEST 2017 India-ISA Partnership** event (Sl. No. 2) at No Cost to ISA.

3. ISA intends to engage National and International Apex Chambers of Commerce & Industry having international presence and significant membership and interested to partner with ISA for organisation of these events at **NO cost to ISA**. Chambers of Commerce of Industry & Commerce should have organised or partnered in organisation of at least five such **big ticket events** during the last 5-years.

4. Broad Role & Responsibilities of organising partner as agreed by PHDCCI are annexed for guidance & reference. In the interest of the events, and based on feedback and mutual discussion with the Event Partner, ISA reserves the right to change/modify the scope and reach of the programme.

5. Interested National or International Chambers of Commerce & Industry/ Associations desirous of partnering ISA for organising the below mentioned Events on the similar TORs and who can offer better services at **no cost to ISA** are welcome to send in their offers along with Chambers' literature and details of such events organised during last 5-years to the following address through Speed Post/Ordinary Post/By hand within **21 days** from the date of appearing of this **advertisement on ISA website**:

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Sl. No.	Event, Dates & Venue	Brief summary of proposal
1	<p>Event: <b>COP 23</b></p> <p>Dates: <b>06-17 November 2017</b></p> <p>Venue: <b>Bonn, Nordrhein-Westfalen, Germany</b></p>	<p>The 23rd session of the Conference of the Parties (COP 23) to the UN Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) will be organized by Fiji and hosted at the headquarters of the UNFCCC Secretariat in Bonn, Germany from 6 - 17 November 2017.</p> <p>International Solar Alliance (ISA) intends to host the following Side Events at “ISA Pavilion” at COP23 on 13<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> November, 2017 to showcase ISA and get some important stakeholders to talk about ISA.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Financing Renewable on 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2017; and</li> <li>2. Curtain Raiser in run up to the Founding Conference of ISA on 15<sup>th</sup> November, 2017</li> </ol> <p><b><u>Events Proposal:</u></b></p> <p>On December 9, 2017, the <b>Founding Conference of the International Solar Alliance (ISA) would be held at Global RE-Invest 2017 India-ISA Partnership Conference &amp; Expo</b>, at Greater Noida (NCR), India, in the presence of Hon’ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi, and H.E. Emmanuel Macron, President of France. A large number of Heads of States/Governments &amp; Ministers from ISA member countries would also witness the Event. Establishment of ISA as a full fledged international inter-governmental legal body to be announced at this event, in the presence of the Heads of States of the ratifying nations.</p> <p>In the run-up to this Founding Conference the ISA proposes a side event each on <b>Financing Renewables</b> and <b>Curtain Raiser event at the ISA Pavilion at CoP23</b>, to be held from 6 – 17 November at Bonn, Germany. Key elements of these two session would be:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Financing Renewables - with representatives from Banking &amp; Financial Institutions and Global Funds, representatives from signatory Member Nations, led by Mr. Anand Kumar, Secretary, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, GoI</li> <li>(ii) Founding Conference Curtain Raiser with official representatives from signatory Member Nations, led by Mr. R.K. Singh, Hon’ble Minister of State (I/C), Power and New and Renewable Energy, GoI (60 min);</li> </ol> <p>Moderated panel discussion on ISA’s Global Programmes: Planning and Implementation, with policymakers, Industry and multilateral agencies (60 min)</p>

		<p>The sessions to be supported by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Ministry of External Affairs and Ministry of New and Renewable Energy of the Government of India. Swiss Re; Climate Parliament shall also to be associated in the above sessions.</p> <p>It is proposed to have an organising partner on behalf of the ISA for the said <b>side events at the ISA Pavilion at CoP23.</b></p>
2.	<p>Event: <b><i>Global RE-INVEST 2017 India-ISA Partnership</i></b></p> <p>Venue: <b>New Delhi/ Greater Noida (NCR)</b></p> <p>Dates: <b>07 – 09 December, 2017</b></p>	<p>Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India is hosting “<b><i>Global RE-INVEST 2017 India-ISA Partnership</i></b>” in partnership with <b>International Solar Alliance (ISA)</b> in New Delhi (NCR) from 07-09 December, 2017.</p> <p>An (ISA) Pavilion is proposed to be set up in partnership with PHD Chamber of Commerce &amp; Industry (PHDCCI) in the “Global RE-INVEST 2017 India-ISA Partnership” Expo over an area of 500 Sq Mts at NO COST TO ISA. The Pavilion will have different Divisions to be set up at the discretion of ISA. Space will be allocated for various programmes launched by ISA; Technical &amp; R&amp;D Institutions; Start-ups; and R&amp;D organizations such as NISE (India) NISE (France), NISE (Australia). R&amp;D Foundations shall also be invited to put up their stalls to showcase new inventions and technologies in the solar energy sector.</p> <p>A dedicated space would be created for B2B meetings where the patent holders and investors would have the opportunity to network and hold one-to-one/delegate level business meetings</p> <p>Invitations would also be extended to Manufacturers of RE equipment, Project developers, Consultancy firms in solar energy sector; Banks &amp; Financial Institutions including investment funds such as Pension, Debt, and Sovereign funds etc.</p> <p>Furthermore, stalls would be constructed for Manufacturers of RE equipment, Project developers, Constancy firms in solar energy sector; Banks &amp; Financial Institutions including investment funds such as Pension, Debt, and Sovereign funds etc.</p> <p>Detailed Role &amp; Responsibilities of organising partner as agreed by PHDCCI are annexed.</p>
3.	<p>Event: <b><i>World Future Energy Summit 2018</i></b></p> <p>Venue: <b>Abu Dhabi</b></p> <p>Dates: <b>15-18 January 2018</b></p>	<p>International Solar Alliance (ISA) would be participating in the World Future Energy Summit (WFES) 2018, being hosted by MASDAR at Abu Dhabi (UAE) from 15<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> January 2018.</p> <p>ISA propose to organize a 2-day Event at WFES 2018 (ISA member countries solar projects investment conference) <b>titled “ISA Investment Forum”</b> (at no financial cost to ISA) unless there is conflict of interest. The idea is to attract banks and non-banking</p>

	<p>financial companies (domestic, foreign, multilateral banks &amp; NBFCs), funds, domestic and global investors to involve and invest in Solar Energy programmes in the ISA member country of their interest.</p> <p>Furthermore, it is proposed to establish an <b>ISA Pavilion</b> over a space upto 500 Sq mts of space at the Expo and have around 20 companies from India and overseas set up their stalls in the Pavilion, depicting solar activities in the member countries and potential available. In addition to setting up “<b>ISA Pavilion</b>”, invitations would be extending to ISA potential member countries; project developers; manufacturers of RE equipment; banks (domestic, foreign, multilateral banks) and global investors to present Commitment Letters over the event RE-INVEST 2015.</p> <p><i>The organising partner Association should be eligible/ entitled to apply to Ministry of Commerce for grant of incentives available under the Market Access Initiative (MDA, MAI) etc.</i></p> <p>Major roles &amp; responsibilities of the Apex Chamber/ Association partnering ISA in organising of this event and setting up ISA Pavilion shall include: mobilizing Exhibitors; extending support and preparation and submission of “<b>Commitment Letters</b>”(CLs) from Financial Institutions (FIs) or Investors or Banks to finance bankable Solar Energy Projects meeting Bank’s financing criteria and also from potential project developers/ companies for development &amp; setting up Solar Energy projects in next 5 years. <i>(These CLs will be presented by these institutions/ organisations to the Senior Dignitary, representing his/her country at the WFES 2018).</i></p> <p>It is proposed to have an International Apex Chamber of Commerce &amp; Industry as organising partner for this Event on the similar terms as agreed by PHDCCI for ISA Pavilion in RE-INVEST 2017.</p>
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