



BPMR Mission: Korea

Industry to Industry Dialogue on Emissions Trading and Market Readiness

September 26-27
COEX Convention & Exhibition Center, Gangnam-Gu
Seoul, Republic of Korea

I. Introduction

In April 2011, the South Korean government released its final draft for an emissions trading system, modeled on the EU ETS that outlines a three-phase program. This program, however, is not limited to a ten-year term of operation. Korea became the first Asian country to pass a national cap-and-trade system when the National Assembly passed this bill on May 2, 2012 almost unanimously. Emissions trading in Korea is scheduled to begin on January 1, 2015. The system was designed to cater towards the opinions of stakeholders and industry, as well as accounting for South Korea's international competitiveness.¹

South Korea is the *first Asian country* to pass a national economy-wide ETS into law, and it is on track to become the second Asian country to implement its national economy-wide ETS.

The B-PMR Mission in Korea will compliment efforts being undertaken by the Ministry of Environment, Korea to prepare Korean industry and market operators for emissions trading.

II. Background

The International Emissions Trading Association (IETA) as a supporter of the global carbon market and a promoter of dialogue and exchanges between various stakeholders commits itself to promoting communication and collaboration between industrial enterprises and government departments over carbon emissions trading issues worldwide. In April 2012, the International Emissions Trading Association held in Beijing a workshop on how industrial enterprises take part in and prepare for carbon emissions trading and produced good results. Following this it launched the "Business Partnership for Market Readiness" (BPMR) and held its 1st BPMR Mission in Guangdong and Shenzhen in February 2013. Details of the BPMR Mission are available here.

¹ "Anthony Mansell and Peter Sopher (2013), South Korea: A Case Study, The World's Carbon Markets, IETA and Environmental Defense Fund"



Main points of the Mission:

- Industry readiness: Improve the understanding and knowledge of Korean industry on the role and function of a GHG emissions trading scheme.
- **Knowledge transfer**: Enhance the ability and skills of Korean industry to participate in the Korean ETS (K-ETS).
- Policy preparation: Assist the competent authorities in Korea to find out how to prepare and develop procedures for participation by industrial emitters of the K-ETS, and to gather their opinions and feedback on industry readiness.

III. Main Elements and Topics

The Dialogue will include the following topics:

- Trading strategies and internal allowance management
- Allowance calculation and offset management
- MRV at the installation level: day-to-day industry best practice for MRV management
- Financial products and trading carbon
- GHG auditing and verification
- Data quality and quality control
- IT tools and GHG trading infrastructure

IV. Schedule and Admin Details

- (1) Time: 2 days; 26-27 September 2013
- (2) Meeting Location: COEX Convention & Exhibition Center, Gangnam-Gu, Seoul
- (3) Organizers: International Emissions Trading Association (IETA)
- (4) Foreign Supporters: International Emissions Trading Association (IETA), British Embassy Seoul
- (5) Local Supporters: Ministry of Environment, Korea
- (6) Simultaneous translation will be provided throughout
- (7) A post-Mission workbook will be developed and put on the IETA website by a media firm or, by the IETA Secretariat.



V. Agenda

September 26, Day One All Day- Seminar

Time	Contents	Speakers		
Opening Remarks				
13:30-13:40	Opening remarks by Minister of Environment, Republic of Korea	TBD		
13:40-13:50	Opening remarks by British Ambassador to the Republic of Korea	British Embassy Seoul		
13:50-14:00	Opening remarks by Ministry of Environment ETS Task Force Republic of Korea	Mr. Boom Sik Yoo, Director ETS Task Force		
14:00-14:10	Opening remarks by President and CEO of IETA	Mr Dirk Forrister		
14:10-14:45	Introduction of Korea ETS	Ministry of Environment, Republic of Korea		
14:45-15:00	Discussion & Tea Break			
15:00-15:25	ETS Readiness: How firms prepare for and thrive in a CO2-capped environment? Including	Roon Osman, Shell Trading		
(Examples and	Theme 1: Preparing for and participating in an ETS best practices from European companies that prepared for and pa	articipate in the FU FTS)		
13.00 13.23		Trading Abyd Karmali, Bank of		
15:25-15:45	ETS Compliance: Rules and Policies that UK and EU Operators Follow	America Merrill Lynch		
15:45-16:00	Discussion & Tea Break			
16:00-16:45	All about Allowances: How to manage, surrender, and capitalize	Richard Chatterton, Bloomberg New Energy Finance (tbc)		
	Theme 2: The ETS Life Cycle			
16:45-17:05	EU ETS Reporting and Monitoring Guidelines: What is it and why is it important?	Robert Hansor, LRQA		
17:05-17:45	Carbon Asset and Carbon Offset Management: Experience sharing and best practices	Eric Boonman, Statkraft		
17:45-18:30	Case Study: Consultants and Service Providers to the Carbon Market	Changmin Yoo, PwC (tbc)		
18:30-20:30	Reception with the British Embassy Seoul. Location: COEX			



September 27, Day Two Morning - Seminar

Time	Contents	Speakers				
8:30-9:00	Summary and Wrap Up Discussion of Day One	IETA				
	Theme 3: ETS Infrastructure					
9:00-10:00	The Exchange: How carbon is traded on an Exchange and in the	Manuel Moeller,				
	OTC Market	European Energy				
		Exchange AG (EEX)				
10:00-11:00	The Registry: How carbon is stored on a Registry and how it	Andy Kruger, Markit				
		Environmental Registry &				
	functions	Auction				
11:00-11:20	Discussion & Tea Break					
	Theme 4: Operational impacts					
11:20-12:00	The substantial impacts of ETS to the operation and development	TBD				
11.20-12.00	of enterprises in the EU: what you need to know					
		Lloyd Vas, (Carbon				
12:00-12:40	Pacific Rim Carbon Markets: Insights and Experiences from direct	Market Institute), Roon				
12.00-12.40	participants in the Californian and Australian carbon markets	Osman (Shell), Julie				
		Mulkerin (Chevron)				
12:40-13:00	Discussion					
13:00-14:30	Lunch					

September 27, Day Two Afternoon—Break Out Groups

Theme 5: Sector Break Out Groups: ETS experience sharing & In-depth discussions				
	Group A: Industry:			
	Speaker(s): Julie Mulkerin, Chevron and Jason Lee, Solvay Energy Services			
	Group B: Industry			
14:30 – 16:15	Speaker(s): Roon Osman, Shell Trading and Giles Dickson, Alstom			
	Group C: Infrastructure			
	Speaker(s): Manuel Moeller, European Energy Exchange AG (EEX) and Andy Kruger, Markit			
	Environmental Registry & Auction			
	Group D: Finance			
	Speaker(s): Abyd Karmali, Bank of America Merrill Lynch and Eric Boonman, Statkraft			
	Group E: MRV			
	Speaker(s): Robin Wang (tbc), Bureau Veritas and Hee-Jeong Yim, LRQA			
16:15 – 16:45	Discussion & Tea Break			



16:45-17:15	Energy consumption and emission management experiences from the EU ETS	EcoEye	
17:15-17:45	Domestic Offset Systems: Case Studies and Examples on how offset credits are used around the world	David Antonioli, VCS	
17:45-18:15	Experience sharing on broader issues dealing with EU ETS and overlapping policies	Giles Dickson, Alstom	
18:15-18:30	Summary of B-PMR Mission and Closing Statement	IETA	
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