

**Invitation to  
Roundtable Discussion on  
Energy Transition in India?  
Exploring the German Energiewende**

**Venue: India Habitat Centre**  
Lodhi Road, New Delhi 110003, Room Casuarina

**Friday, March 7, 2014 from 10:00 - 13:00**

Energiewende (German for 'energy transition') is currently one of the most ambitious concepts for transforming a country's energy system from a fossil fuel basis towards renewable sources. Germany has over the past years designed policies on the reduction of fossil fuel use, climate protection, a phase-out of nuclear power and the scale-up of renewable energies for a sustainable development of its energy regime. The final goal is the full electricity shift towards renewable energy sources supported by energy efficiency while ensuring energy security for the economy, creating green jobs and reducing greenhouse gas emissions.

Heinrich Boell Foundation (HBF) and Centre for Environment Education (CEE) are delighted to invite you to a roundtable discussion with different stakeholders on the various technology options and policy measures for renewable energy and energy efficiency as well as their implications in India. These roundtable discussions will take place in Kolkata, Bangalore, Pune, Ahmedabad and Delhi.

We look forward to your presence at this discussion.

**Agenda**

Time	Session	Moderation and Input
10.00 - 10.15	Welcome	Kartikeya Sarabhai, CEE Axel Harneit-Sievers, HBF
10.15 - 11.15	Understanding the Energiewende concept	Rebecca Bertram, Heinrich Boell Foundation
11.30 - 12.45	Energiewende for India? Comments and Discussion	Moderation: Kartikeya Sarabhai, CEE
12.45 - 13.00	Conclusions and Closing	Heinrich Boell Foundation and CEE
13.00	Lunch	