

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
THE MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA
AND
THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY AND MINERAL RESOURCES
OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA
ON
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY COOPERATION

The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy of the Republic of India and the Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources of the Republic of Indonesia, hereinafter referred to singularly as "The Party" and collectively as "The Parties"

DESIRING to strengthen the cooperation between The Parties with the aim of developing new and renewable energy technologies;

REFERRING to the Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Indonesia and the Government of the Republic of India Concerning Technical and Scientific Cooperation, signed in Jakarta on 10 February 1982;

PURSUANT to the prevailing laws and regulations of their respective countries;

HAVE REACHED the following understanding:

Article I
OBJECTIVE

The objective of this Memorandum of Understanding is to establish the basis for a cooperative institutional relationship to encourage and promote technical bilateral cooperation on new and renewable energy issues on the basis of mutual benefit, equality and reciprocity.

Article II
AREAS OF COOPERATION

Cooperation under this Memorandum of Understanding may include the following:

1. Capacity building;
2. Exchange of scientific and technological information and data;
3. Transfer of technology on non-commercial basis;

4. Development of joint research or technical projects on subjects of mutual interest;
5. Encouragement and promotion of investment;
6. Encouragement of policy dialogue; and
7. Other areas as may be agreed upon by the Parties.

Article III EXECUTING INSTITUTION

Executing Institutions for this cooperation shall be:

1. The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy of the Republic of India; and
2. For the Ministry of Energy and Mineral Resources of the Republic of Indonesia: the Directorate General of New, Renewable Energy and Energy Conservation.

Article IV WORKING GROUP

1. For the purpose of discussion and implementation of various issues pertaining to this Memorandum of Understanding, the Parties may set up a Joint Working Group. The Joint Working Group will elaborate cooperation under this Memorandum of Understanding.
2. The Joint Working Group, consisting of the representatives of the Parties, may meet periodically on mutually determined dates by the Parties alternately in Indonesia and India. Each Party will cover its own expenses relating to its participation in the meetings of the Joint Working Group.

Article V PARTICIPATION OF THIRD PARTIES

When it is considered essential, and by mutual agreement of the Parties, the Joint Working Group may invite the participation of third parties from scientific institution, research centers, universities or any other entity for assisting the implementation of this Memorandum of Understanding.

Article VI CONFIDENTIALITY

1. Each Party shall treat all documents, information and other data exchanged, received or supplied directly or indirectly to the other Party under this Memorandum of Understanding or any other agreements made pursuant to this Memorandum of Understanding as confidential, unless agreed otherwise in writing by the Parties.