

JOINT STATEMENT OF INTENT
BETWEEN THE
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
AND THE
MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES
OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA

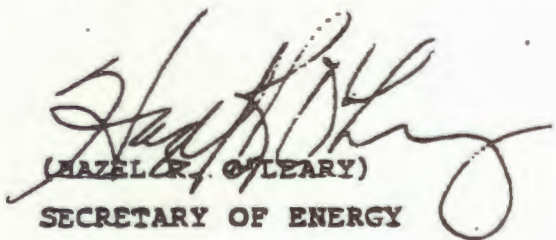
The Department of Energy of the United States of America and the Ministry of Non-conventional Energy Sources of the Republic of India (The "Energy Agencies") have reached general agreement on the following elements which they intend to include in an Implementing Arrangement which will be subject to the Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of India on Cooperation in Science and Technology, which is currently under negotiation. This proposed Implementing Arrangement provides for cooperation in the field of renewable energy and will be finalized upon entry into force of the aforementioned US-India Science and Technology Agreement:

1. The Energy Agencies intend to facilitate and establish cooperative activities in the field of renewable energy research, development and commercialization that are of programmatic benefit to the Energy Agencies; such activities are to be conducted on the basis of mutual benefit to the two countries, equality and reciprocity;
2. Cooperation in accordance with the proposed Implementing Arrangement may include exchange of personnel, samples, materials, instruments and components for testing, and scientific and technical information, as well as the organization of and participation in seminars and projects and such other specific forms of cooperation as may be mutually agreed by the energy agencies;
3. The energy agencies intend to establish a Joint Committee on Scientific Cooperation in Renewable Energy (Joint Committee), to meet alternately in the United States and India; this Joint Committee is to plan and coordinate cooperation in renewable energy;
4. If the Co-Chairmen of the Joint Committee decide that a joint project shall be established under the proposed Implementing Arrangement, a project agreement shall be executed which shall include detailed provisions for carrying out the joint project to which it applies and cover such matters as technical scope, exchange of proprietary information, patents, project management, exchange of equipment, and personnel, total costs, cost sharing, and project schedule;
5. Any exchange of personnel shall be mutually agreed in advance by the Energy Agencies through an exchange of letters and, in each case, the Energy Agencies shall ensure the selection of adequate personnel with

6. The Energy Agencies recognize that implementation of any renewable energy activities will be pursuant to the Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of India on Cooperation in Science and Technology, under negotiation, and of a renewable energy Implementing Arrangement between the Participants.

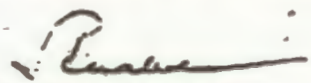
Signed in duplicate at New Delhi, India, this 13th day of July, 1994.

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