



2nd India – CLMV Business Conclave
“ASEAN-India Economic Engagement: The Way Forward”
11-12 December 2014 : Taj Palace Hotel, New Delhi

PROGRAMME OUTLINE

- **Overseas participants** – Ministers, Senior Government Officials and Business Delegation from CLMV countries
- **Indian participants** – Participation of Ministers, Industry members, Media, Financial institutions, Research organisations, etc.

DAY ONE: THURSDAY, 11 DECEMBER 2014

0930 – 1030 hrs	Registration & Networking
1030 – 1145 hrs	<p>Inaugural Session – ‘ASEAN – India Economic Engagement; The Way Forward’</p> <p><i>The CLMV countries are an integral part of the ASEAN region, covering 32% of geographical area of the ASEAN region, and account for around 9% of ASEAN’s economy. These countries have been undergoing economic transition from central planning to market economy, from inward-looking to outward looking economic development strategies and policies. The CLMV economies, which are considered among the fastest growing economies in the region, are primarily agrarian based, and have enjoyed a certain degree of macroeconomic stability in recent years, with a vast potential for future developments.</i></p> <p><i>(Ministers from CLMV countries can give comments on opportunities for Business Partnerships)</i></p>
1145 – 1200 hrs	Tea Break
1200 - 1330 hrs	<p>Plenary Session I – ‘Enhancing Bilateral Trade; Bridging the Gaps’</p> <p><i>India’s total trade with the CLMV countries amounts to US \$ 10.51 Billion as of 2013-14, which is 14% of India’s total trade with ASEAN. Vietnam is the largest trading partner with US \$ 8.03 Billion of bilateral trade in 2013-14 and Myanmar is second largest trading partner of India with US \$ 2.18 billion worth bilateral trade in 2013-14. India’s Look East Policy, has helped it to become a strategic partner. Both regions have growth potential which can be enhanced with facilitation.</i></p> <p><i>(Representatives from CLMV countries can talk on ways of facilitating bilateral trade by their countries)</i></p>
1330 – 1430 hrs	Networking Lunch
1430 – 1600 hrs	<p>Plenary Session II - ‘Made in India – Make in India; The Two Way Connect’</p> <p><i>India with its proven capacity and experience can play an important role in the growth of CLMV countries by supporting investment in manufacturing, services and agriculture and promoting inter-regional trade. The CLMV region abounds in natural resources and offers huge opportunities for Indian enterprises for business. Make in India - launched recently by the Prime Minister of India further opens up opportunities for investments.</i></p>



	<i>(Representatives from CLMV countries can talk on sectors in focus and opportunities in multilateral funded projects and steps taken to ease market access)</i>
1600 – 1700 hrs Parallel Session	Focus Country Session on Lao and Myanmar <i>Speakers from Laos and Myanmar can talk on ease of doing business in their country.</i>
1700 - 1800 hrs	B-to-B and B-to-G Meetings (pre-arranged)
1830 hrs	Networking Reception & Dinner

DAY TWO: FRIDAY, 12 DECEMBER 2014

0930 – 1030 hrs Parallel Session	Focus Country Session on Cambodia & Vietnam <i>Speakers from Cambodia and Vietnam can talk on ease of doing business in their country.</i>
1030 – 1200 hrs	Plenary Session III – Partnering CLMV in Strengthening their Services Sector (Education, ICT, Skill Development, Tourism) <i>India has signed the free trade agreement (FTA) in services and investments with ASEAN paving the way for freer movement of professionals and further opening opportunities for investments. India can leverage its strengths in services sector to empower youth from CLMV countries across the spectrum of higher education, skill development and vocational training, oriented to trade and technological advancement</i> <i>(Representatives from CLMV countries can talk on requirements and opportunities in their countries in skills, vocational training, education)</i>
1200 - 1300 hrs	Presentation on Conclave Outcome Valedictory Session
1300 – 1400 hrs	Lunch
1400 – 1600 hrs	B-to-B and B-to-G Meetings (pre-arranged) “India – Vietnam Business Forum”
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