

APEC Peer Review on Energy Efficiency (PREE) in Thailand

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Thailand's PREE process (I)

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Thailand's PREE process (III)

Activities

- 9 November (Monday)
- Meeting with Ministry of Energy (MOEN)
- Overview on energy situation and energy policy
- Policy and Framework of Energy Conservation
 - National Energy Policy Committee: Roles and Responsibilities
 - □ Energy Conservation Promotion Act
 - Energy Conservation Promotion Fund (ENCON)
- Energy Conservation Program Phase 3 (Revised:2008-2011)
 - □ Target of Each Sector- Industry, Transport and Residential
 - □ Brief Review on Each Sector's Programs

Thailand's PREE process (IV)

Activities

- Meeting with the Energy Policy and Planning Office(EPPO)
 - Brief Overview of EPPO;
 - EPPO's roles in Energy Efficiency;
 - Energy Efficiency Programs supported by the ENCON Fund

10 November (Tuesday)

- ➤ Meeting with Department of Alternative Energy Development and Efficiency (DEDE)
- Brief Overview of DEDE;
- Energy Efficiency Target and Conceptual Framework; and
- Energy Efficiency Programs for Industrial Sector.

Thailand's PREE process (V)

Activities

- Meeting with stakeholders (The Federation of Thai Industries, Thai Chamber of Commerce, ESCOs; and Commercial Banks)
- 11 November 2009 (Wednesday)
- Visit PTT Research Facility and DEDE Training Facility
- 12 November 2009 (Thursday)
- Meeting with Electricity Generating Authority of Thailand (EGAT)
- Visit Lee KijchareonSeang Co., Ltd, T5 compact fluorescent light bulb (CFL) manufacturer



Thailand's PREE process (VI)

Activities

- 13 November 2009 (Friday)
- ➤ Attend the launching of Thailand Energy Day 2009 Program
- Meeting with the Vice Minister of MoEN and senior officials of MoEN
- Present the preliminary report with recommendations
- Discuss the preliminary report

Outline

- 1. Institutional Context
- 2. Energy Efficiency Goals and Strategy
- 3. Energy Data Collection and Monitoring
- 4. Policy Measures-Sectoral Analysis: Industry, Electricity, Transport and Residential & Commercial Sector
- 5. Appliances and Equipments
- 6. Energy Efficiency Related R&D

Major Elements of EE&C in Thailand

1.EE&C Policy Framework and Institution

- The Energy Conservation Promotion Act
- □The Energy Conservation Promotion Fund (ENCON Fund) has been established under the Act to promote energy efficiency and conservation efforts by providing financial assistance
- Ministry of Energy (MoEN)
- □ Energy Policy and Planning Office (EPPO);
- □ Department of Alternative Energy Development and Efficiency (DEDE);
- □ Electricity Generating Authority of Thailand (EGAT); and
- □PTT Public Company Limited (PTT)

Major Elements of Thailand's EE&C

2. Programs and Projects on EE&C

- Energy Conservation Program, Phase 3 revised (2008-2011)
- □EE programs cover Industrial, Transportation and Household/ Business/ Government Sectors.

ENCON Program, Phase 3	Projected Energy Demand in 2011 (ktoe)		Saving Target		
(2008-2011)	Business-As- Usual Case	With ENCON Plan	ktoe	%	
Energy Efficiency Improvement Programs	80,331	72,511	7,820	10.8	
(1) Industrial Sector	31,847	28,658	3,190	4.4	
(2) Transportation Sector	28,781	25,367	3,413	4.7	
(3) DSM – Household/ Business/ Government Sectors	19,704	18,486	1,217	1.7	1

Major Findings

- □ Energy efficiency improvement and conservation (EE&C) is the central element of Thailand's energy policy;
- □ A sound policy framework and institution is in place to promote EE&C efforts;
- □ Successful implementation of EE&C programs in the industrial, commercial and residential sectors;
- ☐ The economy having difficulties to improve energy efficiency in the transportation sector; and
- □ Roles and responsibilities of agencies involved in EE&C efforts need some refinement to avoid overlaps₁₂ and redundancy.

The PREE Team provides a total of 34 recommendations in the draft report

Institutional Context:

- ☐ Intensify more close cooperation among governmental agencies to achieve wider EE goals; and
- ☐ Clarify and strengthen the role of Energy Policy and Planning Office (EPPO).

EE Goals and Strategy:

- ☐ Establish sub-sectoral EE goals and action plan to support the existing overall and sectoral EE goals;
- ☐ Strengthen the monitoring and evaluation of EE programs;
- ☐ Stimulate more private sector investments in EE efforts; and
- □Increase support on the development of energy management system.

Energy Data Collection and Monitoring:

- Carry out a comprehensive evaluation on the sectoral and overall achievements of the national EE target;
 - Authorize an independent government office (e.g. Statistical Bureau) to produce consolidated energy data covering all energy sources including electricity; and
 - ☐ Edit and publish as a synthesized report the feedback report of energy management of the designated users under the Act.

Industrial Sector (1):

- ☐ Establish 1) a mandatory target for a percentage reduction, in energy consumption or energy intensity or 2) the implementation of recommended measures with a pay back period of less than a certain period;
- □ Continue as far as possible the revolving fund for industrial EE&C efforts until they reach more sustainable levels;

Industrial Sector (2):

- ☐ Design and implement a strategy to provide information and technical support for the local manufacture of energy efficient equipment; and
- □ Extend tax benefits to companies implementing EE&C measures in their own installations/premises to encourage more companies to undertake EE&C measures

Electricity Sector:

The recommendations are:

- ☐ Continue the Demand-Side Management (DSM) programs to further improve electrical load management and to save electricity; and
- ☐ Continue to improve the T&D network system to reduce the losses up to 3% 5% to match the international standards as well as power quality improvement by 2011.

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Commercial and Residential Sector (1):

- □ Expand the existing EE programs for the residential sector to achieve higher energy savings;
- □ Increase the existing commercial building energy codes every 3 years;
- □ Enact regulations to make Building Labels mandatory for new buildings;

Commercial and Residential Sector (2):

- ☐ Improve fiscal incentives for building EE improvement efforts;
- □ Adopt the "Lead by Example" concept to promote EE in government buildings.

Transport Sector (1):

- ☐ Develop fuel economy programs;
- □ Develop a comprehensive transport development plan that covers all modes;
- □ Study and introduce many demand management measures;

Transport Sector (2):

- □ Develop an integrated transport system in Bangkok City;
- ☐ Increase car driving cost in comparison with the public transit fare; and
- □ Develop rail (MRT & railways) as backbone of national transport system.

Appliances and equipment (1):

- The recommendations are:
- □ Expedite and prioritise the implementation of MEPS for 50 products to meet the schedule, by 2011;
- ☐ Monitor continuously the progress of appliances and equipment market transformation through market research and sales data analysis and evaluation;
- ☐ Design and implement programs such as a trade-in to accelerate the withdrawal of inefficient appliances and equipment; and



Appliances and equipment (2):

The recommendations are:

□ Promote the market penetration of high efficient appliances and equipment by mandatory energy performance labeling (MEPL).

Energy Efficiency-Related R&D:

- ☐ Establish an energy efficiency R&D roadmap under the current energy efficiency improvement programs;
- □ Assess and coordinate the needs for energy efficiency R&D funding; and
- ☐ Promote greater private sector involvement in energy efficiency R&D efforts through tie-ups such as industry-academia, industry-state enterprises.





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