



Panel 1: AET (De-risking Energy Supply Workshop)

2-4 June 2025, Joy Nostal Hotel & Suites Manila

Monday, 2 June 2025

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TIME	AGENDA	SPEAKER
7:30 - 8:00 am	Registration	
8:00 - 8:15 am	Welcome remarks	Cindy Tiangco, Director, ADB
8:15 - 8:30 am	Opening remarks	Keiju Mitsuhashi, Director, ADB
8:30 - 8:45 am	Opening remarks	Gordon Chang, Executive Director, Pacific Power Association
8:45 - 9:00 am	Keynote address	Rafael Abbasov, Senior Energy Specialist, ADB
9:00 - 9:15 am	Workshop agenda and objectives	Rohan Jadhav, Director, Crisil
9:15 - 9:30 am	Photo break	--
9:30 - 10:00 am	Coffee break	
10:00 - 12:30 pm	10-minute, high-level presentation by each country: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Issues, challenges in de-risking energy supply (risks related to fuel-currency-macro finance, clean energy transition challenges related to enabling frameworks-private sector participation-capacity gaps) Expectations from the workshop 	DMC representatives
12:30 - 1:30 pm	Lunch break	
TIME	AGENDA	SPEAKER
1:30 – 2:30 pm	Theme 1: Enhancing Macro-Financial resilience of Pacific economies	
	Presentation (15 mins): Regional context setting Q&A (5 mins)	Rohan Jadhav, Director, Crisil
	Presentation (15 mins): Donor agency perspective on Pacific economies Q&A (5 mins)	Economist from Donor agency (TBC)
	Presentation (15 mins): Best practice from the region Q&A (5 mins)	MOF representative of a DMC (TBC)
	Theme 2: Strengthening Energy sector resilience of Pacific countries	
2:30 - 3:00 pm	Presentation (15 mins): Regional context setting	Rohan Jadhav, Director, Crisil
	Presentation (15 mins): Best practice from the region: Energy sector governance	MOE representative of a DMC (TBC)
3:00 - 3:15 pm	Coffee break	
3:15 - 4:15 pm	Presentation (15 mins): Enhancing capability of Utilities to undertake clean energy projects	Gordon Chang, Executive Director, Pacific Power Association
	Presentation (15 mins): Best practice from the region: Utility performance	Utility representative of a DMC (TBC)
	Presentation (15 mins): Regulatory best practice from the region	Regulator representative of a DMC (TBC)

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	Q&A (15 mins)	--
4:15 - 4:30 pm	Summary and wrap up	Crisil
6:00 - 8:00 pm	Networking Dinner (Hosted by ADB)	

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TIME	AGENDA	SPEAKER
7:30 - 8:00 am	Registration	
8:00 - 8:15 am	Recap of Day 1 and Objectives for Day 2	Crisil
	Theme 3: Optimizing fuel sourcing	
8:15 - 10:00 am	Presentation (15 mins): Regional context setting Q&A (5 mins)	Rohan Jadhav, Director, Crisil
	Experience sharing (15 mins): Practical challenges in fuel sourcing Q&A (5 mins)	Kiribati Oil Company Ltd representative (TBC)
	Experience sharing (15 mins): Managing financial implications of fuel sourcing in Maldives Q&A (5 mins)	MOF Maldives (TBC)
	Presentation (15 mins): Fuel sourcing best practices adopted in Pacific Q&A (5 mins)	Envisory (TBC)
	Presentation (15 mins): Emerging issues in international fuel market Q&A (5 mins)	S&P Global (TBC)
10:00 - 10:30 am	Coffee break	
10:30 - 12:30 pm	Theme 4: Innovative financial instruments	
	Experience sharing (15 mins): Implementing fuel hedging in Fiji Q&A (5 mins)	Fatiaki Gibson, CEO, EFL Fiji (TBC)
	Presentation (15 mins): Innovative financial instruments for energy supply de-risking Q&A (5 mins)	Investment Bank (TBC)
	Group activity (90 mins): Assessing implications for de-risking energy supply DMC participants are divided in 3 groups according to resilience of the countries to external macro events: High resilience Medium resilience Low resilience Group members discuss and present their key takeaways to implement solutions at the sub-regional level Discussion time: 30 mins	DMC representatives

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	Presentation time: 15 mins (each group) Q&A: 5 mins (each group)	
12:30 - 1:30 pm	Lunch break (Venue: TBC)	
TIME	AGENDA	SPEAKER
1:30 – 2:30 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summarizing key findings and gaps • Capacity challenges • Risk factors • Mitigation strategies • Recommendations 	Rohan Jadhav, Director, Crisil
2:30 - 2:45 pm	Coffee break	
2:45 - 4:15 pm	Finalizing 3 countries for detailed assessment and action planning	DMC representatives
4:15 - 4:30 pm	Summary and wrap up	(TBC)

Wednesday, 4 June 2025

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7:30 - 8:00 am	Registration	
8:00 - 8:15 am	Opening remarks	TBC
8:15 - 8:45 am	Recap of Day 1 & Day 2	Rohan Jadhav, Director, Crisil
8:45 - 10:15 am	Presentation on regional scale up of energy supply de-risking solutions <u>Group 1:</u> Presentation time: 30 mins Q&A: 15 mins <u>Group 2:</u> Presentation time: 30 mins Q&A: 15 mins	DMC representatives
10:15 - 10:45 am	Coffee break	
10:45 - 11:30 pm	<u>Group 3:</u> Presentation time: 30 mins Q&A: 15 mins	DMC representatives
11:30 - 12:30 pm	Closing Remark and Wrap up	(TBC)
12:30 - 1:30 pm	Lunch (Venue: TBC)	



Panel 2: OPERA Technical Workshop
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TIME	AGENDA	SPEAKER
7:30 - 8:00 am	Registration	
8:00 - 8:30 am	Opening remarks	(TBC)
8:30 - 10:30 am	OPERA member countries (5 minutes each) on regulation reforms, key developments, challenges and risks	OPERA members
10:30 - 11:00 am	Coffee Break	
11:00 - 12:30 pm	Panel 1: OPERA members' discussion	
	Discussion agenda - governance framework, SPC MOU and membership fees	Lead by SPC
12:30 - 1:30 pm	Lunch	
TIME	AGENDA	
1:30 - 2:30 pm	(Theme/context)	
	Detail topic/discussion	Joel/Stewart
2:30 - 2:45 pm	Coffee Break	
2:45 - 4:15 pm	(Theme/context)	
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4:15 - 4:30 pm	Summary and wrap up	(TBC)
6:00 - 8:00 pm	Networking Dinner (Hosted by ADB)	

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10:30 - 11:00 am	Coffee break	
11:00 - 12:30 pm	Way forward	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finalizing 3 countries for detailed assessment and action planning 	Rohan Jadhav
12:30 - 12:45 pm	Closing Remark	(TBC)
12:45 - 1:30 pm	Lunch	



Panel 3: PRISM Dashboard Capacity Building

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7:30 - 8:00 am	Registration	
8:00 - 8:30 am	Opening remarks	TBC
8:30 - 10:30 am	Presentation on updates to PRISM since trainings in March 2025. Content covered will include any new features developed under Phase 1, bugs that have been fixed or still need to be fixed, and any features already developed under Phase 2. Participants will continue to have live access to PRISM throughout the session so they can test and be trained on any new features they are not familiar with.	Denzel Hankison/Abraham Simpson/Eugene Singh
10:30 - 11:00 am	Coffee Break	
11:00 - 12:30 pm	Practical Uses of AI and PRISM	
	Presentation of how PPA members can use PRISM, in conjunction with publicly available AI tools to generate a range of reports for internal or external consumption. Consultants will demonstrate how they used AI to produce the 2022 and 2023 PPA Benchmarking Reports.	Denzel Hankison/Abraham Simpson/Eugene Singh
12:30 - 1:30 pm	Lunch	
TIME	AGENDA	SPEAKER
1:30 - 2:30 pm	AI-PRISM Use Cases	
	PPA members will be divided into breakout groups and given assignments which require the use of PRISM in conjunction with publicly available AI tools.	Denzel Hankison/Abraham Simpson/Eugene Singh
2:30 - 2:45 pm	Coffee Break	
2:45 - 4:15 pm	AI Use Cases (Continued)	
	PPA members will continue work on their use cases, for preparation to the larger group on the following day's session.	Denzel Hankison/Abraham Simpson/Eugene Singh
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8:30 - 10:30 am	AI Use Cases--Presentations	
	Presentation of use cases: Breakout groups will present how they used PRISM in conjunction with publicly available AI tools to generate the reports and/or analysis in their use cases.	Denzel Hankison/Abraham Simpson/Eugene Singh
10:30 - 11:00 am	Coffee Break	
11:00 - 12:30 pm	Commercial Models for PRISM	
	Discussion of commercial models which will ensure the financial sustainability for PRISM at PPA. Consultants will present various options including subscriptions for non-PPA members or associate members, donor funding for ongoing support and maintenance, or other models which rely on sales of knowledge products produced by PPA using PRISM and AI tools.	Denzel Hankison/Abraham Simpson/Eugene Singh
12:30 - 1:30 pm	Lunch	
TIME	SPEAKER	
1:30 – 2:30 pm	Next Steps for PRISM	
	Discussion of features planned for the remainder of Phase 2, and any future features desired as part of ongoing technical support beyond Phase 2	Denzel Hankison/Abraham Simpson/Eugene Singh
2:30 - 2:45 pm	Coffee Break	
2:45 - 4:15 pm	PRISM Open House	
	The meeting will be opened up to other participants at ACEF who may be interested in PRISM. 1-2 breakout groups will be asked (on a volunteer basis) to present their use cases and the results.	Denzel Hankison/Abraham Simpson/Eugene Singh
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