



SAARC Energy Centre
Islamabad

Provisional Agenda

Video Conference on

“Assessment of Pipelines as Preferred Mode of Movement of Crude / Oil Products Within SAARC Member States”

Monday, 31st August, 2020

1200-1205	Introduction (Tula Ram Poudel, Research Fellow (Energy Trade), SEC)
1205-1215	Opening Remarks by Director SAARC Energy Center
1215-1240	Introduction to Pipelines: Global and SAARC Member Countries (Pinal Mehta, Associate Director, CRISIL)
1240-1250	Q&A
1250-1315	Demand – Supply Scenario of POL products in SAARC Member Countries (Ashutosh Pathania, Senior Research Analyst, CRISIL)
1315-1325	Q&A
1325-13:45	Designing and Construction of Crude Oil and POL Pipelines (Sharad V Naik, Process Consultant, Free Lancer)
1345- 1355	Q&A
1355-1415	Implementation and Operation POL Pipelines (Prerna Agarwal, Research Analyst, CRISIL)
1415-1425	Q&A
1425-1445	Planning, Construction and Operational Issues and Challenges of Nepal-India Cross Border Petroleum Pipeline Project (Pradip Yadav, Project Manager, Cross-Border Pipeline Project, Nepal Oil Corporation)
1445-1455	Q&A
1455-1500	Conclusion
1500-1505	Closing Remarks by Director SAARC Energy Center

Information for the participants:

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