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# 18<sup>th</sup> Environment and Energy Conclave

Sustainability in Viksit Bharat – Collaborations and  
Implementations with Financial Models and  
Technology Adaptations



**4<sup>th</sup> September 2025**



**India Habitat Centre, New Delhi**

The Bengal Chamber of Commerce and Industry (BCC&I), India's oldest institute of its kind dating its origins back to 1833, is presenting the **18<sup>th</sup> Environment and Energy Conclave on 4<sup>th</sup> September 2025** at **India Habitat Centre in New Delhi**. The theme, this year, is ***Sustainability in Viksit Bharat- Collaborations and Implementations with Financial Models and Technology Adaptations***.

## The Conclave will feature:



**Awards**



**Seminar**



**Leadership Addresses**



**Business and Policy Roundtables**



**Digital Exhibition**



**B2B Meetings**





## Awards on Energy Efficiency and Resource Utilisation

A Pan India Award on Energy Efficiency and Resource Utilisation.

**Energy efficiency is called the “first fuel” in clean energy transitions**, as it provides some of the quickest and most cost-effective CO<sub>2</sub> mitigation options— as reported by International Energy Agency<sup>1</sup>. **Resource Efficiency and Energy Efficiency offers a powerful and cost-effective tool for achieving a sustainable future.**

India is actively pursuing energy efficiency and resource utilization as a key strategy for sustainable development, with government initiatives, technological advancements, and increasing awareness contributing to significant energy savings and reduced environmental impact.



## Seminar on Sustainability in Viksit Bharat- Collaborations and Implementations with Financial Models and Technology Adaptations

Sustainability is at the core of the Viksit Bharat Vision. Niti Aayog has reported that bold reforms, sustainable energy strategies and leadership role in global trade would be the key to achieve Viksit Bharat by 2047.

India's Viksit Bharat is a vision for 2047 making her a developed nation with economic growth, environmental sustainability, social progress and good governance.

To ensure long-term growth, the adoption of sustainable practices is critical. Role of energy, being the backbone of development, is crucial in Viksit Bharat Vision powering economic activities, standards of living and also balancing environmental sustainability. With a goal to decarbonise 50% of the energy mix and achieve 500 GW of non-fossil generating capacity, it is transformative stage in India's environmental leadership.

India is also at the forefront of Net Zero Targets. Climate justice is emerging as an significant goal for the Country to keep pace with economic growth with inclusive approach.

Environment resilient infrastructure, renewable energy integration, water and resource conservation, building sustainability communities are all part of India's sustainable pathway to Viksit Bharat.

Towards attaining Sustainability in Viksit Bharat, finance will play an important role. India's total financial requirement for achieving the Net Zero Goal by 2070 was estimated at \$10.1 trillion. According to the IEA and IFC, India needed \$253 to \$263 billion for clean energy investments between 2026 and 2030, while the current available investment was only \$44 billion per year.

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.iea.org/energy-system/energy-efficiency-and-demand/energy-efficiency>



Technology is all pervasive now with digital transformations taking accelerated pace in all sectors across the globe. Sustainable practices are also not beyond the domain of technology adaptation. Digital innovations are reshaping processes and practices.



## The Seminar will feature discussions on:

**Multistakeholders' approach to Sustainability in Viksit Bharat**

**Energy Security in Viksit Bharat**

**2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development - Collaborations and Partnerships**

**Financial Models and Technology Adaptations**



## Leadership Addresses

Thought Leaders from Business, Governance, Diplomacy Academia, Think Tanks will be invited to deliver Leadership Addresses on India's Role in Global Sustainability .



## Business and Policy Roundtables

Curated Round tables for business collaborations and policy dialogues will be created to add value in possible collaborations, regulations and compliances in the realm of Sustainability.



## Digital Exhibition

Digital kiosks will be made for B2B facilitations.



## B2B Meetings

B2B Meetings will be facilitated at the sidelines of the Conclave

## Archive of the last 17th editions are available here

<https://bengalchamber.com/environment-and-energy-conclave.html>

## The booklet of on the last 17th editions are available here

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# About BCC&I

BCC&I is into a plethora of activities now including projects, research, summits, trade fairs ranging from Manufacturing to Fiscal Affairs, IT to Agriculture, Logistics to Finance, Education to Skills & Jobs, Energy to Sustainability & Resilience, Entrepreneurship to Incubation and also areas like Carbon offsetting, Livelihoods, Local Economic Development – areas which we believe we can and should try to make a change in apart from undertaking regular activities as a Chamber of Commerce. Our commitment is in creating lasting platforms for catalyzing businesses and generating livelihoods, promoting innovations and expanding B2B, B2G and B2C connects. The signature programmes of BCC&I spans across the Country including Delhi, Mumbai, Bengaluru, Hyderabad, Pune, Andaman, Bhubaneswar among others and abroad including Bangkok, London and Chittagong.

BCC&I has also set up its office in New Delhi since April 2024 to regularize the Chamber's engagements in the National Capital Region (NCR).

For close to two decades, BCC&I is providing leading forum towards Climate Change mitigations. It was perhaps the only Chamber of Commerce from India to have been invited to COP26 in Glasgow in November 2021. It presented a 90 minutes Session on 'Accelerating Electric Mobility with green jobs and gender parity'.



Glimpses of the **17th Environment & Energy Conclave**,  
held on **13th September 2024** at **India Habitat Centre, New Delhi**



**Shri Ghanshyam Prasad**, Chairperson, CEA during his address on Power Sector Roadmap in India



Address by **Shri S. Suresh Kumar, IAS**, Chairman, Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC)



Session on Global Collaborations and Innovative Funding for a lower-carbon future featuring **Dr. Vibha Dhawan**, Director General, TERI, **Mr. Andreas Schei**, Counsellor for Climate and Environment, Royal Norwegian Embassy in New Delhi, **Mr. Anup Bhargava**, Chief Strategy Officer, ISGEC Heavy Engineering Limited, **Mr. Franck Vault**, Minister-Counsellor, Head of Cooperation, Delegation of the European Union to India and Bhutan, **Mr. Gautam Ray**, The Then President, BCC&I and President – Corporate, RPSG Group, **Mr. Damon DuBord**, First Secretary for Energy Affairs, U.S. Embassy, New Delhi, **Prof. Susanta Kumar Chakraborty**, Vice Chancellor, Vidyasagar University and moderated by **Mr. Arnab Basu**, The Then President Designate, BCC&I and Advisory Leader, PwC India

