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DAY 1 - 28 November 2011, Monday

08:00 Registration and Coffee

09:00 Chairman's Welcome & Remarks

09:10 Asia as the Future Biohub – Mapping Global Demand of Biobased Fuels/Chemicals & Feedstock Availability

 Prospect of Biorefinery as a one stop solution for feedstocks and multiple end products?
 Dr. Marco Ziegler, Principal
 McKinsey & Company, Inc.

09:40 Price Determinants Underpinning Biobased Feedstocks & their Possible Impact on Biobased Chemical Economics

- What are global biobased feedstock prices & the determinants underpinning them - in particular sugar & palm oil?
- How have biofuels impacted traditional agricultural price economics? How might feedstock pricing, influenced by biofuels, impact the biobased chemicals sector?
- Which global regions can produce sugar most efficiently? How does South East Asian agriculture compete globally on production costs?
- What are the logistical feedstock challenges the bio-based chemicals sector will need to overcome? Are these major costs factors? Dr. Sarah Hickingbottom, Senior Research Economist LMC International Ltd

10:15 Discussion followed by Networking Coffee

10:55 Thailand's Directive for Biobased Investment & Project Development

Capt. Samai Jai-in, Specialist Royal Thai Naval Dockyard

- 11:20 <u>Sweet Sorghum</u> as the Emerging Rotational Crops for Sugar/Ethanol Production in China: Yield, Conversion Technology & Economics & Handling
 - Growth of the Chinese markets' for biobased products (fuels & chemicals)
 Prof. Shi-Zhong Li, Professor & Deputy Director of the Institute of New Energy Technology
 Tsinghua University
- 11:50 Growth Roadmap for <u>Cassava</u>'s Plantation & Utilisation in Ethanol & Other Biobased Products in Thailand

Dr. Klanarong Sriroth, Dept of Biotechnology, Faculty of Agriculture Kasetsart University 12:20 Accellerase: a <u>Cellulosic Sugar</u> Platform Presentation Sponsor

GENENCOR® A Danisco Division Dr. Mian Li, Senior Applications Scientist, Biomass Application Group

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12:50 Discussion followed by Networking Lunch

- 14:10 Realizing the Production of <u>Cellulosic Ethanol</u> - Asia's Role Pasi Rousu, President, Asia Pacific Chempolis Asia & Pacific
- 14:35 Australia's Mackay Renewable Biocommodities Pilot Plant (Bagasse to Ethanol): Development, Economics & Commercial Potential Prof. Sagadevan G. Mundree, Deputy Director, Centre for Tropical Crops and Biocommodities Queensland University of Technology
- 15:00 Sustainability and Life-Cycle Assessment of Jatropha & Camelina Based Biofuels and the Enzymatic Process Pathway Drs. William Nolten, Chief Executive Officer WaterLand International Group

R. Vasuthewan, Sales and Marketing Director Mission NewEnergy Limited

- 15:50 Bioethanol & Other Bio-Products from Oil Palm Residues
- 16:20 Discussion followed by Networking Tea
- 16:45 <u>Roundtable Discussion</u>: Availability & Sustainability of Agricultural Feedstock for the Biobased Value Chain - What has been Committed & Volume Available for Exports/Utilization for Biobased Productions Moderator: Khoo Hock Aun, Vice Chairman Cosmo Biofuels Sdn Bhd Panelists: Dr Sarah Hickingbottom Dr. Samai Jai-In Associate Prof. Dr. Klanarong Sriroth Prof. Sagadevan G. Mundree
- 17:30 Discussion followed by End of Day One

DAY 2 - 29 November 2011, Tuesday

- 09:00 Chairman's Remarks
- 09:10 Strategic/Functional Partnerships to Accelerate Take-off in the Biobased Sector
- 09:40 Key Considerations for Private Equity Investment in Asia's Agribusiness for Sustainable Biobased Economy Growth (Criteria, Options & Risk Management) Edgare Kerkwijk, Managing Director Asia Green Capital Pte Ltd
- 10:10 Progress & Economic Feasibility of Current Pretreatment (& Fermentation) Technologies
- 10:35 Discussion followed by Networking Coffee
- 11:05 <u>1,3-Propanediol</u> Production from Crude Glycerine for the Asian Market
 - Establishing a completely integrated value chain driving innovation from bioinformatics, through strain construction and fermentation R&D to a modular pilot plant
 - Industrialisation & Commercialisation of TEXEROL™ (biobased 1.3-propanediol (PDO) produced from crude glycerine with a proprietary process)
 - TEXEROL™ manufacturing facility in Malaysia, dedicated to the Asian market
 - Next : Industrialisation of other bio-based chemicals such as MPG, also called 1.2propanediol Cedric Boisart, Project Manager METabolic EXplorer S.A (METEX)

11:30 Feedstock for YXY Building Blocks Used to Make <u>BioBased Polyesters</u> (PEF)

- Feedstock Selection
- Conversion technology / introduction into YXY Building Blocks
- Application areas
- Properties of biobased PEF compared to PET Ed de Jong, Vice President Development Avantium Technologies BV

12:00 Bioplastic Market Growth & PURAC's Experience in Feedstock Sourcing Derek Atkinson, Business Development Manager

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- 12:30 Final Discussion followed by Closing Lunch
- 14:00 End of Conference