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## DAY 1 - 6 Oct 2010, Wednesday

- 08:00 Registration and Coffee
- 09:00 Welcome and Introduction Peter Vissers, Senior Partner, Partners for Innovation B.V

#### A-Z of Jatropha Production

#### Global Jatropha Practitioners' Roundtable (presentations I-VII followed by discussion)

- Case studies of plantation management including: propagation, pruning, pest and disease management, fertilisation, irrigation, weeding, harvesting, intercropping
- Production model: centralised management / outgrowers / small holder scheme
- Mechanisation and GPS monitoring
- · Yields and economics
- · Oil processing technology, set-up and logistics

#### 09:15 (I) Jatropha Development in Thailand, Myanmar, Laos. Cambodia

Chumroen Benchavitvilai, Executive Officer Bioenergy Development Co., Ltd.

## 09:45 (II) Jatropha Plantation & Biofuel Development in Central America

David Erazo, Director General, Agroipsa

#### 10:10 (III) Maximizing the Returns on Investments (growing in Mozambigue and Tanzania)

- · Cost of jatropha cultivation and oil production
- Revenue projection

Richard Morgan, CEO, Sun Biofuels Ltd

- 10:35 Discussion followed by Refreshments
- 11:15 (IV) Challenges of Building an Integrated Sustainable Biofuels Business Supported by Small Scale Farmers in Malawi Willem Jan van Wiik, Managing Director, TNT N.V.

### 11:40 (V) Jatropha 2.0 - Breeding, Biotech and Molecular Agronomics: How an Integrated Platform is Bringing the Opportunities of Jatropha to Reality

- · Major strategic partnerships that drives advancements
- · The role of breeding, biotechnology and molecular agronomics in accelerating crop improvements
- Community farming initiative in Guatemala
- JMax 100 elite cultivar of Jatropha Brian Brokowski, Vice President, Marketing & Communications SG Biofuels. Inc.

#### 12:05 (VI) Experience of Seed Processor in Tanzania and Prospects for the Future Koen Peters, Director Business Development Diligent Energy Systems BV

- 12:30 Discussion
- 12:45 Discussion followed by Lunch
- 14:00 Chairman's Remarks Thilo Zelt, President, Jatropha Alliance

#### 14:05 Advances in Mechanical Harvesting

- · Results from field trials
- · Plantation design to suit mechanical harvesting
- · Costs and economics

Max Lint President/CFO BELInternational LLC

#### 14:25 Advances in Mechanical Harvesting

- Harvesting in Africa, experiences and results
- · Different harvesting methods
- Future challenges with mechanization Toni Sandholm, Sales Manager, Rakennustempo Ov

#### End-Users' Perspectives on the Jatropha Value Chain

#### 14:45 Offtaker's View on Jatropha as Biofuel Feedstock

- Neste oil's requirements for feedstock
- · Sustainability criteria for jatropha production Tarja Myllymaki, Head, Feedstock Development of Renewable Fuels Business. Neste Oil Corporation

#### 15:10 Jatropha Investment from the Perspective of a **Power Producer**

- · Investment in Brazil (By Api Nova)
- Investment in Ghana and Mozambique (By SAB)
- Drivers that led to the jatropha investments

Alessandro Berti, Business Development Manager, Bioenergy & Biofuels Division, Api Nova Energia Business Development Manager, SAB srl (JV between Api Nova Energia and Seci Energia)

15:35 Discussion followed by Refreshments

#### 16:10 International Trade & Logistics of Jatropha Oil

- · Pricing and competitiveness
- Contracts
- · Trading and logistics

Willem J Prins, Director, BFP Africa, BFP International BV

#### **Sustainability & Certification**

## 16:35 Practical Implications of EU Renewable Energy Directive's (RED) Sustainability Requirements for Jatropha Project Developers

Bart Dehue, Managing Consultant, Ecofys

#### 17:00 Jatropha Sustainability Roundtable: Towards Sustainable Jatropha Production & Certification

- Sustainability criteria for agriculture/feedstock production/
- · International certification schemes
- · Impacts on land use change
- · How to improve GHG performance
- Project developer's implementation strategies and challenges

Nick Goodall, CEO, Renewable Fuels Agency Hock Aun Khoo, Vice Chairman, Roundtable on Sustainable Biofuels (RSB)

Peter Vissers. Senior Partner. Partners for Innovation B.V Bart Dehue, Managing Consultant, Ecofys

- 17:40 Summing Up of Day 1
- 17:45 End of Day 1

#### 18:00 Networking Reception

On board "James Cook" - 2hr Cruise Visit to Rotterdam Port hosted by



## **DAY 2 - 7 Oct 2010. Thursday**

- 09:00 Chairman's Remarks Dr. Ronald Zwart, Director, CKade BV
- 09:05 Potential of Bio-Jet Fuel for the Aviation Industry Bart Rosendaal, Supply Director, SkyNRG

#### Jatropha R&D

#### 09:30 Breeding and Producing Elite Seedlings for Jatropha Plantation

Dr. Hong Yan, GM (Research and Operations), JOil (S) Pte Ltd



#### 09:55 Jatropha Genomics and Its Implication on Breeding Dr. Helge Zieler, Senior Director, Plant Genomics Synthetic Genomics Inc (SGI)

# 10:20 Biotechnological Strategies for Improvement of

Dr. Miranda D. van de Rhee, Project Manager Genetwister Technologies BV

- 10:45 Discussion followed by Refreshments
- 11:25 Jatropha Curcas: High Yielding Accessions and Improvement

Prof. Ashwani Kumar. Department of Botany University of Rajasthan

#### 11:50 Adding Value to Jatropha Curcas through Breeding and Innovative Processing

- Update on breeding strategy and status of the D1 Oils breeding program
- · Overview on existing D1 Oils cultivars
- · Innovative processing technology and the production and testing of jatropha kernel meal as high protein source for
- Dr. Henk Joos, Science and Technology Director, D1 Oils plc

#### 12:15 Pure Jatropha Oil from Decentralized Oil Mills as Fuel for Adapted Diesel Engines, Requirements on **Engine Technology and Fuel Quality** Dr. Georg Gruber, Co-Owner

Vereinigte Werkstätten für Pflanzenöltechnologie (VWP)

- 12:40 Final Discussion followed by Networking Lunch
- 14:00 End of Conference