

LCEI Newsletter

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Welcome to LCEI Newsletter

Welcome to the second edition of LCEI newsletter. This newsletter aims to provide information about the ongoing activities of Strengthening Low Carbon Energy Island Strategies (LCEI) project to the stakeholders. This issue highlights the activities conducted in the 3rd Quarter of 2016.

LCEI project is implemented by Ministry of Environment and Energy (MEE) assisted by United Nations Environment Program (UNEP) and financed by Government of Maldives and Global Environment Facility (GEF). The project aims to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions through, increasing energy efficiency in the building sector by developing appropriate policies, guidelines and standards.

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27th August 2016 - An awareness workshop on energy efficiency was arranged in collaboration with Shaviyani Atoll Funadhoo School. The workshop held in Shaviyani Atoll Funadhoo School from 26th -27th August 2016. A total of 49 students from Grade 8, 9 and 10 of Funadhoo School participated in the workshop.



Speaking at the inauguration of the Workshop, Funadhoo School Principal Mr. Robert Silva said that this workshop will increase the awareness of the students on Energy Efficiency and he also highlighted that this workshop will have a positive impact on responsible usage of electricity.

The workshop was conducted by officials from Ministry of Environment and Energy and the LCEI Project Management Unit.

Certificates were awarded to the participants by President of Shaviyani Atoll Council Mr. Mohamed Arif, Principal of Funadhoo School Mr. Robert Silva and Deputy Principal of Funadhoo School Ms. Azma Ahmed.

In the workshop, information was given on energy efficiency, ways to be more energy efficient, how to conserve energy and importance of energy efficiency in building design to reduce GHG emissions. Exercises were conducted to provide knowledge on power consumption of equipment and power consumption of buildings.



Group photo taken after the completion of the workshop held at Sh.Funadhoo School

Energy Efficiency training programme conducted in Singapore

18th July 2016 – The training course was held in Singapore with support from Singapore Cooperation Programme (SCP) and Ministry of Foreign Affairs Singapore through LCEI Project.

The aim of the programme was to create awareness about policies, preferences and practices for promoting and managing energy efficiency and was titled “Energy Efficiency and Management: Policies, Preferences and Practices”.

The training programme was conducted by Nanyang Technological University, Singapore (NTU) from 18 to 22nd July 2016.

The participants of the training were provided information about challenges in technological integration, project financing, and carbon tax/trading as well as multilateral collaborative opportunities for mitigating the impact of climate change and other environmental concerns.



Training session in Singapore cooperation programme



Energy Efficiency training conducted in Singapore

Contract Signed for the development of Energy Efficiency Educational Tool kits

4th August 2016– A Contract signed for the development of Educational Toolkit for Girl Guides and Scouts in the



Maldives. The contract worth MVR 98,000 was awarded to Dr. Simad Saeed. Permanent Secretary of Ministry of Environment and Energy, Mr. Ajwad Musthafa signed the contract on behalf of the Ministry.

Under this contract activity packs and leader guides will be prepared for four categories. These will be utilized to increase the energy efficiency and climate change awareness of the Girl Guides and Scouts in the Maldives.

The Maldives Girl Guides Association is the largest voluntary organization for girls and young women in the Maldives. They are a member of World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS) which is of the world's largest voluntary organization for girls and young women.

The Scout Association of Maldives is a member of the World Organization of Scout Movement (WOSM), since 23 July 1990. The mission of Scouting is to contribute to the education of young people, through a value system based on the Scout Promise and Law to help build a better world where people are self-fulfilled as individuals and play a constructive role in society.



Contract signing for the development of Educational Toolkit for Girl Guides and Scouts in the Maldives

Contract signed for the development of video spots

28th August 2016 - Contract signed for the development of video spots on Climate Change and Energy Efficiency. The contract worth MVR 100,000 was awarded to Mr. Abdulla Yamin.



Contract signing to develop energy efficiency awareness video spots

Permanent Secretary of Ministry of Environment and Energy, Mr. Ajwad Musthafa signed the contract on behalf of the Ministry.

Under the contract four video spots will be developed to the following topics.

1. What is energy efficiency?
2. Air conditioner temperature setting?
3. Air conditioner maintenance?
4. How much energy is saved?

These video spots will be used in several media platforms to increase the awareness on energy efficiency.



Contract signing to develop energy efficiency awareness video spots

Energy Efficiency Art Competition

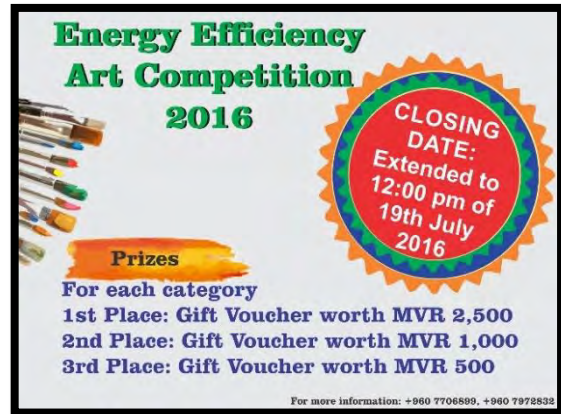
9th July 2016 - The deadline for art work submission of “Energy Efficiency Art Competition” was extended to 12:00 pm of 19th July 2016. The original deadline was 4th July 2016. It was extended due to the request from many schools, especially the schools in islands.



Providing information on Ooredoo Newday program of Dhifm about the deadline extension of Energy Efficiency Art Competition

The competition is organized by the Ministry of Environment and Energy with Support from Strengthening Low Carbon Energy Island Strategies Project.

The information about the extension was provided through several media sources. This included publishing the news on some online news portals and participating in some television programs.



Energy Efficiency Art Competition extended

Online voting for Efficiency Art Competition judging

22nd August 2016 – Online voting for the selected art work of “Energy Efficiency Art Competition 2016” was held from 21st September 2016 to 1st October 2016. 70% of the marks are given by the judges and the remaining 30% are from online voting.

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Energy Efficiency Art Competition judging

22nd August 2016 - The judging of "Energy Efficiency Art Competition 2016" was held on 22 August. The judging panel included the representatives from United Artists of Maldives (UAM) and Ministry of Environment and Energy.



Energy Efficiency Art Competition judging

The winners of the competition will be announced in an official function held at the end of this month.

The objective of the competition is to increase awareness on climate change and energy efficiency. The competition is divided in to 4 categories. They are:

- Category 1: 6 to 9 years
- Category 2: 10 to 11 years
- Category 3: 12 to 17 years
- Category 4: 18 to 25 years

First place for each category will be awarded a gift voucher worth MVR 2500. And for the second and third place, gift voucher worth MVR 1000 and MVR 500 would be awarded.

The best Art works of this competition will be used to derive the design of Energy Efficiency badge which is being developed for Girl Guides and Scouts in the Maldives.



Energy Efficiency Art Competition judging

Ongoing Consultancy Services

Ministry of Environment and Energy, Maldives
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Announcement for Consultancy Services

Technical Analysis of Market to Develop Energy Efficiency Labels and Standards Program in the Maldives

Strengthening Low Carbon Energy Island Strategies (LCEI) Project is seeking consultancy services for Technical Analysis of Market to Develop Energy Efficiency Labels and Standards Program in the Maldives.

Proposals must be delivered in sealed envelopes on or before 1st September 2016 at 1100 hours local time according to the TOR.

Please click the links below for further details

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08th August 2016 - Link: <https://goo.gl/jwSvtu>

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Announcement for Consultancy Services

Research on Consumer Behavior and Preferences Regarding Energy Efficiency in Households

Strengthening Low Carbon Energy Island Strategies (LCEI) Project is seeking Consultancy Services for Research on Consumer Behavior and Preferences Regarding Energy Efficiency in Households.

Proposals must be delivered in sealed envelopes on or before 25th September 2016 at 1100 hours local time according to the TOR.

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5th September 2016 – Link: <https://goo.gl/EKd3Pj>

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Announcement for Consultancy Services

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Strengthening Low Carbon Energy Island Strategies (LCEI) Project is seeking consultancy services for Technical Analysis of Market to Develop Energy Efficiency Labels and Standards Program in the Maldives.

Proposals must be delivered in sealed envelopes on or before 20th September 2016 at 1100 hours local time according to the TOR.

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6th September 2016 – Link: <https://goo.gl/4EEoT4>

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