

ENERGY TRANSITION TOWARDS A NET ZERO WORLD

SINGAPORE INTERNATIONAL ENERGY WEEK 2023

MEDIA ADVISORY — 24 OCTOBER 2023

Dear members of the media,

Thank you for your continued engagement with the Singapore International Energy Week (SIEW) 2023.

Below, we provide you with a snapshot of the day's highlights at SIEW, covering the Asia Clean Energy Summit (ACES), Asia LNG and Hydrogen Gas Markets, Singapore-IEA Forum, and Singapore-IRENA High-Level Forum.

All press materials, including press releases, speeches, and photos are accessible online via the <u>SIEW</u> 2023 Media Content Repository.

Throughout the week, the FINN Partners Singapore team will be on hand to assist you. Do reach out to us at siewmedia@finnpartners.com for any queries or information you need for your coverage.

Warm regards, FINN Partners Singapore On Behalf of the Energy Market Authority of Singapore

KEY HIGHLIGHTS: ASIA CLEAN ENERGY SUMMIT, ASIA HYDROGEN & LNG MARKETS CONFERENCE, SINGAPORE-IEA FORUM, AND SINGAPORE-IRENA HIGH-LEVEL FORUM

• <u>Dr Tan See Leng</u>, Minister for Manpower and Second Minister for Trade and Industry, congratulated the <u>Asia Clean Energy Summit (ACES)</u> on its 10-year journey in advancing the cause of clean energy in Asia. In his <u>Opening Address</u>, he unveiled five key ingredients needed for Singapore to harness the potential of clean energy. These were to 1) make cross-border electricity trading a reality; 2) maximise renewable energy deployment; 3) leverage R&D to support innovation; 4) build a resilient and dynamic grid; and 5) upskill Singapore's workers.

- In line with the "five ingredients", he unveiled several industry updates, including:
 - i. Findings from the first phase of the Singapore-US Feasibility Study on Regional Energy Connectivity report. Both countries also plan to embark on the second phase of the study. Regional countries and multilateral partners are invited to join the study.
 - ii. Conditional Approvals granted for <u>low carbon electricity imports from Indonesia</u>, <u>Cambodia</u>, and <u>Vietnam</u>.
 - iii. Achievement of 1GWp of solar deployment, with Singapore on track to meet its target of 2GWp by 2030.
 - iv. Discussions to enhance the Lao PDR-Thailand-Malaysia-Singapore Power Integration Project, including increasing trading capacities and facilitating electricity flows in all directions.
 - v. Rollout of a first-of-its-kind <u>Residential Demand Response pilot programme</u> to reduce electricity consumption during peak demand, commencing next year.
 - vi. Initiation of the second phase of the <u>Distributed Energy Resource Management System (DERMS) pilot</u>, focusing on solar forecasting to prepare for increasing electric vehicle adoption.
 - vii. Response to A*STAR's grant call in August, focusing on aspects of the import and safe use of hydrogen. Proposals are expected by the end of this October.
- At today's <u>Asia Hydrogen & LNG Markets Conference</u>, Ms <u>Low Yen Ling</u>, Minister of State for Ministry of Trade and Industry and Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth, presented the Welcoming Remarks. She shared that LNG will continue to be a cornerstone of Singapore's long-term energy transition. She also said Singapore is taking intentional steps to pave the way for hydrogen to become a commercially viable and economical global commodity.
- Dr Tan was also at the <u>Singapore-IEA Forum</u> to provide <u>Welcome Remarks</u>, initiating discussions on actionable pathways for achieving the region's collective net zero commitments. The International Energy Agency (IEA)'s Deputy Executive Director, <u>Ambassador Mary Burce Warlick</u>, delivered the Opening Remarks. The Forum also featured a Special Address by the <u>Hon. Lily D'Ambrosio MP</u>, Minister for Climate Action; Energy and Resources; State Electricity Commission, Victoria, Australia.
- <u>City Energy and Gentari signed a Joint Feasibility Study Agreement</u> to construct a pipeline from Malaysia to Singapore for the import of hydrogen into the Republic.
- In the third edition of the <u>Singapore-IRENA High-Level Forum</u>, Dr Tan in his Welcome Remarks emphasised the importance of regional energy integration and cross-border infrastructure to boost energy trade and investments in the region. He was joined by <u>Francesco La Camera</u>, Director-General, International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA), for the Opening Address.
- Before the by-invite-only SLNG 10th Anniversary Gala Dinner, attendees at SIEW were treated to
 a drone show performance, hi-res visuals are available here. This was followed by the Opening
 Remarks at the SLNG Gala Dinner, where Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance
 Lawrence Wong delivered the Opening Remarks, celebrating SLNG's 10-year journey. He also

revealed Singapore's intention to construct a second liquefied natural gas (LNG) terminal, to meet the country's energy needs and enhance energy security.

COMING UP ON WEDNESDAY, 25 OCTOBER

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Asian Downstream Summit / Asia Refining Technology Conference (ADS/ARTC)*

• **9.15am:** Low Yen Ling, Minister of State, Ministry of Trade and Industry & Ministry of Culture, Opening Remarks on pertinent issues and challenges that the industry faces today and so

Future of the Grid*

• **9.00am:** Richard Lim, Chairman, EMA, takes the stage with his Opening Remarks and makes a Forum will also appear as part of Future of the Grid. The forum will address high-level topics on Sadamori, Director for Energy Markets and Security, International Energy Agency, will deliver the

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- **10.00am:** Ngiam Shih Chun, Chief Executive of the Energy Market Authority (EMA), enhancing regional connectivity. Mr Ngiam is joined by panellists <u>Tuan Mohammed F</u> (Malaysia), <u>Rajat Misra</u>, Director General, Infrastructure Investment Department (Region Managing Director, Power & Renewables, Keppel Infrastructure.
- **10.30am:** <u>Kenneth Vincent</u>, Director at Office of Asian Affairs, Department of Energy, L Science and Technology (NREL), delve into the Singapore-US feasibility study on regional
- **10.55am:** Panellists from AirTrunk, Alicia Bots, Altent Renewables, Clifford Capital, DBS Ba Sussex Strategy, NEC Corporation, Nika.Eco, SG Recycle, Shell Singapore, Solv8, and S women leading the global energy transition, to Al in smart and sustainable cities, to Sin world.

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- **2.00pm:** Ralph Foong, Deputy Chief Executive, EMA, presents Opening Remarks. This platfo technologies that will accelerate the net zero transition.
- **2.05pm:** Industry experts from ExxonMobil Low Carbon Solutions, Google, Hitachi Technologies and VFLowTech share insights. Topics encompass grid technologies and d storage, geothermal, and nuclear energy.

Asia Clean Energy Summit (ACES)*

Asia Hydrogen & LNG Markets Conference*

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- o Facebook: Singapore International Energy Week
- Twitter: @SIEW_sq
- Telegram: https://t.me/siewsg

LOGISTICS

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