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10.c. Peer Review on Low Carbon Energy Policies (PRLCE)

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10.c. (1) Objective of PRLCE

Objective of PRLCE:

• To assist volunteer APEC economy to promote lowemission power sources such as renewable energy, nuclear and fossil fuel with CCS by providing recommendations from APEC peer review experts.

•APERC is planning to further carry out analyses on best practices for efficient and effective policies to promote low carbon power supplies in APEC economies, and how such best practice policies can be applied, considering different conditions in different economies.



10.c. (2) PRLCE Phase 1

- The Philippines hosted the second PRLCE in 19~23
 November 2012 with the focus on the National Renewable Energy Program (including the Feed-in Tariff (FIT) system for renewable energy).
- The peer review was conducted by a team of nine experts (from China, Japan, Malaysia, New Zealand, Thailand, IRENA and APERC). The review team experts has drafted policy recommendations.
- The first draft of Review Report for the 2nd PRLCE in the Philippines is compiled and now under review by the Philippines Government.



10.c. (3) PRLCE Phase 2

- Phase 2 PRLCE is planned to assist two additional economies in developing policies to promote low-carbon energy supply.
- Indonesia will host PRLCE-3 in May 2013.
- One more economy is currently invited to volunteer to host PRLCE-4.



10.C. (4) Possible Option for future PRLCE

 Given the resource constraints of APERC, and recognizing the smaller number of potential host economies (compared to PREE), it may be necessary to reduce the number of PRLCE peer reviews per year.

Example: Two PRLCEs in 2012 and 2013 \downarrow One PRLCE after 2014