

2018 REVIEW



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PREFACE

Dear Friends,

We wish you and your family a prosperous New Year!

We have a lot of precious memories together this year, and we would like to take this opportunity to say thank you for your cooperation and support in 2018.

We look forward to keeping move forward with you in 2019.

Best wishes,

Xiaodan ZHANG and CEC team





Annual Events

IGPN Secretariat is launched in Beijing



The International Green Purchasing Network(IGPN) Secretariat was launched in Beijing on November 26, 2018 at the “Capacity Building Project on Typical Green Products in APEC Economies – Workshop on Ecolabel and Green Consumption”. Witnessed by all the participants and international experts of the workshop, IGPN Chairman Mr. Hideki Nakahara officially handed over the Letter of Authorization to Ms. Zhang Xiaodan, General Manager of CEC.

The handover of IGPN Secretariat to CEC obtains the approval of Ministry of Ecology and Environment as well as agreement of IGPN Council, Advisory Committee and all its members. The Secretariat will give full play to the role of IGPN; continuously facilitate green purchasing in public authorities and business sectors; actively promote green production and green consumption; promote green and win-win regional development and contribute to the achievement of UN Sustainable Development Goals.



Annual Events

Capacity Building Project on Typical Green Products in APEC Economies



CEC undertook the “Capacity Building Project on Typical Green Products in APEC Economies” in early 2018 in order to facilitate environmental cooperation of APEC economies, actively promote green trade and green consumption and improve the awareness of both public and private sectors of APEC economies in green products.

The Workshop on Ecolabel and Green Consumption in Beijing was held by CEC during November 26-27, 2018 as a key outcome of the project. At this workshop, participants introduced and discussed current status and future development of typical green products in APEC. They have reached consensus that environmental labeling schemes enjoy high popularity with very high government and public recognition and remarkable role in improving the environment. In addition, environmental labeling schemes of APEC economies have conducted cooperation at different degree, laying a good foundation for wider application, extension and further cooperation in APEC region. In the near future, it is expected that the great development of ecolabel products as typical green products of APEC economies will expedite green development of each economy.

More than 40 people including the official of Ministry of Ecology and Environment (MEE) and experts on green procurement and green consumption from 12 APEC economies attended this meeting.



Annual Events

CEC completes the Project

– “Demonstration Project on Building the Capacity of Cambodia in Environmental Labelling”



The project “Capacity Building of Cambodia in Environmental Labelling” is under the support of Chinese governments, which focuses on conducting capacity building of ecolabel and facilitating establishment of national environmental labeling program in Cambodia. The Ministry of the Environment and National Council for Sustainable Development (NCSD) of Cambodia participate in the project and expect fruitful achievements and deeper cooperation.

With in-depth study and investigations, CEC and NCSD jointly compiled the National Report of Cambodia on Ecolabel, and CEC also provided training for Cambodian officials, based on current status of ecolabel in Cambodia and development experiences of China Environmental Labelling as well as international ecolabel.



Annual Events

International Qualification



UNFCCC Qualification on CDM

The accreditation team (AT) of the CDM appointed by the UNFCCC EB conducted an on-site review of the CDM DOE qualification of CEC. This review was the first on-site regular surveillance according to the latest DOE accreditation standards,

The AT conducted objective and rigorous reviews on the resources and capabilities required for the implementation of CDM DOE functions, assessed the implementation process of CDM projects, internal quality management system, impartiality management and financial stability management of CEC. The AT agreed that CEC has sufficient resources and capacity to carry out CDM project validation and verification, and the project implementation process management was standardized, the operation of quality management system was effective, fairness has been fully guaranteed, the financial situation was stability. CEC has fully met the requirements of all the latest rules of EB.



Airport Carbon Accreditation

CEC passed the examination of airport carbon accreditation (ACA) in early 2018, which means CEC has the qualification and ability to provide a professional assessment for airports.

ACA was developed by ACI Europe, which aims to reducing the CO2 emissions of all airports, with the ultimate goal of becoming carbon neutral. There are now 84 airports worldwide certified for mapping their carbon footprints until now, and CEC will aims to develop new airport accreditation in future.

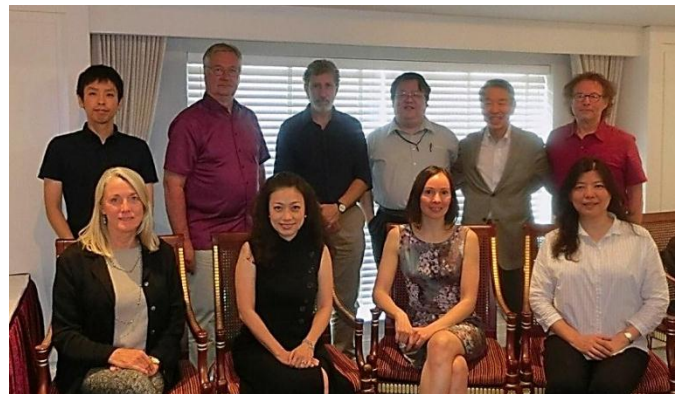


Collaboration with GEN

Join GEN Events

GEN Meetings

Ms. ZHANG Xiaodan joined BOD meetings and GEN 2018 AGM to make contribution for GEN development. She was invited to discuss ecolabel opportunity and challenge at the forum of Blue Angel 40th anniversary; furthermore, she was reelected as BOD member during GEN AGM.



CEC passed GENICES Review in 2018

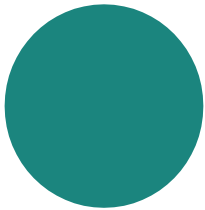
Mr. Björn-Erik Lönn, Chairman of GEN conducted GENICES Review on CEC in Beijing in November of 2018. Mr. Björn-Erik Lönn thinks that China Environmental Labelling scheme is under good operation and management with many achievements, meeting both ISO14024 Standard and requirements of GENICES review.





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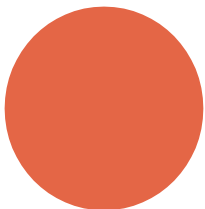
2018 Achievements



Strengthen Sino-Germany sustainable consumption cooperation



CEC visited Germany for deepening communication on the project of “Sino-Germany Sustainable Consumption Cooperation”, as well as deepened the cooperation of ecolabel between China and Germany. The both side planned to sign the third ecolabel common core criteria "Paper shredder" in the near future and explored potential cooperation directions and fields related sustainable consumption.



Latest common core criteria for ecolabel been signed among China-Japan-Rok



Based on the successful convening of the China-Japan-Rok working group meeting on ecolabel in Beijing in April, the representatives from CEC, JEA and KEITI, signed the common core criteria for paper shredder during the fourth China-Japan-Rok environmental protection industry roundtable. So far, the common core criteria have reached ten items.



Collaboration with GEN

2018 Achievements



The first ecolabel common core criteria between China and Thailand



CEC signed the first common core criteria with TEI based on the mutual recognition agreement in 2017. This is a beginning of cooperation in operative level and both sides believed further movement will coming soon.



Depth communication between CEC and SEC

Ms.Zhang xiaodan met with Ms.Loh Isabella, chairman of the Singapore environmental council (SEC) and her delegation. The two sides reviewed the progress of China-Singapore cooperation on ecolabel and exchanged views on future cooperation.



Depth communication between CEC and UL LLC

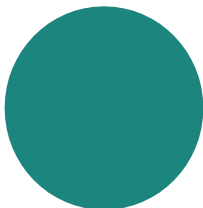


Ms.Zhang xiaodan met with Alberto Uggetti, global vice president of UL.The two sides exchanged views on recent business updates and areas of cooperation. Both sides expressed the hope to carry out more pragmatic and effective cooperation on the basis of the existing strategic cooperation and will continue to follow up specific areas and contents of cooperation so as to implement the strategic cooperation agreement as soon as possible.



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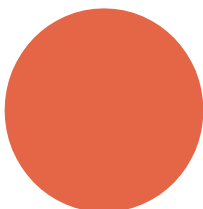
Coming cooperation



Depth exchange of views on ecolabel cooperation between CEC and PCEPSD



Ms. Zhang xiaodan met with Mr. June Alvarez, chairman of the centre for environmental protection and sustainable development of the Philippines (PCEPSD) in April this year. The two sides exchanged in-depth views on the cooperation between China and the Philippines in environmental labeling and reached preliminary consensus on the mode and content of cooperation. The coming agreement is confirming at this stage for further signature.



A new cooperative bridge will be established between China and Israel



Under the framework of China-Israel environmental cooperation, CEC and the Standards Institution of Israel (SII) communicated in the past year for both side cooperation and obtained certain achievement. CEC plan to visit SII in early 2019 to communicate further for China-Israel ecolabel and relevant sustainable areas cooperation.



Activities with Stakeholders



Ms. Zhang Xiaodan won the GGEF Asia innovation ecology outstanding female award



The Global Green Economy Forum (GGEF) and the Asia innovation ecology outstanding women's award ceremony held in April this year, Ms. Zhang Xiaodan was awarded the "outstanding women in social ecology award" for her outstanding contribution in promoting the development of China's environmental labelling and promoting sustainable production and consumption.



CEC deepened cooperation with JEMAI



Experts from LCA center of Japan Environmental Management Association for Industry (JEMAI) visited CEC, for views exchanging on the development of ecolabel and low-carbon products between China and Japan. Both sides had fully communication on Type III Environmental Labelling data information collection and calculation methods.



Activities with Stakeholders



The post-carbon management assessment project jointly undertaken by CEC for the 2022 Winter Olympic and Paralympic Games in Beijing passed the final review



After inquiry and discussion, it is agreed that the project has completed the research tasks specified in the contract with detailed data, standardized report preparation, and its research results reflect the characteristics of advanced, scientific and applicable. It is agreed that the project has passed the final review.

In addition, CEC jointly put forward the "technical specifications for carbon emission assessment of the Olympic Games", which is of great significance for future carbon management assessment of large-scale activities.



JICA Green Supply Chain Project



CEC carried out "Sino-Japan Green Supply Chain Project" under the support of Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) since 2016. In the May of 2018, CEC delegation visited institutes in Japan such as Tokyo Metropolitan University, IGES, JICA and some governments such as Ministry of Environment, to further communicate and exchange related to green supply chain.



Leadership of CEC attaches great importance to international cooperation



General Director of EDC Mr. REN Yong met with chairman of GEN, Mr. Björn-Erik Lönn



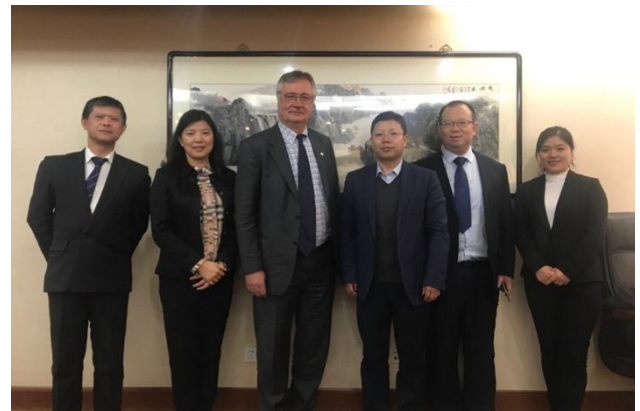
General Director of EDC Mr. REN Yong met with chairman of IGPN, Mr. Hideki Nakahara



General Director of EDC Mr. REN Yong met with deputy secretary-general of the national council for sustainable development of Cambodia



Board Chairman of CEC Mr. CHENG Chunming met with representatives of environmental labeling agencies of Japan and Rok



Mr. LV Ben from division of technology and finance of MEE met with chairman of GEN, Mr. Björn-Erik Lönn

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Thanks for your support
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Happy New Year !

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