GREEN TECHNOLOGY

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Announcement of Green Technology

April 2009 - Ministry of Energy, Green Technology and Water was established during the Cabinet reshuffle

24 July 2009 - National Green Technology Policy was launched by the Prime Minister

National Green Technology Policy

Definition of Green Technology

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The development and application of products, equipment and systems used to conserve the natural environment and resources, which minimizes and reduces the negative impact of human activities.

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National Green Technology Policy

Criteria of Green Technology

Satisfy the following criteria:

- minimizes degradation to the environment;
- has zero or low green house gas (GHG) emission;
- safe for use and promotes healthy and improved environment for all forms of life;
- conserves the use of energy and natural resources; and
- promotes the use of renewable resources

National Green Technology Policy

Policy Statement & Objectives

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Green Technology shall be a driver to accelerate the national economy and promote sustainable development

Objectives

- To minimize growth of energy consumption while enhancing economic development;
- To facilitate the growth of the GT industry and enhance its contribution to the national economy;
- To increase national capability and capacity for innovation in GT development and enhance competitiveness
- To ensure sustainable development and conserve the environment for future generations;
- To enhance public education and awareness and encourage its widespread use.

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National Green Technology Policy

Four Pillars

The National Green Technology Policy is built on four pillars:

- Energy
 - Seek to attain energy independence and promote efficient utilization
- Environment
 - Conserve and minimize the impact on the environment
- Economy
 - Enhance the national economic development through the use of technology
- Social
 - Improve the quality of life for all

National Green Technology Policy Sector

(1) Energy Sector

- Energy Supply Sector:
 Application of GT in power generation and energy supply side management
- Energy Utilization Sector:
 Application of GT in all energy utilization sectors and in demand side management programs.

National Green Technology Policy Sector

- (2) Buildings Sector
 GT in construction, management, maintenance and demolition of buildings.
- (3) Water and Waste Management Sector
 GT in management and utilization of water
 resources, waste water treatment, solid waste and
 sanitary landfill.
- (4) Transportation Sector

 GT in transportation infrastructure and vehicles, in biofuels and public road transport.

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