



The International Green Purchasing Network Webinar

SURVEY REPORT- How Environmentally Friendly Product and Green Purchasing to Tackle Climate Change

July 12th, 2022 Via Webex

Asia/Beijing: 15:00 – 17:00; Asia/Tokyo: 16:00 – 18:00; Europe/Paris: 9:00 – 11:00

Context:

Climate change presents the global significant challenge people faced at present. As recognized by Paris Agreements, sustainable consumption and production play a critical role to addressing climate change. So far, regulations and policies include tackle climate change, GHG emission control, low carbon green development and carbon tax etc. are issued in about 20 countries and areas. Along with the development of technology, new materials, new production methods, automation methods, new energy and other products/services are constantly aroused and generated, it could be foreseen that the approach to tackle the climate change has gradually expanded from energy conversion to all aspects for production and consumption and life style of human beings.

The International Green Purchasing Network (IGPN) Promotes green purchasing around the globe by coordinating those who take the initiative in implementing green purchasing towards sustainable consumption and production. Aims to better understand how and what green purchasing will play its role to tackle the climate change, to share knowledge and experiences, identify barriers and challenges for the implementation by using climate action and sustainable consumption and production in an integrated and coherent approach, the International Green Purchasing Network (IGPN) conducted [the Survey on Environmentally friendly product/service and Green Purchasing to Tackle Climate Change](#) from August 2021 to June 2022.

Based on collection, comparison and analyzation, evaluation for the survey templets provided from the Green Purchasing Networks members of Japan, Korea, Thailand, Singapore, the Philippines, China Hong Kong and China, together with the complementary experience and practice from U.K. and U.S., the report **<SURVEY REPORT-How Environmentally Friendly Product and Green Purchasing to Tackle Climate Change > (Zero draft)** was summarized and drafted by the secretariat of International Green Purchasing Network.

Webinar Objective:

This webinar aims to:

- ✚ Present the survey outcome, main elements, key findings, and conclusions;
- ✚ Invite members who participated in the survey to introduce their practices and results;
- ✚ Solicit opinions and invite panellist provide recommendations on how to integrate green purchasing and environmentally friendly products/services response to climate change;
- ✚ Encourage all participants to share ideas, thoughts, and insights on the outcomes, findings, and conclusions of the survey report.



Webinar Agenda:

Opening Session	
15:00-15:05	<p>Moderate Ms. ZHANG Xiaodan, General manager, China Environmental United Certification Center, the IGPN Secretariat organization, Advisory member of the IGPN</p>
15:05-15:15	<p>Opening Remarks Mr. CHEN Yanping, Chair of the IGPN</p>
Introduction Session	
15:15-16:10 Each 10 min	<p>Introduce the Draft SURVEY REPORT-How Environmentally Friendly Product and Green Purchasing to Tackle Climate Change Ms. WANG Jing, representative of the IGPN Secretariat, China Environmental United Certification Center</p>
	<p>GPP Plan and Pilot project of Refrigeration and Air Conditioning for Climate Change Mitigation Dr. Chuttree Phurat, Senior Project Manager and Acting Director of Green Label and Environmental Label Unit, Thailand Environment Institute, GPN Thailand</p>
	<p>GPP Practices and Pilot Projects in Response to National Climate Change Target Ms. Maureen Grace Lebria, Programmes and Projects Director, Philippine Center for Environmental Protection and Sustainable Development, GPN the Philippines</p>
	<p>Policy and Measures Respond to Climate Change in China Hong Kong Mr. Felix Lam, Head of sustainability, Green Council, GPN China Hongkong</p>
	<p>China Environmental Labelling Green Public Procurement Impact Response to Climate Change Ms. DING Ling, Senior engineer, China Environmental United Certification Center, GPN China</p>
Panel Discussion	
16:10-16:45	<p>Panel Discussion: Solicit opinions and provide recommendations on how to integrate green purchasing and environmentally friendly products/services response to climate change</p> <p>Panellist 1: Mr. Farid Yaker, Programme officer, UNEP, IGPN Advisory member; Panellist 2: Mr. Augustine Koh, Secretary General, Green Purchasing Network Malaysia, IGPN Council member</p> <p>Q+A: 10 min</p>
Closing Session	
16:45-16:50	<p>Proposal of Sustainable IT Webinar in September Mr. Nick LIU, Manager, Sustainable Purchaser Engagement, Asia Region, TCO development</p>
16:50-16:55	<p>Remarks from Green Purchasing Network Japan Prof. Yasushi UMEDA, Chair of Green Purchasing Network Japan, University of Tokyo, IGPN Council member</p>
16:55-17:00	<p>Session Summary and Wrap Up</p>