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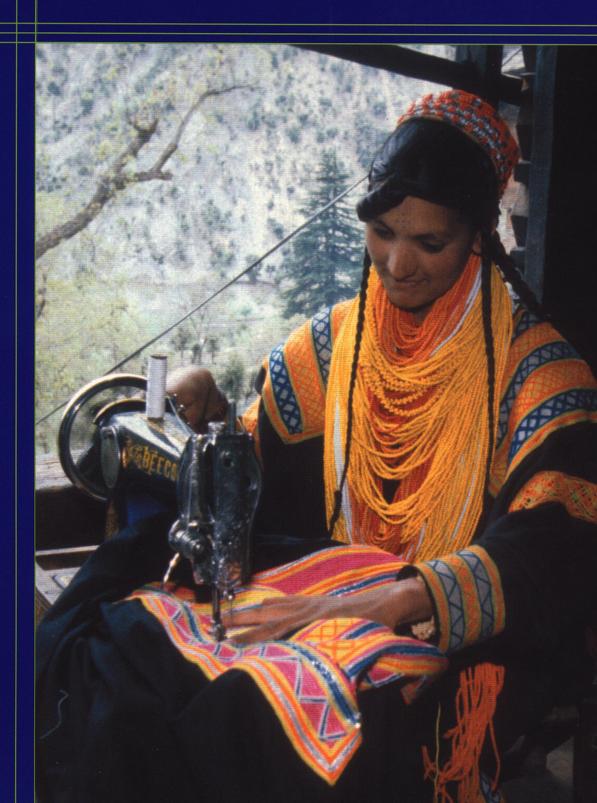
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GVEP at a Glance

- 1. The Global Village Energy Partnership (GVEP), created in September, 2002, is an international network open to all individuals and various organizations—national government institutions, bilateral and multilateral development banks, professional associations, research institutions, non-governmental organizations, foundations, and private businesses—concerned with delivering modern energy services to the world's unserved and underserved. Over 250 partners from around the world have joined GVEP to date.
- 2. GVEP promotes the role of energy in poverty reduction while working to reach the millions in developing countries without sustainable energy access. Through its network of partners, GVEP offers five core services—facilitating national action planning and investments in energy-poverty reduction, harnessing and sharing best practices and lessons learned in the energy field, developing the capacity of energy providers and consumers, linking energy providers to sources of financing, and monitoring the impact of energy on poverty reduction.
- 3. GVEP offers a new approach for reaching the 2-3 billion people without energy services. GVEP moves *beyond electricity* to address the broader range of heating, cooling and cooking needs. GVEP is *technology neutral*, advocating those options that best meet the local needs, requirements and resources. GVEP recognizes *energy as an input not output*, linking to the agriculture, business education, health, and water communities to improve quality of life and contribute to economic development. GVEP *commits to a 10-year program* to reach over 300 million people and thousands of communities in addressing energy poverty. And, GVEP acknowledges that meeting the global energy demand is beyond the capability and capacity of any one organization, requiring a pooling of resources, skills and organizations to address the need.

List of Abbreviations and Acronyms

AFREPREN/FWD	African Energy Policy Research Network
APEC	Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation
BASE	Basel Agency for Sustainable Developmentt
CDCF	Community Development Carbon Fund
DME	Department of Mines and Energy
DFID	Department for International Development
EDF	Electricité de France
GTZ	Deutsche Gessellschaft für Technische
	Zusammenarbeit
ESMAP	Energy Sector Management Assistance
	Programme
ENDA	Environment and Development Action
ERA	Environnement Recherche Action
EUEI	European Union Energy Initiative
GVEP	Global Village Energy Partnership
IEC	Integrated Energy Center
KITE	Kumasi Institute of Technology
KfW	Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau
LPG	Liquefied Petroleum Gas
MDG	Millenium Development Goals
NREL	National Renewable Energy Laboratory
OAS	Organization of American States
PRSP	Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper
PCF	Prototype Carbon Facility
SIDA	Swedish International Development Agency
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
USAID	United States Agency for International
	Development
WSSD	World Summit on Sustainable Development

Message from the GVEP Partner Board Chairman

GVEP was officially launched at the World Summit on Sustainable Development (WSSD) in Johannesburg, South Africa on August 31, 2002. Now, a little over a year later, I am pleased to release GVEP's first annual report, reviewing the inaugural year of our planned 10-year partnership. With the publication of this first annual report, GVEP marks an important milestone towards achieving recognition as a comprehensive partnership of knowledge and action on delivering modern energy services to the poor.

GVEP now has a growing membership of 257 partners that are committed and currently contributing to GVEP's mission. As you will see in this report, GVEP partners have reached hundreds of stakeholders in dozens of countries around the world in activities ranging from assisting 27 government ministries in the development of national energy action plans to developing an online energy financing portal with over 120 sources of funding for energy service providers. I invite you to visit our Web site at www.gvep.org for more details.

This past year was a critical one in which we established the organizational governance and management of GVEP. We approach the end of this year with a governing 13-member Partnership Board and an implementing 6-member Technical Secretariat in place. Carrying out our initial activities this past year was facilitated by donor funding of over \$8 million. I would like to thank the bilateral and multilateral external support agencies that continue to provide the financial funds on which our work depends.

Though the Technical Secretariat has been admirably hosted by UNDP/World Bank Energy Sector Management Program (ESMAP) on an interim basis, we are now in the process of transitioning the Secretariat to a more permanent venue and expect this to be complete by July 1, 2004. As I write, a transition plan is in preparation to this end.

The challenge before GVEP today remains the same as was articulated at WSSD—to link our vast knowledge and experience to improve energy delivery services for the world's poor so that they may lead a better life. GVEP will continue to pursue this goal through leveraging the immense resources and strengths of its partners in 2004.

Paul Hassing

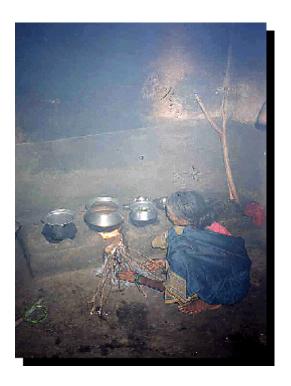
GVEP Board Chairman



Partnering to Meet the Energy Needs of the Developing World

The Linkage of Energy and Poverty

1.1 Today, there are up to 1.7 billion people in Asia, Africa, and Latin America without access to modern energy services, and approximately 1 billion with limited or sporadic access. Nearly 3 billion people, the majority of whom live in rural or peri-urban areas, are forced to rely on traditional biomass—inefficiently harnessed fuel wood, dung, or crop residue—for their cooking and heating needs. This option wreaks environmental havoc through the destruction of vital forests. It also produces excessive indoor air pollution, leading to high rates of morbidity and mortality through exposure to noxious fumes. This health burden is severe—each year indoor air pollution kills 2 million women and children with indoor air pollution estimated to cause 36% of all lower respiratory infections, 22% of tuberculosis, 11% of asthma, and 3% of lung cancers. Traditional biomass also offers few options for harnessing energy for the productive end uses that would help the millions trying to escape from poverty.



Energy is at the center of many of the most critical development challenges facing the world today...improving access to energy services is not an end in itself but rather a critical means for achieving the goals of sustainable development, and especially the Millennium Development Goals. Mark Malloch Brown,
Administrator of the United Nations Development

- 1.2 Energy is not an end in itself, but a means to eradicating poverty and improving the overall welfare of the world's poor. Whether it is used for heating and cooking food, powering machinery for income generation, improving the quality of health services through refrigeration at health facilities, or extending students' study time through lighting, energy can be used to achieve all the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs), ultimately alleviating people from poverty.
- 1.3 Against this background of unsatisfied demand, a number of technical, financial, and institutional innovations have been established to better deliver energy services to those in need. These include the development of clean, safe, affordable technology alternatives to grid-based power, innovative financing mechanisms that enable the poor to purchase energy technologies, and customer-oriented business models employed by a growing number of local energy service providers.
- 1.4 However, while such innovations do exist, the potential for scaling these up has been limited by a lack of coordination, communication, understanding, and trust among the wide variety of stakeholders involved, namely, governments, multilateral agencies, the private sector, NGOs, and local communities. A number of barriers have thwarted reaching those in need, including the lack of accessible financing and capacity for energy providers to expand their businesses and inflexible government standards and policies that favor the grid and thwart the expansion of other sustainable technology options.

The Path to the Partnership

12/2000

Village Power Communiqué signed at Village Power 2000 Conference, Washington, DC, calling for "village power partnership"

1/2001-8/2002

Consultation of over 2,500 people in designing partnership

8/2002

Launch of GVEP at the World Summit on Sustainable Development, Johannesburg, South Africa

9/2003

GVEP is housed in ESMAP in Washington, DC

2/2003

GVEP Partnership Board elected

5/2003

First Partnership Board meeting held in Washington, DC

GVEP Overview

- GVEP is directly addressing these issues. First conceived at the Village Power 2000 Conference on December 5-7, 2000, GVEP is a response to the call of attendees for the formation of a "Village Power Partnership" to achieve more sustained action in scaling up sustainable modern energy services and accelerating the rate of investments in such services. At the conference, representatives from 30 organizations drafted a Village Power Communiqué outlining the need for a partnership that would focus on energy as a means to ending poverty and achieving the MDGs. The Communiqué proposed the achievement of the following outcomes by 2010:
 - 30 new countries with national poverty reduction programs addressing modern energy services.
 - 300 million new people with access to modern energy services.
 - 50,000 new communities (including their schools, hospitals and clinics) with access to modern energy services.
 - Documented increases in productivity, income, environment, equity, and quality of life related to rural energy services.
- 1.6 After the Village Power 2000 Conference, numerous organizations including the World Bank, UNDP, ESMAP, the National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL) and Winrock International worked in collaboration to "operationalize" the vision of this partnership. These founding organizations held a series of consultations including a worldwide E-Village Consultation involving over 100 organizations and stakeholder dialogues involving 2,500 people—to gain input on the goals, objectives, and work program of the proposed partnership.
- Officially launched at the WSSD in Johannesburg, South Africa on August 31, 2002, with over 150 people in attendance, GVEP is the fruition of their efforts.
- 18 GVEP's approach is based on several core principles that reflect the demands made by the stakeholders during the consultations:
 - Energy interventions should focus on those most in need—the unserved or underserved in developing countries. In particular, GVEP should focus on populations in Asia, Africa, and Latin America that live in rural and peri-urban areas and lack access to modern energy for economic and social needs.
 - Energy services can greatly contribute to other sectors as a means for reducing poverty, Energy is critical to achieving all of the MDGs. GVEP's experience has demonstrated that many decision makers in other sectors do not understand the linkages between energy and their own sectoral goals and the benefits that improved energy services can offer in doing their jobs more effectively and efficiently. The sound delivery of energy services therefore involves users, planners, and policymakers at all levels and all sectors, including education, agriculture, water, health, telecommunications, and others.

Energy concerns the needs of both men and women. Lack of energy services creates particular hardships for women, as they are typically the ones who collect fuel, cook over open fires, and use their own labor for daily household and production tasks. Such tasks take up much of their time and physical energy, while subjecting them to health hazards caused by indoor air pollution and the difficulties of carrying loads of fuel wood over long distances. This leaves little time and opportunity for education or income-generating activities. Without access to affordable energy services for productive activities, poor women cannot move towards sustainable livelihoods. Their views and participation should be taken into consideration when designing energy interventions.



Dr. Abeeku Brew-Hammond, Director Kumasi Institute of Technology, addressing the GVEP Launch Ceremony at the WSSD, August 31, 2002, Johannesburg, South Africa

Through this initiative, we can help reduce poverty by substantially increasing the number of small- and medium-sized enterprises and institutions that can undertake village energy projects...only by working together, can we improve access to modern energy services that can transform lives and improve livelihoods. Peter Woicke, Executive Vice President of the International Finance Corporation and Managing Director of the World Bank Group

- All clean, efficient, and sustainable energy technologies matter. All
 environmentally sound and sustainable technology options, whether they are
 wind, solar, hydro, geothermal, biomass, liquefied petroleum gas (LPG), and
 cleaner fossil fuels deserve equal attention in energy policies and funding.
- All energy end uses matter. Heating, cooking, lighting, cooling, and incomegenerating end uses of energy are equally important in alleviating poverty and deserve equal attention in energy policies and funding.

Partnership Service Lines

- Through the experience, knowledge, and commitment of its partners, 1.9 GVEP puts these principles into action. Partner feedback during the consultation process showed that GVEP's comparative advantage lies in offering services that have been historically absent in the energy sector and that no single organization can offer acting alone. Based on partner feedback, GVEP has organized its activities around five core service lines:
 - Action Planning and Investment. GVEP facilitates the development of national action plans that identify programs and projects to expand energy service delivery, and alleviate poverty, and secure investment for these activities.
 - Capacity Development. In its desire to develop and expand the number of entrepreneurs, consumer organizations, and credit systems operating in energy markets, GVEP benchmarks existing capacity building tools and organizes and designs training programs for practitioners.
 - Finance Facilitation. GVEP works with a broad range of financiers in expanding existing programs and creating new initiatives and financial instruments to increase the flow of resources to both providers of energy services and energy consumers.
 - Knowledge Management. By creating online and paper-based knowledge products and hosting networking events, GVEP serves as a marketplace of lessons learned, innovative approaches, and best practices for improved energy service delivery.
 - Results Monitoring. GVEP collects and monitors data in order to track the impact of energy services on poverty reduction and sustainable development.





Governance of GVEP

1.10 In 2002, a temporary Consultative Executive Board formed to determine the governance and management of GVEP. This group of 35 volunteers from various GVEP partner organizations guided the development of GVEP's current governance structure, including making recommendations on GVEP's operating procedures and establishing partner membership guidelines. In early 2003, the Consultative Executive Board recommended that GVEP be governed by a Partnership Board and implemented by a Technical Secretariat.

The Partnership Board

- 1.11 In February 2003, an 11-person Partnership Board made up of representatives of diverse GVEP partners was elected, whereby the Consultative Executive Board terminated its responsibilities. During the summer of 2003, two additional members were elected to represent GVEP constituencies that were not included in the first Board election—the host institution of ESMAP and a developing country government.
- Currently chaired by Paul Hassing, the 13-member Partnership Board has 12 voting members and 1 non-voting member of the Technical Secretariat. The Partnership Board serves in an advisory capacity to the Technical Secretariat, providing effective guidance and direction to the Partnership and conducting partner relations and outreach. The Board's activities include reviewing and providing input on annual work plans and budgets, reviewing GVEP progress and annual reports, and assisting in identifying and securing financing for the Technical Secretariat. The Board has no fiduciary responsibilities. Board members serve 2-year terms and operate as individuals not representatives of their host organizations. The Board held four meetings during 2003—on February 27 via telephone; May 13 in Washington, DC; September 16 via telephone; and December 17, 2003 in Berlin, Germany.

The Technical Secretariat

- 1.13 The GVEP Technical Secretariat is a service provider as well as facilitator to all components of GVEP. The staff members of the Technical Secretariat include representatives of the private sector, multi-lateral and bi-lateral communities and are supported by the World Bank, ESMAP, UNDP, the Department for International Development (DFID) and the United States Agency for International Development (USAID). They offer a perspective and expertise that are grounded in global experiences.
- 1.14 The Technical Secretariat carries out a number of core activities, undertaking tasks that grow out of decisions reached by the Partnership Board, are requested by other GVEP partners, or are based on its own initiative. Among its diverse activities, the Technical Secretariat oversees the resources for the funding of GVEP's activities and facilitates the delivery of GVEP's services. This includes implementing the logistics and disbursing funding for events and workshops, participating in strategic planning for the Partnership, organizing meetings of the Partnership Board, and maintaining the knowledge sharing and communication activities, which serve partners and the interested general public.

The Partnership Board

Paul Hassing, Chair, Department of Environment and Development, Den Haag, the **Netherlands**

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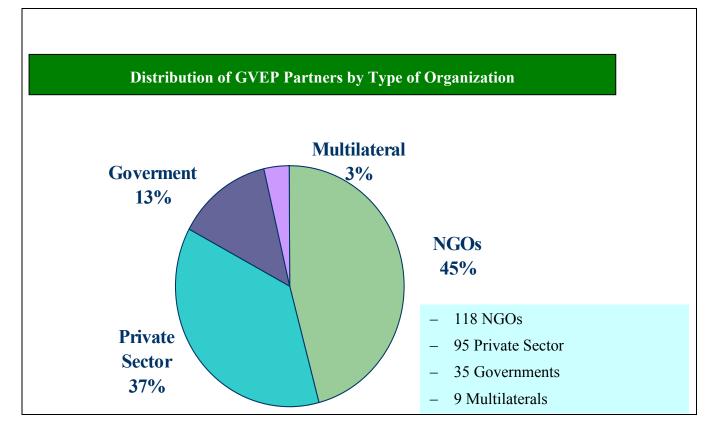
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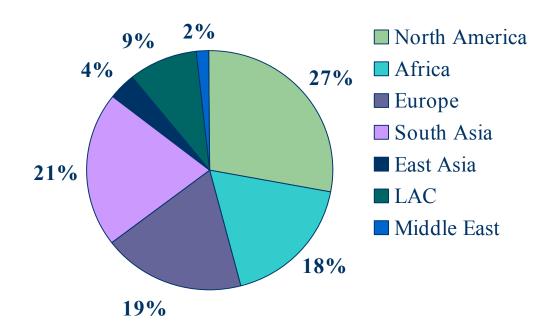
The Partners

- 1.15 GVEP links government institutions, bilateral and multilateral development banks, professional associations, research institutions, non-governmental organizations, foundations, and private businesses. The partners offer their knowledge and resources and collaborate together to enhance the overall productivity and outputs of the Partnership.
- 1.16 The Partnership is constantly evolving and expanding, remaining open to any organization or individual willing to sign on to the GVEP Statement of Principles, which was drafted with the input of the diverse organizations comprising the Partnership.

The Governance

- 1.17 At its May 13, 2003 meeting, the Board officially adopted a Governance Structure for GVEP that defines how the Partnership will be organized and operated. The Governance Structure includes a definition of the roles and responsibilities of the Board, the Technical Secretariat and the partners and provides procedures and terms for Board member election.
- 1.18 Also at this meeting it was agreed that the GVEP Technical Secretariat would begin to transition from its interim venue within ESMAP, to a more permanent location. A number of organizations and operating modalities are in consideration and it is anticipated that the Secretariat will be operational at its new venue by July 1, 2004.

Distribution of GVEP Partners by Region (November 2003)



Number of GVEP Partners by Region (November 2003)



GVEP Statement of Principles

By participating in the Global Village Energy Partnership, partners will do the following:

- Support the goal to increase and facilitate access to modern energy while improving economic and social development, the quality of life and services, and reducing poverty.
- Combine, as appropriate, increased use of renewable energy resources, more
 efficient production and use of energy, greater reliance on advanced energy
 technologies (including cleaner fossil fuel technologies), with the sustainable use
 of traditional energy resources.
- Facilitate policy and market regulatory frameworks that create the economic, social, and institutional conditions to improve access to reliable, affordable, economically viable, socially acceptable, and environmentally sound energy services.
- Enhance human and institutional capacity in the delivery of energy services.
- Engage in the Partnership without discrimination with respect to race, religion, or gender.
- Ensure that Partnership activities are effectively integrated and coordinated with related activities at the local, national, regional, or global levels, including programs implemented by partner organizations, host country governments, and other partnerships.
- Establish and support implementation of work plans for activities assisted by the Partnership.
- Participate in annual reporting of progress under the Partnership.

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GVEP's Activities

Planning Collaboratively to Alleviate Poverty

Regional Action Planning Workshops

2.1 Organized by the GVEP Technical Secretariat and GVEP partners, regional energy-poverty workshops offer the opportunity for representatives from diverse sectors—energy, education, health, agriculture, environment, water, and small and medium enterprises—to gain a better awareness about the situation of energy poverty in their own countries, gain knowledge of methodologies to measure the impacts of energy policies, and gain exposure to lessons learned from existing energy programs and projects

at national, regional, and global levels. During the workshops, participants also engage in a frank dialogue about the demand for energy services and reflect on how such services can aid in the achievement of MDGs. These events have been critical in enabling participants from non-energy sectors to gain awareness of the role



Participants at Action Planning Workshop in Douala, Cameroon, 2002

energy plays in helping them achieve their own sectoral goals. At the end of each workshop, these diverse stakeholders collaborate in drafting national action plans that outline the priority energy interventions required to enhance the effectiveness of their own country's poverty reduction strategy, as exemplified in the Poverty Reduction Strategy Paper (PRSP) process.

I had more of a chance to understand other sector needs in those 3 days than in 3 years in my Ministry. When we were preparing the PRSP, I could not be heard by my colleagues. But coming back from the workshop, I just called the Minister of Economy and had no problem convincing him that we should include energy when we revise the PRSP. Albert Kan-Dapaah, Former Minister of Energy, Ghana

The highly successful Latin America and African regional workshops presented a true opportunity for brainstorming on energy and poverty and exchanging best practices. Francois Georges, Head, International Corporate Relations, Electricité de France

2.2 This year, GVEP organized four regional action planning workshops involving 569 participants from 28 countries in Asia, Africa, and Latin America and the Caribbean.

Regional Action Planning Workshops, 2003				
Region	GVEP Organizing Partners	Countries Participating	Number of Participants	Location and Dates
Africa	African Energy Policy Research Network/Foundation for Woodstoves Dissemination (AEPRNFWD), ESMAP, and the World Bank	Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda and Zambia	80	Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, October 22-24, 2002
Africa	Environment and Development Action (ENDA) Third World, and ESMAP	Benin, Burkina Faso, Guinea, Mali, Mauritania, Senegal, and Togo	120	Dakar, Senegal, February 4-6, 2003
Africa	Environnement Recherche Action au Cameroun (ERA)	Cameroon, Cote d'Ivoire, Congo, Madagascar, Niger, Democratic Republic of Congo, and Tchad	105	Douala, Cameroon, July 16-18, 2003
Latin America and the Caribbean	Deutsche Gessellschaft für Technische Zusammenarbeit (GTZ), NREL, the Organization of American States (OAS), UNDP, USAID, and the World Bank	Bolivia, Brazil, Ecuador, Peru, Mexico, Guatemala, Honduras, and Dominican Republic	264	Santa Cruz, Bolivia, July 23- 25, 2003

Ethiopia: Regional Action Planning Workshop

The GVEP Regional Action Planning Workshop focusing on integrating energy interventions into poverty reduction efforts held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia on October 23-25, 2002 was a landmark event. It was the first workshop held in the context of commitments pledged at the August 2002 WSSD in Johannesburg to scale up efforts to eradicate poverty in the next decade and to bring energy to the center of the development agenda. Additionally, it was the first of GVEP's meeting to be held in Africa and around the world specifically focused on how energy services can contribute to achieving the MDGs.

Over 80 participants from Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda, and Zambia representing energy service companies, non-governmental organizations, finance institutions, donors, and government ministries attended the workshop. The workshop greatly benefited from the input of government ministers as well.

At the workshop, participants met in plenary and break-out sessions to hear presentations and discuss issues including—the poverty situation in each of the countries represented, an overview of the rural electrification programs in the region, and lessons and ideas for the implementation of energy programs or projects. Additionally, the workshop provided the opportunity for participants to discuss methodologies for measuring the benefits of energy projects and their impact on poverty. The workshop was unique in that it gave an opportunity for participants to reflect how energy services could be used to achieve the MDGs.

Starting from the PRSP objectives and existing programs, country workgroups made up of representatives from different sectors brainstormed on key elements of an energy delivery plan for poverty reduction. Such elements included identifying energy interventions for priority sectors related to poverty reduction. These included the creation of hydro-powered small-scale irrigation and agro-processing industries, using solar power to electrify off-grid education and health centers, and erecting power plants to sanitize and clean water in peri-urban and rural areas.

GVEP partners are now assisting all six countries in further refining these national action plans and securing funds for implementation.

National Action Planning Support and Investment

2.3 Following the success of the regional action planning workshops, country governments that participated in the events are further refining their national action plans and gathering stakeholders on a national level so that their plans become bankable documents for mobilizing political commitment and investment support for the identified policy actions and priority projects. Several governments, with the help of GVEP partners the Kumasi Institute of Technology (KITE), NREL, the Swedish Development Agency (SIDA), UNDP, USAID, and the World Bank, are convening stakeholders to draft plans that identify energy needs, issues, barriers, and players in the target country; list concrete actions to address these issues; and set forth timetables, outcomes, and responsibilities and financing arrangements for the plans. Follow-up has begun in India, eight countries in Latin America and the Caribbean—Bolivia, Brazil, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Peru—and in eight countries in Africa—Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Ghana, Mali, Senegal, South Africa, Tanzania, and Zambia.

- A number of activities are needed to move from the planning stage to the implementation stage at the country level, including convening stakeholders, conducting energy sector analyses such as demand and natural resource surveys, developing small pilot projects, and mobilizing financing. GVEP partner countries have expressed the need for financial assistance for such activities.
- 2.5 GVEP is responding to these requests with donor funding provided through UNDP and ESMAP for GVEP follow-on support. Additionally, the GVEP Secretariat has initiated a funding mechanism to provide one-time grants of up to \$100,000 for GVEP-related activities. The GVEP Secretariat developed the Country Action Plan Support Guidelines, which define the terms of and procedures for accessing this funding support. These guidelines can be accessed www.gvep.org/section/services/actionplans.

National Partnership Consultations

2.6 In addition to the above activities, the GVEP Technical Secretariat has responded to direct requests for support in a number of countries where a regional workshop has not yet occurred. In particular, the Secretariat is working with India, Sri Lanka, and South Africa to conduct national partnership consultations where national energy stakeholders can gain a better awareness about the situation of energy poverty in their own countries, what local GVEP partners can do at their country level to achieve the five service lines of GVEP, and further explore GVEP's role in enhancing existing efforts for further scale-up of successful energy programs and projects in the country.

National Consultations, 2003					
Region	GVEP Organizing Partners	Number of Participants	Location and Dates		
Africa	Department of Mines and Energy, South Africa	26	Pretoria, South Africa, July 21, 2003		
Asia	Government of Andra Pradesh, Winrock International	30	Andra Pradesh, India, November 2002		
Asia	Teri	50	Delhi, India, June 5-6 2003		
Asia	UNDP, USAID	25	Colombo, Sri Lanka, June 5, 2003		

GVEP elevated the visibility of energy access issues throughout the Agency, influenced and compelled people to start thinking creatively about how energy access issues can be integrated into non-energy programs, and enhanced focus of energy for productive and social applications of priority to the Agency, including agriculture, health, education, telecommunications, water, etc. Patricia Flanagan, Director, Renewable Energy Program, United States Agency for International Development

South African National Partnership Consultation

The South African GVEP National Partnership Consultation was held on July 21, 2003 in Pretoria on the initiative of the Department of Mines and Energy (DME). The event was the first in the country in which diverse stakeholders working in the energy sector engaged in a collaborative dialogue around energy and poverty.

At the event, attendees learned of the work of Integrated Energy Centers (IEC) under the Department of Provincial and Local Government's Integrated Sustainable Rural Development Programme, which strives to provide a basket of services related to energy delivery for the poor, including the provision of liquid fuels and electricity pre-payment cards. Local communities have created registered cooperatives that make financial contributions and provide the staff for the centers. In return, the centers' profits are used for developing the community. Participants discussed the merits of this cooperative model, issues related to scaling up the approach, as well as adding solar home systems and information and training on sustainable wood production and improved woodstoves to the services of the IECs.

The meeting also offered the opportunity for partners to discuss their role in advancing the mission of GVEP. The partners wholeheartedly endorsed the mission of GVEP and pledged to contribute their knowledge and experience to the GVEP Knowledge Exchange. The partners also agreed that it would be beneficial to continue the dialog and collaboration among them and selected the Department of Mines and Energy to serve as a focal point in supporting them.

Developing the Capacity of Stakeholders

Training Workshops

- 2 7 Training workshops provide a forum for developing new skills and competencies in energy service delivery, At the Village Power Sustainability Workshop in Beijing, China, held on December 6-7, 2002 and sponsored by NREL and UNDP, diverse participants from throughout Asia discussed issues related to and lessons learned around operating a rural energy business, exploring such topics as offering aftersales services, training programs needed for rural energy businesses, ensuring spare parts for energy systems, and ensuring quality of technology. Participants were able to learn from diverse experiences on the ground, including specific programs and projects in China and Sri Lanka.
- 28 Based on attendee feedback, a training workshop on consumer credit and micro-finance for consumers and small and medium enterprises is being prepared for April in Manila, Philippines in cooperation with the Development Bank of the Philippines. This workshop is designed to examine the various models being used in energy and other sectors to deliver affordable credit to consumers in rural areas. The workshop will draw upon the experience of the practitioners and institutions in developing countries that have micro-finance and consumer credit programs to learn about the various models and approaches that might be appropriate for GVEP.
- 2.9 GVEP is also preparing an Asian Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) training program for mid-level managers in agriculture, health, water, education, and

other sectors on the importance of enhanced energy services in meeting their goals, objectives, and outcomes.

Regional Capacity Nodes

In order to deliver the host of GVEP services to a growing list of countries, it is recognized that the Technical Secretariat may need to decentralize its efforts to the field and rely on regional "capacity nodes" to support implementation of GVEP activities at the country level. A full strategy is currently under development, which will outline the scope and function of the proposed GVEP capacity centers and identify a potential working modality for the centers.

Facilitating Access to Financing

- 2.11 GVEP has spent the last year in defining its role in bridging the gap between financiers, entrepreneurs, and consumers in order to reduce constraints on and increase investment in energy projects and programs.
- One activity included exploring GVEP's role in providing a preinvestment fund and strategizing around GVEP's role in the facilitation of financing for energy providers. In partnership with Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (KfW), The GVEP Secretariat brought together private firms, NGOS, bankers, and fund managers to a **Pre-Investment Fund Workshop** in Berlin, Germany on April 23, 2003. At the event, participants explored GVEP's role in offering pre-investment support to entrepreneurs and firms, asking such questions such as:
 - What types of pre-investment products or services are needed to accelerate investment in energy services for productive, consumptive, and social needs?
 - How should these products or services be financed? Would there be value added from a new pre-investment fund and how could it complement existing funds?
 - How should pre-investment funding be managed and operated in developing country markets to ensure effectiveness and efficiency?
 - What would be the complementarity between pre-investment funding and broader financing facilitation products supported by GVEP and others?
- 2.13 The workshop was critical in clarifying GVEP's role in pre-investment funds and finance facilitation. The workshop recommended that GVEP support efforts to increase financing support across the project spectrum from pre-investment support to debt, equity, quasi-equity, and broader investment assistance. The meeting clarified that pre-investment support, absent follow-on funding for implementation, was not sufficient and that both needed to be linked. The meeting also highlighted the need for funding access at the national, rather than the global level, including finding ways to stimulate local liquidities for energy-poverty programs. Specifically, it recommended that GVEP do the following:

- 1. Identify sources of funds (pre-investment and investment) from domestic and international sources, package this information in understandable and accessible formats, and make these available to service providers.
- 2. Help close the gap in pre-investment and investment financing by creating a virtual "brokerage house" for interested parties in order to accelerate deal flows.
- 3. Assist in the design and development of new domestic and international financing sources (pre-investment and investment) and improve efficiencies and operation of existing funds.
- 4. Support capacity building within the financial sector, e.g., local banker training, micro-credit organization training, and train-the-trainers programs.
- 5. Guide the use of soft funding to ease financing bottlenecks toward market-based solutions.
- 6. Support the design of risk mitigation instruments and other financial engineering that could increase the flow of funds for energy projects and programs.
- 7. Increase understanding of consumer issues with respect to modern energy delivery, including hosting a workshop on consumer credit and related issues.
- 2.14 GVEP partners have begun responding to these recommendations. For example, regarding Recommendation 1, Basel Energy for Sustainable Development (BASE) and the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) have designed a webbased energy financing portal that documents financing sources for clean energy projects in a clear, concise, and readable manner. At present this site, which is currently available at http://www.fse-directory.net/, identifies 120 sources of energy financing and their terms and conditions. With GVEP support, this Directory will expand its coverage from a primary focus on industrialized country financing sources to a broader representation of developing country funding programs.



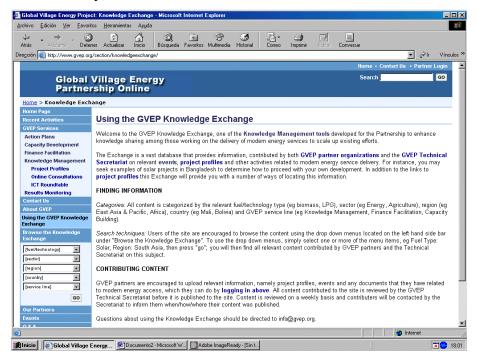
- 2.15 In response to the recommendation for capacity building within the financial sector, the GVEP Technical Secretariat is working with partner organizations UNDP and the UN Foundation to develop **financial institution toolkits and training programs** in **Brazil** and **India.** These training programs will involve local banking institutions and micro-credit organizations and will be held in Spring 2004.
- 2.16 Regarding Recommendation 6, the GVEP Technical Secretariat has signed a Memorandum of Understanding to work with the Prototype Carbon Facility's (PCF) Community Development Carbon Fund (CDCF) to design **carbon finance instruments** that will reduce real and perceived risks of renewable energy and energy efficiency projects by developing country financial institutions. Additionally, GVEP is in the early stages of developing an energy-poverty risk mitigation facility that to stimulate local investment in energy-poverty projects seeks

Harnessing and Sharing Knowledge

2.17 GVEP aims to identify and analyze key energy problems, identify solutions, document and share lessons from the field, and disseminate information at the national, regional, and global levels. In close collaboration with SANet, the Development Gateway, and a number of GVEP partners, the Technical Secretariat took significant steps in the last year to develop a wide range of products and mechanisms designed to capture and disseminate knowledge and lessons learned.

Knowledge Management at a Glance		
Number of project profiles on gvep.org	30	
Number of subscribers to newsletter	3,000	
Number of visitors to gvep.org	25,000/month	
Number of publications and working papers	300	

2.18 The partnership Web site, www.gvep.org, serves as the electronic interface for GVEP and is critical in GVEP's knowledge management and communication efforts. The site provides up-to-date information on GVEP activities, an online partner directory, and a current events calendar.



- 2.19 Using the site, GVEP partners' best practices, lessons learned, and project experiences are disseminated through an **online library of project profiles**. GVEP partners can upload and edit their own project profiles, post future events, and submit other energy- related documents on the site.
- 2 20 GVEP is also using the site to provide a forum for **online discussions**. In 2003, 53 people participated in a facilitated discussion focused on scaling up energy services to rural areas in South Asia.
- 2 21 A free on-line biweekly newsletter, written and disseminated together with NREL, offers stakeholders the latest news about GVEP activities and results on the ground. The Secretariat is currently exploring translating this product into English, French, and Spanish as well as disseminating a paper-based version.
- A new revision of the www.gvep.org will be released in 2004 that will reflect the goal of making the site a global energy portal. Additionally, foreign language versions of the site will also be launched. The Secretariat is also exploring the development of a new series of knowledge products delivered via CD-ROM and radio in English, French, and Spanish.

South Asia Practitioner's Conference: Sharing Knowledge for Scaling Up Energy Services in South Asia

The focus of the South Asia Practitioner's Workshop was on ways to scale-up and replicate off-grid and mini-grid service provision in the region. The workshop took place on June 2-4, 2003 in Colombo, Sri Lanka, bringing together 55 participants from 12 countries, with 85% of the participants coming from Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka. Participants represented energy service companies, non-governmental organizations, finance institutions, donors, and government ministries.

Organized by the GVEP Secretariat with support from ESMAP and Winrock International, the workshop's knowledge sharing component was considerable. Prior to the event, project profiles were collected from 28 participants identifying the lessons learned and experiences in creating their own project or programs in the region. An online discussion was also conducted in which 53 individuals contributed their ideas and experiences on the scale up of energy services to serve as input for the workshop.

At the workshop, participants met in plenary and break-out sessions to hear presentations and discuss issues including—ensuring consumer satisfaction through standards and services; the role of national, bilateral and multilateral policies on scaling up energy services; access to financing for village energy businesses and consumers; the role of energy for improvements in economic situation and quality of life of households and enterprises; and the influence of subsidy/fiscal measures on rural energy.

The project profiles and proceedings of the workshop can be accessed at www.gvep.org. It was agreed that the workshop was successful in that it generated an understanding of the role of rural energy services in economic development and quality of life improvements, increased awareness of the challenges and approaches to deepening and expanding the market, and offered concrete examples of and recommendations for how practitioners have tackled these challenges.

Results Monitoring and Evaluation

- 2.23 GVEP can make an important contribution in monitoring and measuring the impact of partner organizations in delivering energy services to those unserved and in contributing to the MDGs.
- 2.24 To this end, a group of GVEP partners is currently creating a monitoring and evaluation framework to measure the impact of energy activities on poverty reduction. The group includes members of Electricité de France (EDF) and the European Union Energy Initiative (EUEI) for Poverty Eradication and Sustainable Development and is working closely with a related World Bank working group. They are exploring the impact of electricity on education and health, as well as the impact of electricity on relieving the burden of household chores for women and other socioeconomic factors.

Financial Review

- 3.1 During its first 12 months, GVEP spent approximately \$6.3 million, slightly over 50% of it total funding. This spending reflects that, as a brand new entity, activity levels have developed from a zero base.
- 3.2 GVEP's operating resources are derived from financial donations from a range of bilateral and multilateral donors, the most significant of which are shown in the chart below.

Funding Status and Commitments as of 12/03

Revenues	(\$)
Funds Received	\$12.3 Million
Funds	\$6.3 Million
Committed/Disbursed	
BALANCE	\$6 Million

Key Donors as of 12/03

ESMAP	United Kingdom
France	UNDP
Germany	UN Foundation
Netherlands	US Agency for International
	Development
Sweden	The World Bank

Appendix 1

GVEP Partners

ABB Group **Action For Food Production** Acumen International African Energy African Energy Policy Research Network Agama Energy Albanian Ecological Club-International Friends of Nature All India Women's Conference Alternative Energy Institute Ameco Environmental Services **APACE-VFEG** Appropriate Technology Center Approtech Asia **APRODEST** Asia Credit Fund Assam Energy **Development Agency** Association des Volontaires pour le Développement/RIOD-AO Ateneo de Manila University Australian Cooperative Research Center for Renewable Energy Basel Agency for

Sustainable Energy

BD Consult Bhartiya Dnyanpith Bahuudeshiya Gramin Vikas Sanstha Wadgaon Bilco Consultants International Biodesign Biomass Energy for Rural **India Project** Biomass Users Network Centroamérica Bolivia Ministry of Public Works **Brazil Ministry of Mines** and Energy Breathe Easy Network **British Petroleum** British Petroleum Solar. **Business Council for** Sustainable Energy Canadian International Development Agency **CARBONA CEFA** Tanzania Center for Renewable **Energy and Appropriate** Technologies Center for Resource Solutions Centre de Coopération Internationale en Recherché Agronomique Centre de Ressources pour l'Émergence Sociale **Participative** Centro de Desarrollo en Energìa Solara Class Energy Climate Institute Clouston Energy Research Club zur Laendlichen Elektrifizierung Community Development Carbon Fund Community Oriented Sustainable Development **Initiative** Community Power Corporation Conside Energy Consulting firm Consumer Energy Council of America CTSC Consulting Cygnus Renewable Energy Dasag Energy Engineering Denmark Ministry of Foreign Affairs Denton, Fatma Department for International Development **DESI Power** Deutsche Gessellschaft für Technische Zusammenarbeit

pour le Développement

Development Environment and Himalayan Light Foundation **Technologies Group** Development Action in Dominican Republic the Third World Honduras Energy Ministry of Industry and **Environment Protection** Department Commerce Training and Research Honduras Secretary of Durban Institute of Institute Natural Resources and **Technology Environnement Recherche Environment** E5 Action au Cameroun IMA International India Central Board of East African Energy Ethiopian Geological Conservation Alliance Survey Irrigation and Power East African Energy Farmworks International **India Power Associates Technical Development** Fiorello H. LaGuardia Indira Gandhi Institute of Network Foundation Development Research Electric Power Research Food and Agricultural Information Center on Organization Institute Renewable Information **Electrical Engineering** Foundation Against Social Innovation Energie Division, Energy Trauma and Developpement Management Group, **Environmental Ravages** Institute for Sustainable RITES France Agency for Power Development **Integrated Energy** Electricité de France France Ministry of Foreign **Electricity Council of Solutions** Ecuador Affairs **Integrated Rural Elektroplan Consulting** Fundação para Development Desenvolvimento Organization **Engineers** Energia Integrated Sustainable Technologico de Energy and Ecological Energia y Engenharia Future Energy Solutions, **Telecommunicaciones** Development AEA Technology Association Andinas Energy and Environmental Environment Intermediate Technologies Development Group, Concerns for Zambia Ghana Ministry of Energy Global Ecovillage Network **Energy and Security Group** Nepal **Energy Conversion** Global Sustainable Energy Intermediate Technologies Development Group, **Devices** Solutions. Energy for Sustainable **Global Transition** Peru Development Consulting Intermediate Technologies **Energy Forum** Development Group, Globe USA **Energy Sector** South Asia Grameen Shakti Management Assistance Green Markets **Intermediate Technologies** Development Group, Programme International United Kingdom **Energy Studies** Grupo Interdiscipinario de **Application Institute** Tecnología Rural International Copper **Energynet Limited** Apropiada Association, . International Energy Enersol Guatemala Ministry of Mines and Energy Initiative Enertesa **HEDON Household Engineers Against Poverty** International Lead Zinc

Energy Network

Research Organization

Iran, Management and National Renewable Multifunctional Planning Organization **Energy Laboratory Platforms** Natural Resources Defense Isofoton IT Power, India Council IT Power, United Kingdom Nimbkar Agricultural IT Power, United States Research Institute Italy Ministry for the NRECA International. Environment and Nuon RAPS Utility **Territory** Optimum Energy Senegal Joaquim Nabuco Organización Latinoamericana de Foundation Kadikoyu Friends of Energía Science, Culture and Art Organization of American Association States **Ormat International** Kicuucu Lyamabwa Youth Volunteers for Pace University Energy Development **Project** Kreditanstalt für Pakistan Energy and Wiederaufbau Environmental Kumasi Institute of Management Centre Pakistan Ministry of the Technology and Environment Environment Lahmeyer International Panikker, Ramesh **EDF** Lesotho Department of Parallax Sustainable Energy **Development Solutions** LGA Consultants/ Sage Pembina Institute for Training Appropriate Light Up The World Development Foundation Perraudin, Sophie Local Energy Launch Pad Persons Helping People/ Mali-Folkecenter Solar Ovens Peru Ministry of Energy Massachusetts Renewable and Mines Energy Trust Philippines Department of Mbutu Agriculture Society Economic and Social Energy Pothohar Water Council, United Nations Mecon Limited Partnership Mexico, Ministry of Power Solutions Australia Soluz Energy Preferred Energy Minerals and Energy Prokaushali Sangsad Policy Centre PT Minaca Selaras Munasinghe Institute for RAPS Consulting Development **RAPS** Finance N2solar Regional Cell for Promotion of National Environmental

Consulting

Regulatory Economics Group RenewableEnergyAccess. Rural Energy Development Programme Sabraa Bank Sahyadri Energy Systems Private Sandia National Laboratories Save Earth Nigeria Save Environment Management Schneider Electric SGA Energy. Shakti: Energy Website of Bangladesh Societé de Services Decentralisees Nuon Solamatics SolAqua Solar Development Group Solar Electric Light Company Solar Electric Light Fund Solar Energy Society of Central Africa Solar Engineering Services Solar Household Energy, Solar Industries Association Solar International Management South Africa Department of Minerals and Energy Stakeholder Forum for Our Common Future Standard Corporate and Merchant Bank

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Business Development

Services

Stockholm Environment

Institute

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Strategic Consulting

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Sun Ovens International

Sunseed Tanzania Trust

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Sustainable Energy

Solutions

Sustainable Rural

Enterprise

Sustainable Village

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President

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Environment

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TERI

Tezpur University,

Department of Energy

The LEVON Group

The Nature Conservancy

China Program

The Netherlands, Ministry

of Foreign Affairs

The Saraswathy

Shanmugam Public

Charitable Trust

Trust for Voluntary

Organizations

Ukuvuka Operation

Firestop

Umgeni Water

UNC/Technological

Solutions for Social

Development

United Nations

Development

Programme

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Environment Programme

United States Agency for

International

Development

United States Department

of Energy

United States Energy

Association

United States Hydropower

Council for International

Development

University of Las Palmas

de Gran Canaria

University of Zaragoza

Utilities Planning

Associates

Utility Automation

Integrators

Village Hydropower

Association

Village Reach

Vitogaz Madagascar

Washington Liaison Office

Winrock International,

Brazil

Winrock International,

India

Winrock International,

United States

World Alliance for

Decentralized Energy

World Bank

World Energy Council

World Water Corporation

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Management

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Paul Hassing, Chair of the Global Village Energy Partnership Board, announces selection of ITDG – Intermediate Technology Development Group – as the new host for the GVEP Technical Secretariat. Dr. Abeeku Brew Hammond, former director of Ghana based NGO KITE and Associate Professor at the country's Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, has been chosen as GVEP Manager.

Joint UNDP/World Bank ENERGY SECTOR MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAMME (ESMAP)

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	Regional Power Seminar on Reducing Electric Power System		
	Losses in Africa (English)	08/88	087/88
	Institutional Evaluation of EGL (English)	02/89	098/89
	Biomass Mapping Regional Workshops (English)	05/89	
	Francophone Household Energy Workshop (French)	08/89	
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	and Long-Term Development (English)	03/90	112/90
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	Symposium on Power Sector Reform and Efficiency Improvement		
	in Sub-Saharan Africa (English)	06/96	182/96
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	Commercilizing Natural Gas: Lessons from the Seminar in		
	Nairobi for Sub-Saharan Africa and Beyond	01/00	225/00
	Africa Gas Initiative – Main Report: Volume I	02/01	240/01
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	Sector in Sub-Saharan Africa	09/01	245/01
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	Review of Electricity Service Connection Policy (English)	07/87	071/87
	Tuli Block Farms Electrification Study (English)	07/87	072/87
	Household Energy Issues Study (English)	02/88	
	Urban Household Energy Strategy Study (English)	05/91	132/91
Burkina Faso	Energy Assessment (English and French)	01/86	5730-BUR
	Technical Assistance Program (English)	03/86	052/86
	Urban Household Energy Strategy Study (English and French)	06/91	134/91
Burundi	Energy Assessment (English)	06/82	3778-BU
	Petroleum Supply Management (English)	01/84	012/84
	Status Report (English and French)	02/84	011/84
	Presentation of Energy Projects for the Fourth Five-Year Plan		
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	Improved Charcoal Cookstove Strategy (English and French)	09/85	042/85

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	Peat Utilization Project (English)	11/85	046/85
	Energy Assessment (English and French)	01/92	9215-BU
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Cape Verde	Energy Assessment (English and Portuguese)	08/84	5073-CV
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	Energy Assessment (English)	07/83	4511-SU
	Power System Efficiency Study (English)	06/84	018/84
	Status Report (English)	11/84	026/84
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Swaziland	Energy Assessment (English)	02/87	6262-SW
	Household Energy Strategy Study	10/97	198/97
Tanzania	Energy Assessment (English)	11/84	4969-TA
	Peri-Urban Woodfuels Feasibility Study (English)	08/88	086/88
	Tobacco Curing Efficiency Study (English)	05/89	102/89
	Remote Sensing and Mapping of Woodlands (English)	06/90	100/00
	Industrial Energy Efficiency Technical Assistance (English)	08/90	122/90
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	Strategic Framework for a National Energy Efficiency	04/94	
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China	County-Level Rural Energy Assessments (English)	05/89	101/89
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