



**Stakeholders Awareness cum Consultation Workshop for
Development of National Strategy for Phase-down of Hydrofluorocarbons (HFC's)**

Day & Date: Tuesday, 7 February 2023 **Time:** 1000 – 1315 hrs.

Venue: Ramee Grand Hotel, Plot. No. 587/3, CST No. 1221/C, Apte Road, Shivaji Nagar, Pune

Tentative Program

Timeline	Description	
1000 hrs.	Registration	
1030 - 1035 hrs. (5 mins)	Welcome Remarks	by ACMA
1035 - 1045 hrs. (10 mins)	Opening remarks including Objectives of the Workshop	Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC), Government of India
1045 - 1115 hrs. (30 mins)	Overview of the sector – Perspective by Industry Associations detailing HFC uses, nature and type of activities carried out – manufacturing and servicing incl. issues/ challenges of industry with Phasing down of HFC's	Representative of Industry Associations: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- All India Air-Conditioning & Refrigeration Association (AIACRA)- Confederation of Indian Industries- Indian Polyurethane Association (IPUA)- Refrigerant and Air Conditioning Manuf. Association (RAMA)- Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Servicing Sector Society (RASSS)- Refrigerant Gas Manufacturers Association (REGMA)
1115-1120 hrs. (5 mins)	Session Break	
Technical Session		
1120- 1140 hrs. (20 mins)	Overview of Montreal Protocol, Kigali Amendment, Ozone Depleting Substances (Regulation and Control) Rules 2000 and its amendments and HFC phase down schedule	Representative of Ozone Cell

1140 - 1205 hrs. (25 mins)	Overview on the usage of HFCs by the Automotive Sector	Perspective by Automotive Industry
1205 – 1225 hrs. (20 mins)	Overview of non-HFC and low Global Warming Potential (GWP) Alternatives including availability, viability and safety related issues - Indian & Global Scenario	Technical Expert
1225 - 1240 hrs. (15 mins)	Overview and Scope of National Strategy for HFC phase-down including information requirements from industry stakeholders, type of HFC related data sought from Industry and its rationale	Representative of National Institute of Public Finance Policy (NIPFP), an autonomous institution of the Ministry of Finance, Government of India
1240 - 1300 hrs. (20 mins)	Interaction and discussions	All participants
1300 -1310 hrs. (10 mins)	Concluding remarks and way forward	Ozone Cell, MoEF&CC
1310- 1315 hrs. (5 mins)	Vote of thanks	Concluding remarks by ACMA
1315 hrs.	Lunch	