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Consultant of PSU study on Shaping the Future through an Asia-Pacific Partnership for Urbanization and Sustainable City Development

Dr Lindfield is an economist/ financial analyst with over thirty years' experience in international sustainable urban development policy formulation and in designing the institutional and financial mechanisms to implement urban development and infrastructure policy. He is a Senior Advisor to the SMART Infrastructure Facility. He has recently retired from the Asian Development Bank (ADB), having attained the positions of Lead Professional (Urban Development) and Chair of the Urban Community of Practice. Concurrently, he was the program manager for the Cities Development Initiative for Asia, and also served as Department Head of the Institute for Housing and Urban Development Studies in the Netherlands and as Deputy Director/ Senior Research Fellow in the Australian Housing and Urban Research Institute.

Feng Kui

Professor, Centre for Urban Development, National Development and Reform Commission, China

Dr Feng is a research fellow of China Centre for Urban Development; Secretary General of the Academic Board; and Chief Editor of Urban China Web (www.cud.org.cn). He is also a research fellow with the Chinese Academy of Sciences, and a member of the Steering Board of the Future of Urban Development Initiative with the World Economic Forum. He was formerly the Director of International Cooperation Division and Strategic Planning Division in China Centre for Urban Development, and led the planning work for EU-China Exhibition on Urban Development and China International Urbanization Forum. Besides the research on China's Urbanization Transformation, and Growth Strategies for Metropolitan Areas and Small-and Medium-sized Cities, he has published more than 100 research reports and thesis about urbanization.

Paul Procee

Lead Urban Specialist, the World Bank

Mr Procee joined the World Bank in 1999 and has been working on a wide range of projects related to urban transport, water supply, sanitation, solid waste, and disaster risk management. Since joining the World Bank Beijing Office in 2010, he has been managing a variety of urban infrastructure projects and is responsible for the coordination of the World Bank's urban and water portfolio in China, including 35 projects for a total loan of US\$ 4.5 billion. He recently worked on a joint World Bank and China National Development and Reform Commission multidisciplinary study on Urban China: Towards Efficient, Inclusive and Sustainable Development. He was one of the main authors and coordinators of the Pillar Report on urban planning and spatial development, focusing on developing compact and liveable cities.

Yusuke Inoue

Director, City of Kitakyushu

Mr Inoue began his career in the Ministry of the Environment in 2003, in charge of new regulation system against Alien Species (harmful to biodiversity). In 2006, he was appointed as the Section Chief of Waste Management, where he reformed the recycling law of one-way containers and packages. In 2011, he became the Deputy Director for Environment and Economy division, where he introduced Carbon Tax and reformed Green Vehicle Taxation, and since 2013, he has been the Director of the City of Kitakyushu. Kitakyushu is an Eco-Model City and Future City in Japan, and is the first city in Asia that has been tapped by the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) as a green growth city. During his graduate studies, Mr Inoue worked on a Global Carbon Market project at the Department of Energy and Climate Change, UK Government.

Marco Kamiya

Unit Leader, Urban Economy Branch, UN Habitat

Mr Kamiya works globally on urban economics and city finance at UN Habitat. He was a principal specialist at Department of Public Policy and Competitiveness of the Development Bank for Latin America (CAF), also a senior Japan Trust Fund Consultant on Innovation and Competitiveness at the Inter-American Development Bank. He was Director of International Projects with Development Banks at PADECO Co. Ltd in Tokyo, Japan. He is a co-author of the forthcoming ADB-CAF book Competitive Cities in Asia and Latin America, and a contributor of the CAF Annual Report 2013 Entrepreneurship in Latin America and Productive Transformation. Mr Kamiya studied economics in Lima and Tokyo, and international development in Harvard University.

Linda Hornilla

Commissioner, Housing and Urban Development Coordinating Council, the Philippines

Ms Hornilla is a lawyer, an educator, a mediator, and a licensed environmental planner. She has 15 years of regulatory and environmental planning experience at the Housing and Land Use Regulatory Board, and was the Technical Head of the Senate Committee on Urban Planning, Housing and Resettlement at the Office of Senator Jose D. Lina, Jr.. She has held various positions in the Philippines Government, most notable as Undersecretary of the Department of Justice, Commissioner of the National Police Commission, Associate Commissioner of the Bureau of Immigration, State Prosecutor, Solicitor of the Office of the Solicitor General, and Professor at the Philippine Judicial Academy of the Supreme Court of the Philippines. She has taught law in several universities and colleges.

Donyun Kim

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Dr Kim is a professor at Sung Kyun Kwan University where he is also the Director of Smart Green City Lab. He is currently a member of Presidential Committee on Green Growth and Vice President of Urban Design Institute of Korea. Dr Kim has been the Chief Planner of Seoul Digital Media City since 1997, where he was in charge of the master plan and related guidelines, and co-invested/designed the Digital Media Street. He is Chief of a national research project on establishing a strategy for a low-carbon city. He was also in charge of the 2012 Yeosu EXPO and New Science City Master Plan in Korea. Dr Kim holds a master degree of urban design at Pratt in New York and a PhD at Seoul National University. In 2013, he was awarded a medal from the Korean Government for his distinguished academic and professional contributions.