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## The 61st Meeting of APEC Expert Group on Energy Efficiency & Conservation and 59th Meeting of APEC Expert Group on New and Renewable Energy Technology

*"Reinforcing Relevant Laws for a Comprehensive Approach to Energy Efficiency and Conservation,  
Renewable Energy, Electric Vehicle, and Sustainability in the APEC Region"*

# EGEEC Update

17 October 2023

Makati City, Metro Manila, Philippines



# EGEEEC60 Meeting

- The EGEEEC60 meeting was hosted by Hong Kong, China from 15 to 16 March 2023 in hybrid mode.
- Meeting Theme was “Accelerating Energy Efficiency Enhancement through Technological Innovations”.
- One-day Technical Visit was organised by Hong Kong, China on 17 March 2023.



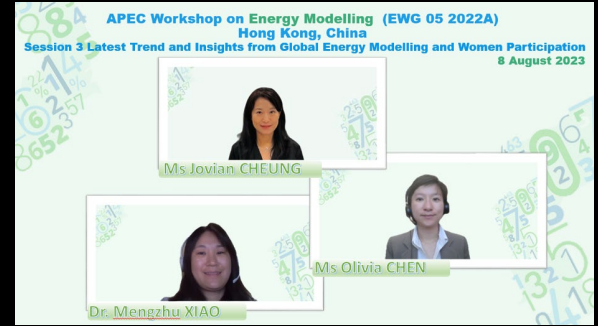
# EGEEC Governance Issues

- The selection of EGEEC Chair and Vice Chair was held at the EGEEC 60 meeting and the results were endorsed by members.
- Members reached a consensus to select the following candidates as the EGEEC Chair and Vice-chair for the tenure from 1 July 2023 to 30 June 2025.
  - EGEEC Chair: Dr Liu Meng China
  - EGEEC Vice-chair: Ms Jovian Cheung Hong Kong, China
- Members agreed to invite the World Green Building Council as our guest member.



# EGEEC engagement in EWG activities since EGEEC60

- The 58<sup>th</sup> EGNRET and 54<sup>th</sup> EGEDA joint meeting on 4-5 April 2023.
- The EGCFE 2023 meeting on 20 April 2023.
- The 65<sup>th</sup> EWG meeting on 21-22 May 2023.
- APEC Workshop on Energy Modelling on 8 August 2023.



# 3-year Guest Status in EGEEC

## - World Green Building Council (WorldGBC)



- WorldGBC is a non-profit organisation and global network of national Green Building Councils (GBCs).
- The organisation is committed to achieving the following goals by 2050:
  - limiting global temperature rises to 2 degrees Celsius;
  - reducing the building and construction sector's carbon emissions by 84 gigatonnes;
  - ensuring all buildings have net zero emissions.
- These goals will ensure the buildings and construction sector plays its part in delivering on the ambition of the Paris Agreement.
- EGEEC and WorldGBC share the same goal of reducing building energy consumption, which accounts for over 30% of global energy consumption.
- Nowadays, 17 of the 21 APEC economies are either established members, affiliate partners or prospective members of WorldGBC.
- The APEC Guest Status will allow us to join hands together to share knowledge and experience through our collaboration with WorldGBC.



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# Thank you

