National Seminar on

"Environmental Concerns and Sustainable Development: An Indian Perspective" To be organized by

Department of Economics, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi
As a part of UGC DRS-II under UGC Special Assistance Programme

Concept Note

Call for Papers

Exploitation of Earth's natural resources is presently a necessary condition of human existence. However, the faster economic growth with higher levels of consumption in developed countries and aspirations of developing countries to reach equivalent levels of growth are continuing to harm the Planet's environment. India has emerged as one of the fastest growing economies in the world. India will continue its process of rapid industrialization and urbanization and a higher phenomenon of economic development in the approaching decades. This is a cause of rejoice for the economy. But the rapid economic growth of the economy has posed many difficulties and challenges. The challenges are in the form of rising consumption and demand for energy, increase in the greenhouse gas emissions, and constraints on critical natural resources such as land, water, and biodiversity harboured by them. India needs to find a way to ensure that the development does not take place at the cost of the environment. That is, the development should take place in such a way such that the environmental degradation and loss be also taken into account. To address this growing challenge, a new development paradigm is needed. Economic growth should take place in manner such that the needs and opportunities of the future generations are not compromised.

Sustainable development is a key idea that provides a right answer to the question as how the humankind co-exists with the earth in a peaceful manner. Sustainable development has become a very important notion and offers a very broad definition of development, linking the ecological services and quality of life with the economic growth. Keeping this in mind, the Department of Economics, Jamia Milia Islamia is organizing a seminar to address the issues relating to the

environment its challenges, environment friendly technologies, and sustainable development in the context of the Indian Economy.

Authors are advised to submit their papers electronically in MS Word format to Mr. Tauquer Alam Farooqui, Organizing Secretary of the conference at Email: tfarooqui@jmi.ac.in and copy to Email: shahec@gmail.com . All abstracts accepted for presentation will automatically be published in conference souvenir. Papers will be blind refereed and revised version of selected papers will be published.

The Seminar sub-themes are:

Climate Change and Mitigation Strategy

Environmental Pollution and their mitigation technologies

Natural Resource Management and Waste Management

Management of Forests, Land, Air, and Water Pollution

Alternative Energy Resources

Trade and Environmental Linkages

Sustainable Development and its socio-economic dimensions

Renewable Energy Resources

Green Economy: Concepts, Measurement and Indicators

Bio-Diversity

Environmental Policies, Regulations and Enforcement

Choice of Technology for a low carbon economy

Green Finance and Green Economy

REGISTRATION FEE (NON REFUNDABLE)

Delegates	Indian Delegates(in INR)		Foreign/NRI Delegates(in US \$)		
Classification	(one person)		(one person)		
	Early bird	Late	Early bird	Late registration	
	registration	registration	registration	(Last date	
	(Last date	(Last date	(Last date	September 25,	
	September 20,	September 25,	September 20,	2016	
	2016	2016	2016		
Faculty	2000	2500	100	150	
Members/Researchers/					
Policy Makers, etc					
Students (Ph.D	1000	1500	75	100	
Scholars)					
Others (Industry, NGO,	3000	4000	150	200	

etc)				
Conference	4000	5000	200	250
participation (without paper)	t			

Note: No provision for on-site registration and cash payment

Conference registration fees include the cost of conference kit, tea/coffee, and lunch for the conference period. The conference fees should be sent via a Demand Draft in favour of Registrar, Jamia Millia Islamia, payable at New Delhi. Conference Registration form along with demand draft should be sent to: Mr. Tauqueer Alam Farooqui, Organizing Secretary of the Conference, Department of Economics, Faculty of Social Sciences, Jamia Millia Islamia (A Central University), New Delhi-110025 India. Electronic mode of transfer: NEFT/RTGS/WIRE Transfers (Email us the transfer details). Bank details are as follows:

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IMPORTANT DEADLINES

Abstract Submission	15 September, 2016
Notification for Accepted Abstracts	17 September, 2016
Paper Submission	20 September, 2016
Conference Dates	21-22 September, 2016

Financial Support

Participants are expected to bear their travel cost. The organizers will bear expenses of local hospitality. However, five best papers will be selected by organizing committee and full travel grants will also be extended to one author of the selected papers. The participants interested to compete in the best paper category are advised to submit their full paper by 15th September, 2016. Partial travel grant may also be extended to some other deserving and select registered

participants. However, the final decision will be taken by the organizers depending on the merits of seeking grants and on the availability of funds.

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