

Message from
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Minister of Energy, Thailand
The 6th Asian Ministerial Energy Roundtable Meeting
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17.20- 17.30 hrs.

Excellency,

Distinguished delegates,

Today, we have had fruitful discussion on many global energy issues: the oil market situation, the new era of coal development and energy efficiency. We all realize the importance of keeping the energy system secure while maintaining its sustainability. I would like to thank compliment the state of Qatar for hosting the 6th Asian Ministerial Energy Roundtable Meeting. We are impressed by the hospitality and excellent preparation.

On behalf of the Ministry of Energy of the Kingdom of Thailand, it is my great honor to announce that Thailand is delighted to be the host of the 7th Asian Ministerial Energy Roundtable Meeting in Bangkok in 2017 while the United Arab Emirates will cooperate as a co-host.

Thailand is looking forward to welcoming all Asian Energy Leaders to visit us to discuss energy issues to strengthen our regional energy cooperation.

For further information regarding the next meeting, we will continue to work closely with IEF on mutual agendas and will let you know in due course.

Lastly, we are proud to present to all participants a wonderful event in November in Thailand. The Loy Krathong Festival (*Floating Lantern Festival*), is a famous festival that is usually celebrated on the day of the full moon in November. Prior to floating lanterns people will light candles and incense and make a wish. Here is a video of the Loy Krathong Festival.

Once again, see you in Bangkok in November 2017.

Thank you for your kind attention.