

DEVELOPING PV SOLUTIONS IN NIGERIA

Workshop on Strategy for a Sustainable and Efficient Solar PV Power Technology and Supply in Nigeria

13-14 November 2018

Venue: Four Point by Sheraton, Plot 9/10 Block 2 Oniru Victoria Island, Lagos

Press Release:

Solar Works: Workshop on Developing Solar PV Solutions in Nigeria

Econsultants Ltd is pleased to announce a workshop on developing solar power solutions in Nigeria. This essential workshop is organised in collaboration with the German non-profit organization Ideas Into Energy and with the German consulting firm Eclareon and supported by the German Foreign Office.

As we all know Nigerians frequently suffer from an unreliable grid power supply and poor power quality. To provide some autonomy from the instabilities of the grid, generators are widely used. This is, however, an expensive and unsustainable solution: Fuel prices are generally increasing, generators are often loud and they emit heavy fumes that pollute the air, which is hazardous to human health. This context can be easily improved by the use of solar powered energy with basic energy efficiency methods. Nevertheless, low quality solar module products present a challenge to the use of PV solar in Nigeria. The Solar Works Workshop is organised to educate and provide sustainable and efficient solar PV (photovoltaic) solutions.

The event offers opportunities to entrepreneurs in the solar PV industry and helps to highlight potential opportunities for making solar power work in Nigeria. The workshop facilitates part of a broader objective of German solar companies to invest in the solar power industry in Nigeria, including through capacity building for technicians and entrepreneurs in the solar energy field.

The workshop is a 2 days programme: the first day will cover Downstream solutions: Sustainable and Efficient Solar Technology and Supply Systems and on the second day it will cover Upstream Solutions: Solar PV Production and Financing.

The event will also be graced by the presence of the German Consul General in Nigeria, Mr. Dr. Stefan Traumann, who will be giving the opening address.

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