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**Sustainable Energy for All (SE4ALL) by 2030: Nepal Action Plan (SNAP)**

Panel: Environmental Issues

Conventional methods of energy production based on hydrocarbon fuels cannot be expanded hurriedly in a sustainable way. If we follow the conventional path, the economic gains arising from increased energy inputs will be negated, by resulting in damage to our ecology. Therefore, SE4ALL is a world-wide initiative of the UN for promoting universal energy access, energy efficiency and renewable energy by 2030. Nepal has opted into this initiative in 2012; while objectives include renewable energy development and wider deployment of green technologies by raising awareness, promoting policy and regulatory incentives to encourage their use, and supporting innovative financing packages that share risks and lower costs. The implementation of the SE4ALL process in Nepal is by formulating SNAP targeted to identify the existing government targets and plans, completed, ongoing or planned sectoral master plans, and ongoing and planned programmes and projects related to each of the three SE4ALL.