



Centre for Studies in International Relations and Development (CSIRD)

2nd Research Coordination Meeting

**Towards BIMSTEC-Japan Comprehensive Economic Cooperation:
Vision and Tasks Ahead**

Venue: BISS, Dhaka. Sunday: 9 July 2006

AGENDA

- 09:15 – 09:45** **Inaugural Session**
- Opening Remarks by Lt. Gen. Dr. B S Malik, President, CSIRD
 - Special Remarks by Dr. Lau Sim Yee, Programme Director, SPF
 - Address by Ambassador Mufleh R. Osmany, Chairman, BISS, Dhaka
- 9:45 – 10: 00** **Tea / Coffee Break**
- 10:00 – 12:00** **Working Session: Towards BIMSTEC-Japan Comprehensive Economic Cooperation: Plan for the Year 2006-07**
- In Chair: Ambassador Shashank, Former Foreign Secretary, India
- 10:00 – 10.30** **CSIRD**
- 10:00 – 10:20 Presentation by Dr. B S Malik: *BIMSTEC Project Plan for 2006-07 (India)*
10:20 – 10:30 Q & A
- 10:30 – 11:00** **BISS**
- 10:30 – 10:50 Presentation by Dr. Abdur Rob Khan: *BIMSTEC Project Plan for 2006-07 (Bangladesh)*
10:50 – 11:00 Q & A
- 11:00 – 11:30** **Union Myanmar Chamber of Commerce**
- 11:00 – 11:20 Presentation by Prof. Myan Thein: *BIMSTEC Project Plan for 2006-07 (Myanmar)*
11:20 – 11:30 Q & A
- 11:30 – 12:00** **Thailand Development Research Institute**
- 11:30 – 11:50 Presentation by Prof. Wisarn Pupphavesa: *BIMSTEC Project Plan for 2006-07 (Thailand)*
11:50 – 12:00 Q & A
- 12:00 -12:15** **Closing Session**
- 12.30** **Lunch**