

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4298
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19.03.2020

WORLD FUTURE ENERGY SUMMIT

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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of constituents of the World Future Energy Summit of Abu Dhabi;
- (b) the main pillars of the summit;
- (c) whether Climate Innovation Exchange (CLIX) was launched in the summit; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (I/C) FOR NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY, POWER and MoS
for SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

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(a) & (b) As per the inputs received from the Embassy of India, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates and information available in public domain, the annual World Future Energy Summit (WFES) in Abu Dhabi is a global industry platform connecting business and innovation in energy, clean technology and efficiency for a sustainable future. The event is hosted by Masdar, which is wholly owned by the Abu Dhabi Government's Mubadala Investment Company.

The 2020 edition of WFES was held from 18- 21 January 2020 and included exhibition and forum programmes across five main pillars namely energy, solar, water, waste and smart cities.

(c) & (d) The Climate Innovations Exchange (CLIX) launched in 2018 is part of the WFES initiative and the Abu Dhabi Sustainability Week's Youth for Sustainability hub. CLIX aims at enabling promotion and direct funding of the next generation of climate change solutions and technologies.
