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Day 1 - 9 Jun 2015, Tuesday

08:00 Registration & Coffee

09:00 Chairman's Welcome & Introduction

09:10 Opening Speech: Status Quo of Turkey's PET Industry & its Safeguard Duty

Mr. Yavuz Eroglu, President
Turkish Plastics Industry Foundation (PAGEV)

09:20 Changing Dynamics of Polyester Led Growth in Textile & Nonwovens

- Role of China & India as major supplier - managing overcapacity and competitive strategies
- The issue with cotton - how will it impact the polyester chain?
- Comparison of growth in established segments vs. emerging segments (apparel, furnishing vs. industrial filament yarn products)

Mr. Rakesh Gaur
Sector Head - Polyester
Reliance Industries Ltd

09:50 Soft or Hard Landing for Global Polyester Markets?

- Production capacities in textile, industrial filament and staple fibers
- Trading pattern and regional demand trends for polyester
- Price analysis and consumer market drivers

10:20 Discussion followed by Refreshment Break

10:50 Global MEG Supply Demand in Low Crude Oil Price Regime?

- Impact of falling crude oil price on global economies
- Global MEG supply
- Regional consumption split
- Polyester fiber - value for money
- Industry trends and world of

opportunities

Mr. Kamlesh Parwani
Global Development Manager
MEGlobal International FZE

11:20 Viscose/Cellulose & Cotton Situation vis-à-vis Polyester Fiber Market

Mr. Ernst Sandrieser, President
Bright Field International Ltd.

11:50 Economics and Market Viability of ReNEW™: Producing Recycled 'Ester' and Textile Fibers from De-polymerization of Post-Consumer PET Bottles

Dr. Vivek Tandon, Chairman & Director
perPETual Global Technologies Ltd.
Mr. Vikram Nagargoje, Director
perPETual Global Technologies Ltd.

12:20 Discussion followed by Networking Lunch

14:00 Chairman's Introduction

14:10 Advances in Bottle to Fiber Recycling Technology

Dr. Wolfgang Ernst, Vice President
BB Engineering GmbH

14:40 Flame Retardant Technical Textile from Recycled Polyester

Dr. Enrico Fatarella
EU Project Manager & Sr. Researcher
Next Technology Tecnotessile
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15:10 Brand Apparel's Perspective: Sustainable Sourcing Strategies in the Ready to Wear Garment Industry

15:40 Discussion followed by Refreshment Break

16:10 Status of Nonwoven Production for Hygiene & Medical Applications

- Overview of market segments: wet

wipes to absorbent hygiene products

- What is driving the market: changing applications, consumer acceptance, cost competitiveness

- Design, technical and material advances and challenges

Mr. Pranay Sahu, Assistant General Manager (Advanced Textiles)
Welspun India Limited

16:40 Spunbond Technology for Durable Nonwovens from PET

- Turkish/Middle East nonwovens market
- Market requirements for technical nonwoven
- Different production concepts
- New developments and benefits for nonwoven producers

Dr. Ingo Mahlmann, Sr Manager
(Product Management Nonwoven)
Oerlikon Neumag

17:10 Discussion followed by end of Day 1

Day 2 - 10 Jun 2015, Wednesday

09:00 Chairman's Introduction

09:10 Innovations in High Performance & Intelligent Fabric: How is the Market Evolving?

- Role of nano-technology in performance apparels
- Sourcing and blending wearable technology with conventional fabrics

Ms. Aarthi Janakiraman
Sr Industry Analyst Technical Insights - Chemicals, Materials & Food
Frost & Sullivan

09:40 Novel Bi-component Fibers and Market Applications

Mr. Ersin Kosker
Project & Operation Director
Mogul Tekstil Sanayi ve Ticaret A.S.

Polyester Market Developments in EMEA

Mrs. Senay Gecgel
Staple Fiber Export Manager
Sasa Polyester Sanayi A.S.

10:40 Discussion followed by Refreshment Break

11:10 Meeting Demand for Quality in a Price Competitive Market for the Home Textile

- Import and export flow between Asia and the rest of the world
- Key markets and drivers, export requirements (Green Label, etc.)
- Sourcing challenges for raw materials

11:40 Photocatalytic Textile for Air Purification Devices - LIFE Project PHOTOCITYTEX

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12:00 Final Discussion followed by Closing Lunch

13:30 End of Conference

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