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Since March 2008, Mr. Jens Burgtorf has been Director of the Indo-German Energy Programme (IGEN) based in New Delhi. IGEN, embedded in Bureau of Energy Efficiency of the Indian Ministry of Power, is implementing "A CDM Capacity Building Programme" in partnership with the Designated National Authority as part of the Indian Ministry of Environment and Forests. The programme is funded by the German Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development through IGEN / GTZ (German Technical Cooperation) as a facility that can help reduce transaction cost in early market development processes. Before joining IGEN, Mr. Burgtorf worked as a freelance energy consultant and has vast experience in the field of strategy, project and organizational development and management. From 2005 to 2008, he served as member of the extended Presidency of Geothermische Vereinigung – Bundesverband Geothermie e.V. in Berlin. Prior to that, he held the post of Head of Department Asset Management Energy Production and Waste-to-Energy at Stadtwerke München – SWM Services GmbH, a public utility provider in Munich (2004 to 2007). Mr. Burgtorf holds a diploma (MSc) in Energy and Process Engineering from the Technical University of Berlin.