

**1st on-line Seminar with representatives of international expert and economic societies of Russia and India within the framework of the "Indian Public Dialogue"**

**"Problems of achieving the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in the context of new global risks"**

**May 18<sup>th</sup>, 12.30 p.m. Delhi time, 10.00 a.m. Moscow time**

<i>Thursday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023 e.</i>	
<i>Moderator – Dr. Vladimir Kulikov, expert, Russian International Affairs Council</i>	
<i>10:00-10:05</i>	<p><b>Seminar Opening remarks</b></p> <p><b>Introductory statement:</b> Andrey Nikolaevich Klepach - Chief economist, VEB.RF (State Development Corporation of Russia)</p>
<i>10:06-10:14</i>	<p><b><u>Topic 1. Moving towards a sustainable or increasingly unstable world? Problems of achieving the Sustainable Development Goals in the context of new global risks. National models of transition to sustainable development</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Manoj Kumar Teotia, PhD Assistant Professor (Formerly HUDCO Chair Coordinator) Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development (CRRID), Secretary cum Treasurer, Working Group 05 on Famine and Society International Sociological Association (ISA), Convener Research Committee 19 on Urban Studies <i>"Challenge of achieving the SDG-1 (No Poverty) in India: Emerging trends and Concerns in the context of Urban Poverty and Inequality"</i></li> <li>• Andrey Nikolaevich Klepach - Chief economist, VEB.RF (State Development Corporation of Russia) <i>"Sustainable development and trust: from development institutions to institutions of trust"</i></li> <li>• Rohit Srivastava, Editor IDI – <i>"India-Russia relations - benefitting from each other's strength in an unstable world"</i></li> <li>• Professor Leonid Markovich Grigoriev, Tenured Professor, Academic Supervisor of Department of World Economy, HSE <i>"Growing global relative inequality – Time to rethink SDGs"</i></li> </ul>
<i>10:15-10:23</i>	
<i>10:24-10:32</i>	
<i>10:33-10:41</i>	
<i>10:42-10:50</i>	<p><b><u>Topic 2. Climate Change agenda and the problems of energy transition. Green economy and green finances</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lydia Viktorovna Kulik, Head, India research group, Moscow School of Management SKOLKOVO · SKOLKOVO</li> </ul>

10:51-10:59	<p>Institute for Emerging Markets Studies, researcher Institute of Oriental Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences  <i>"India's climate agenda. Opportunities and challenges for Russian-Indian cooperation"</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prof Daya Shanker, Department of Earthquake Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee</li> </ul>
<p>11:00-11:08</p> <p>11:09-11:17</p>	<p><b>Topic 3. Sustainable cities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Elena Dolgih - Head-Coordinator, "Sustainable Development of Regions and Cities" platform of the National Network of the UN State Duma, Advisor to the President-Director General for Sustainable Development of PJSC IC RUSS-INVEST  <i>"Opportunities to assess the SDG 11 in Russia"</i></li> <li>• Dr. Debasish Nandy, Jawaharlal Nehru University, <i>"India's Economic Diplomacy in the Post- Cold War Era"</i></li> </ul>
11:20-11:55	Q&A session, discussion
11:55-12:00	<p><b>Concluding remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Andrey Nikolaevich Klepach - Chief economist, VEB.RF</li> </ul>