MEETING SUMMARY
CO₂ Utilization Options Task Force Meeting
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LIST OF PARTICIPANTS

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1. Chairman’s Welcome

Task Force Chairman Mark Ackiewicz of the United States welcomed the meeting attendees and provided a short history of the task force and its activities. The task force currently consists of seven members, six of whom were present. Mr. Ackiewicz stated that the task force’s objective is to identify and study the most economically promising CO₂ utilization options that have the potential to yield a meaningful, net reduction of CO₂ emissions or facilitate the development and deployment of other CCS technologies. The
task force is focused on non-EOR options. The task force’s Phase 1 Report, which summarized existing information regarding CO₂ utilization options and discussed the state of each relevant technology, was issued just prior to the October 2012 CSLF Annual Meeting in Perth, Australia. The Phase 2 Report, still in preparation, is intended to provide a more thorough discussion of the most attractive CO₂ utilization options based on economic promise and CO₂ reduction potential.

2. **Update on the Phase 2 Task Force Report**

Mr. Ackiewicz stated that the Phase 2 Report was on track to be finalized in time for the upcoming CSLF Ministerial Meeting in November, but mentioned that additional information was needed for the “CO₂-Assisted Geothermal Power Production” section of the report. Philip Sharman noted that the Global CCS Institute had completed a simplified study in this area which could be a useful input for the task force. Paul Ramsak suggested that the IEA may also be able to provide information about CO₂-Assisted Geothermal Power Production activities.

Mr. Ackiewicz mentioned that the only other sections of the Phase 2 Report that were not yet final were the Executive Summary and the Conclusions sections. A final draft of the report is anticipated by about the end of June, which the Secretariat will send out to Technical Group delegates for comment. After comments have been incorporated, the final version of the report will be ready for distribution by about the beginning of October.

3. **Adjourn**

Mr. Ackiewicz thanked meeting attendees for their input and advice, and adjourned the meeting.