

UKTI/British Water Roundtable with Indian Water delegation

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ESKTN attended and presented at an UKTI/British Water Roundtable event with delegates representing the Indian Water Sector supply chain on Friday 4th March 2011. The event was held at Queen Anne's Gate and was hosted by Ian Bernard, Technical Manager, British water and Bridget Orr, International Marketing Executive, British Water

The delegation was led by Ricky Belgrave, UKTI Environment and Water project Manager, Asia

The Indian delegates included:

- **Mr Baskar Bhattar**, General Manager, Indwa Technologies Pvt. Ltd.

Indwa's main activities include Water treatment, Sewage treatment, Industrial Effluent treatment, Lake Conservation and restoration and energy conservation.

- **Mr Sunil Gharawat**, Managing Director, Earth Water Group

Earth Water group is involved in infrastructure development, water and wastewater treatment, water quality, water conservation and environmental protection.

- **Mr Ajay Anoop Popat**, Chief Executive Ion Exchange (India) Ltd.

Ion Exchange (India) is involved with the manufacturing of ion exchange resins, water treatment chemicals and membranes. They are also involved in design, manufacture, construction and operation and maintenance of water & wastewater treatment plants.

- **Mr Aamir Jariwala**, Head of Corporate Strategy and Investor Relations, SPML Infra Ltd.

SPML Infra Ltd is involved in water and wastewater, power transmission and distribution, solid waste management collection, transportation and disposal.

- **Dr Rati Ranjan Mandal**, Chief Executive Officer, SREI Infrastructure Finance Ltd.

SREI is involved in all stages of financing the infrastructure supply chain. The company is looking for technology and products for water & wastewater management.

- **Mr S Balassubramaniam**, Head of Industrial Water Solutions Division, Aqua Designs India Pvt Ltd.

Aqua Designs is a water management engineering company and undertakes and executes turnkey solutions for water & wastewater management. They are interested in latest technologies, including MBRs, desalination and industrial wastewater treatment technologies.

Discussion took place around the needs of the Indian water sector market. There were presentations from British water and ESKTN, Cranfield University, Exeter University, Imperial College and Southampton University/BiogenGreenfinch.