

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Reference #	105/12/2025/PSDAdvisor/REInvest/New Delhi
Project	The India Germany Platform for Investments in Renewable Energy Worldwide
Position	Private Sector Development Advisor
Band	Band 4
Location	New Delhi
<p>To apply click on the link: https://www.giz-jobs.com/india/</p> <p>Documents to be submitted:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CV and a statement of suitability for this position • A maximum of 2 pages note on any one of the topics given below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ What would be the role of the India-Germany investment platform in supporting India in reaching its 500 GW non-fossil fuel target by 2030? Define the steps that need to be taken by the platform, both in India and in Germany, to attract foreign investments (particularly German) in renewable energy in India? <p>Or</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ For the Investment Platform to meet its objective of creating and facilitating new business & investment opportunities in RE in the areas of solar, wind energy, storage, bioenergy, and Skills and R&D, which partners will you bring on board to steer the platform? What role and function(s) are they likely to perform in the collaborative functioning of the Platform? Please define the role/function of each partner and state the rationale for their inclusion. <p>Last Date of Application: 04 January 2026</p>	

A. About GIZ India

For details, click on: <https://www.giz.de/en/worldwide/368.html>

B. Project Background

The India–Germany Platform for Investments in Renewable Energy Worldwide was launched during RE-INVEST 2024 in Gandhinagar, Gujarat. Established under the Green and Sustainable Development Partnership (GSDP), it represents a key milestone in Indo-German cooperation on clean energy. The Platform aims to accelerate renewable energy (RE) investments while promoting innovation, manufacturing, and technology transfer.

It supports India’s goal of achieving 500 GW of RE capacity by 2030 and aligns with the “Make in India, Make for the World” initiative. The Platform shall strengthen bilateral collaboration and foster a sustainable ecosystem for RE deployment in India. Its goal is to create a self-sustaining collaborative model that addresses the opportunities, sectoral gaps and bottlenecks and leads to the co-creation of solutions and mechanisms for facilitating investments.

For that, a broad spectrum of stakeholders—including investors, industry, financial institutions, technology providers, and international organizations—have been engaged. Through its multi-stakeholder approach, the Platform aims to:

- Build new partnerships and strategic alliances.
- Identify concrete business and investment opportunities
- Advance technology cooperation, skill development, and R&D.
- Mobilize capital and enhance access to affordable finance and derisking mechanisms.
- Strengthen India's RE manufacturing, innovation and deployment capabilities.
- Facilitate integration with diversified global supply chains.
- Promote women's participation and leadership in the renewable energy sector.

The Steering Committee, co-chaired by MNRE and BMZ, guides diverse working groups that identify opportunities, find solutions to address challenges, and drive new initiatives. GIZ serves as the Secretariat, structuring collaborations and strategic partnerships, coordinating activities and communication, facilitating implementation and enhancing visibility.

C. Responsibilities

The Advisor will play a pivotal role in supporting the effective implementation of the India–Germany Investment Platform, particularly the functioning of the Platform's Secretariat. The position entails coordination across multiple stakeholders, identification of investment opportunities, facilitation of working groups, and formulation of actionable strategies to attract and de-risk investments in renewable energy supply chains in India. These are:

- Coordination and Management of the Platform's Secretariat
- Investment Facilitation and Partnership Development
- Technical Advisory and Knowledge Management
- Stakeholder Engagement and Management
- Strategic Alignment Monitoring and Reporting
- Communication and Visibility

D. Core Scope of Tasks

1. Coordination and Management of the Platform's Secretariat

- Support the overall operational management of the Platform and its Secretariat, ensuring timely communication and effective coordination between MNRE, BMZ, GIZ and other stakeholders and partners.
- Plan, organize and follow up on Steering Committee and Working Group meetings, including preparation of agendas, minutes, and progress documentation.

2. Investment Facilitation and Partnership Development

- Identify and develop opportunities for collaboration and investment between Indian and German private sectors, associations, agencies, financial institutions, and technology providers.
- Contributes to designing mechanisms that enhance access to affordable finance, promote de-risking instruments, and facilitate cross-border partnerships.

3. Technical Advisory and Knowledge Management

- Provide analytical and advisory support on renewable energy investment trends, financing mechanisms, and supportive policy frameworks.
- Contribute & facilitate the preparation of studies, concept notes, strategy papers, etc.
- Facilitate knowledge exchange between Indian and German stakeholders on innovative technologies, business models, and capacity development initiatives.

4. Stakeholder Engagement and Management

- Maintain proactive engagement with government counterparts, private sector actors, business associations, and international development partners.

5. Strategic Alignment and Reporting

- Facilitate coordination with related Indo-German and international initiatives in energy, climate, and sustainable development to ensure strategic coherence.
- Monitor the implementation of Platform activities and track progress against agreed objectives and indicators.
- Support the preparation of periodic reports and recommendations to MNRE, BMZ, GIZ and others.

6. Communication and Visibility

- Support outreach, communication and efforts to enhance the platform's international visibility and facilitate knowledge exchange.

Other duties/additional tasks

- Contribute to strategic discussions and planning exercises with other GIZ programmes, external engagements and dialogues, and bilateral consultations.
- Undertake any other tasks relevant to achieving the overall objectives of the Platform, as assigned by the supervisor.

E. Required Qualifications, Experience and Competencies

- Bachelor's or Master's degree in technology, development finance, financial management, economics, business administration or a related field.
- 8+ years full-time work experience post degree in a relevant field.
- At least 5 years' work experience of working on investment facilitation/promotion, investment project development, technology transfer facilitation. Or, worked with a financial institution, investment bank, think tank or relevant organization with an understanding of the operational challenges relating to facilitating finance for mid-market, small and medium enterprises preferably in the energy sector.
- Experience of working with ministries, government departments, financial institutions/philanthropies to mobilize finance, or in regulatory or policy advisory, would be an added advantage.
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills.
- Ability to work in multi-cultural and interdisciplinary teams.
- Sound understanding of the fundamentals of renewable energy technologies, markets and investment frameworks.
- Knowledge of financing instruments, blended finance, and de-risking mechanisms.
- Familiarity with India's and Germany's RE related trade policies and Indo-German cooperation frameworks and agreements.

F. Location: New Delhi

G. Duration of the contract: 31st December 2028

Application without GIZ application form will not be considered

- Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.
- GIZ supports Work-Life Balance.
- GIZ promotes Gender Diversity – Applications from women professionals are encouraged.
- Please note that those individuals who have completed a consultancy assignment with GIZ in less than 6 months prior to the intended start date for this position will not be shortlisted due to organisational policy.

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