

About this Report

This report shows the results of the South Asia 3R Expert Workshop as a useful source of information on 3R (Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle) promotion in South Asia for policy makers, international organizations, nongovernment organizations (NGOs), and academia, focusing on emerging solid waste management issues (domestic solid waste, industrial solid waste, health-care waste and E-waste).

The workshop was co-organized by the Institute for Global Environmental Strategies, Asian Development Bank, and the United Nations Environment Programme at the International Centre for Integrated Mountain Development in Kathmandu, Nepal from 30 August to 1 September 2006 as a part of the 3R Initiative.

Over 40 3R experts from research organizations, international organizations, governments, and NGOs gathered to discuss solid waste management issues and to review in-depth the promotion of the 3R initiative in South Asia. In developing the report, eminent international experts on the 3R initiative have contributed their time to review the possibilities of implementing the 3Rs in South Asia. All presented materials in the workshop are available at www.iges.or.jp/en/itp/activity08.html.

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