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## 4<sup>th</sup> Water Sustainability Awards 2024-25

### Glacier Preservation and Sustainable Water Management

21<sup>st</sup> March 2025

Jacaranda Hall, India Habitat Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi

<i>Time</i>	<i>Program</i>
13:00-14:00	<b>Registration and Lunch</b>
14:00-14:05	<b>Opening Remarks</b> Mr. Anshuman, Director, Water Resources Division, TERI
14:05-14:10	<b>Introductory Remarks</b> Dr. S K Sarkar, Distinguished Fellow, TERI & Former Secretary, DoPT & MoJS
14:10-14:20	<b>Keynote Address</b> Dr. Bharat Lal, Secretary General, National Human Rights Commission
14:20-15:30	<b>Panel Discussion: Glacier Preservation and Sustainable Water Management</b> <b>Chair &amp; Moderator:</b> Shree Rajeev Kumar Mittal, DG, NCMG <b>Panellists:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>➤ Dr Shresth Tayal, Head Water Resources, DHI</li><li>➤ Professor Milap Chand Sharma, Centre for the Study of Regional Development, JNU</li><li>➤ Mr D.P. Mathuria, Chief Engineer, CWC</li><li>➤ Prof. A.K. Gosain – IIT Delhi, Water Resources &amp; Climate Change Expert</li><li>➤ Dr Indira Khurana – Chairperson, Indian Himalayan River Basins Council</li></ul>
15:30-15:45	<b>Tea Break</b>

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Water Sustainability Awards - Ceremony		
15:45-15:50	Welcome address	<b>Dr. S K Sarkar</b> , <i>Distinguished Fellow, TERI &amp; Former Secretary, DoPT &amp; MoJS</i>
15:50-15:55	About the Awards	<b>Mr. Anshuman</b> , <i>Director, Water Resources Division, TERI</i>
15:55-16:05	Special Address	<b>Dr Vibha Dhawan</b> <i>DG TERI</i>
16:05-16:15	Inaugural Address by the <b>Chief Guest</b>	<b>Mr Shashi Shekhar</b> <i>Former Secretary, Ministry of Water Resources</i>
16:15-16:20	Short film on Water Use Efficiency	
16:20-16:25	<b>Release of Compendium</b> Water Sustainability Awards: Recognized Initiatives 2024-25	
16:25-16:35	Water Champion Award	Felicitation by <b>Chief Guest</b>
16:35-17:00	Award Ceremony	Felicitation by <b>Chief Guest</b>
17:00-17:10	Felicitation of Jury Members	
17:10-17:15	Vote of thanks	<b>Mr. Khalil Ullah Khan</b> , <i>Associate Fellow, Water Resources Division, TERI</i>
17:15 pm onwards	<i>High Tea</i>	