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Background

Girma Metaferia Ejigu is manager for supplies and procurement of Ethiopian Chamber of Commerce and Sectorial Association, representing the interests of private sector in Ethiopia. She is also the private sector representative for developing countries in the Scaling-up Renewable Energy Program (SREP) Sub-committee. “My mandate as an observer includes a network of private sector representing private businesses people’s active in Africa, especially Ethiopia,” she says. Ms. Ejigu has over 19 years’ experience in social, business and advocacy works both in government and private sectors and currently serves in my organization actively in the field of procurement, involve in climate change and environmental issues. She believes as an observer she plays a meaningful role in the workings of the CIF: “I strongly feel that the CIF have been quite transparent in getting us involved at the entry level of the decision-making process, but the attention for private sector involvement still needs more attention.” She also believes in the urgency of the work. “Climate change is a big assignment for this generation,” she says “so unite to combat the climate change.”