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Survey of Market Compliance Mechanisms for EE Programs

- Project approved by BMC as EWG 07/2010A.
- RFP issued with cutoff of 31 January 2011.
- Bid received from International Institute for Energy Conservation – Asia (which also submitted a bid on EE street lighting project).
- Bidding may be reopened to competition.
- Ideas for potential bidders are welcome.
- Economy presentations offer a good start.

Compliance Issues - A

- Why are compliance rates important?
- How can high compliance rates be achieved in a cost-effective fashion? Which approaches have worked best? Common best practice elements?
- When should economies take remedial or enforcement action to ensure compliance?
- Should compliance regimes differ between voluntary and mandatory programs?
- Can compliance regimes for energy efficiency learn from other compliance regimes, such as for electrical safety?

