"The Department of Science & Technology (DST), India (with the agreement of European Commission) cancels the call "India EU Joint Call on Smart and Integrated Local Energy Systems" and plans to publish a new similar topic with the same thematic scope but with adjusted formal requirements as regards the international cooperation between Indian and EU entities.

The DST and Commission intends to call for proposals for the new topic in **May 2020** with a submission deadline on **1 September 2020**. This publication of a new call will be confirmed once all necessary procedural steps are finalized.

As of today, the access to the submission platform for this topic will no more be accessible."