



FIFTH NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE BULGARIAN ENERGY AGENCIES

26 – 27 November 2009

NOVOTEL PLOVDIV, PLOVDIV, BULGARIA



MOVING TO RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES FOR HEATING, ELECTRICITY AND BIOFUELS

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

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9:30- 10:30 **REGISTRATION and coffee**

10:30-11:00 **OPENING:**

Traicho Traikov, Minister of Economy, Energy and Tourism
Mrs. Liyana Adjarova, Chair of ABEA Board of Managers

RES Champions league - Award ceremony

FIRST PANEL: THE UTILIZATION OF BIOMASS AND SOLAR ENERGY - A WAY FOR SUCSESSFUL REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT (20/20/20/10)

Moderator: Zdravko Genchev

11:00 - 11:30	The Covenant of mayors – European alliance of leading municipalities and regions, Kristina Dely, Head of the Covenant of Mayors Office
11:30- 11:45	First results of European RES Champions League – Yannick Regnie, Project manager CLER, Milena Agopyan, Project manager
11:45 - 12:15	European policies for biomass utilization – representative from DG TREN
12:15 - 12:30	Structural funds- opportunities for development of biomass and solar plants - representatives from Ministry of Regional Development and Public Works, Ministry of Agriculture and Food
12:30 - 12:45	The key role of municipalities in the implementation of integrated projects for EE and RES. Methods for moving from oil to biomass for heating - Vladimir Valkov, Regional Energy Agency - Pazardzik
12:45 - 13:00	National and regional energy potential for biomass utilization – Dimitar Mladenov, Chair of Energy Utilization Biomass Association



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13:00-13:30 **QUESTIONS AND DISCUSSION**
13:30-14:30 **LUNCH**

SECOND PANEL: GOOD PRACTICES FOR BIOMASS HEATING

Moderator: Ivan Hinovski

14:30 - 14:45	Projects: "Green energy", "Eco school", "Energy cabin" – eng. Nikolay Vangelov, Energy solutions manager, ERATO HOLDING Ltd Haskovo
14:45 - 15:00	Biomass heating plant in Bansko – front- runner of National RES Champions League – Ivan Hinovski, Bulgarian Energy Forum
15:00 - 15:15	Regional and municipal feasibility studies for the utilization of local potential for switch to biomass heating - Vladimir Valkov, Regional Energy Agency - Pazardzik
15:15- 15:30	Awareness rising for RES by models of agro- energy clusters - Liyana Adjarova, Energy Agency Plovdiv
15:30 - 15:45	Successful biomass partnerships in Bulgaria- Violeta Grozeva, Sofia Energy Center
15:45 - 16:00	DISCUSSION: Barriers for biomass utilization

16:00 – 16:30 **COFFEE BREAK**

TIRTH PANEL: BIOFUELS

Moderator: Stephen Littler

16:30 - 16:45	Barriers for usage the biofuels in Bulgaria, National Biofuels Association in Bulgaria
16:45 - 17:00	The BIONIC project: Sustainable Biofuels in the Community. Sofia Girnary, Stephen Littler, Transport & Travel Research Ltd.
17:00 - 17:15	Synergy of RES– model for efficient environmental solutions– Konstantin Madjarov, Marck Antony Chasner– National Association for Transfer of Technology
17:15- 17:30	Sustainable urban mobility management - Rumena Velikova, Municipality Plovdiv
17:30 - 17:45	Linda Hybbinette, Energikontor Varmland, Sweden
17:45 - 18:00	Company presentation
18:00 - 18:15	Company presentation
18:15 - 18:30	DISCUSSION: Barriers for biofuels utilization



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FORTH PANEL: USAGE OF SOLAR THERMAL AND PHOTOVOLTAIC SYSTEMS

Moderator: Vladimir Kiryakov

9:30 - 9:45	Prospectives for energy generation from renewable energy sources in Bulgaria - Vladimir Kiryakov, president of Association of Producers of Ecological Energy
9:45 – 10:00	Building of PV plants - Paunovo- Ihtiman, Kazanlak, Ruse
10:00 - 10:15	Models for application of heat pumps in combination with solar collectors - Black Sea Regional Agency for Energy Management Varna
10:15 -10:30	Successful practices of using solar energy in the Black Sea hotels – Todor Tonev, Black Sea Regional Agency for Energy Management Varna
10:30 - 10:45	GEOFAR Project: A European Solution for Boosting Geothermal Energy - Mr. Nicholas Sofianos, European Projects Coordinator, Institute of Energy for South East Europe (IENE)
10:45 -11: 00	Vanessa Membrive, Trinasolar, Spain

11:00 – 11:30 **COFFEE BREAK**

FIFTH PANEL : COMPANIES PRESENTATIONS

Moderator:

11:30 - 11:45	Profil - I presentation
11:45 - 12:00	SolarPro presentation
12:00 - 12:15	Company presentation
12:15 - 12:30	Company presentation
12:30 - 13:00	Discussion

11:30 - Study tour in Ahira– producer of wood pellets, Rogosh

11:30 - Study tour in demonstration PV plant in “Profil - I”, Plovdiv

11:30 - Study tour in heating plant on biomass in Ihtiman and PV park Paunovo



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SIXTH PANEL : INNOVATIVE PROJECTS OF ENERGY AGENCIES

Moderator: Zdravko Georgiev

14:30 - 14:40	EE and RES utilization in mountainous and rural regions – Zdravko Georgiev, Sofena
14:40 - 14:50	RES education in the primary school – prof. Nikolay Mihaylov, Municipal Energy agency Rousse
14:50 - 15:00	YEP! - Young energy people in the professional education - Bogdana Bogdanova, EA - Plovdiv
15:00 - 15:10	ProMotion– Internet based carpool platform - Klimentina Hadjieva, EA - Plovdiv
15:10 - 15:20	TrendyTravel - Precentation of movie and video clips for alternative transport modes- Klimentina Hadjieva, EA - Plovdiv
15:20 - 15:30	SQUARE - System for quality assurance when retrofitting multifamily buildings
15:30 - 15:40	Active energy education - Petya Yordanova, Eco schools Bulgaria
15:40 - 15:50	Project: BioDieNet - biodiesel from used cooking oil, Ivanka Pandelieva, Sofia Energy Center
15:50 - 16:15	Discussion

16:15 – 16:30 **COFFEE BREAK**
POSTER AND DEMONSTRATION PRESENTATIONS
BUSINESS MEETINGS
DISCUSSION OF THE POSTER REPORTS

17:30 **CLOSING SESSION**