



32nd ENERGY EFFICIENCY COORDINATION GROUP MEETING AND WORKSHOP

Thursday, 22 June 2023

32nd EECG meeting (10:00 - 16:30 GET)

Friday, 23 June 2023

**Workshop on the enabling framework for implementation of energy
efficiency and demand reduction measures (10:00 - 12:15 GET)**

Location: Hotel Biltmore (Tbilisi) or WebEx (online)

Time	Topic	Speaker
Thursday, 22 June 2023		
09:30 -10:00	Registration/testing connections/welcoming coffee	
10:00 -10:30	Welcoming and Introductory Remarks and adoption of the Agenda	<p><i>Mr. Romeo Mikautadze, The First Deputy Minister, Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Adam Cwetsch, Head of European Green Deal Unit, Energy Community Secretariat</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Andrej Bartosiewicz, Program Officer, Delegation of the European Union in Georgia</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Vakhtang Begashvili, Senior Advisor, Gopa-Intec</i></p>
10:30-12:00 ENERGY EFFICIENCY POLICY IN GEORGIA AND EU		
10:30 -11:30	Updates on energy efficiency policy and support activities in Georgia	<i>Mrs. Margalita Arabidze, Head of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Policy and Sustainable Development Department, Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia</i>
	Covenant of Mayors in Georgia, energy efficiency plans and targets	<i>Mr. Giorgi Abulashvili, Director, Energy Efficiency Centre Georgia</i>
11:30 -11:50	Updates on energy efficiency in the EU	<i>Ms Claudia CANEVARI, Head of EE Unit, European Commission - DG Energy</i>
11:50 -12:00		Q/A
12:00 -12:15	Coffee Break	



12:15-15:15 EECG WORK PROGRAMME		
12:15 -13:30	<p>Ongoing and planned energy efficiency and demand reduction measures in response to energy crisis</p> <p>Summary of Policy Guidelines, Discussion</p>	<p><i>Summary by Mr. Nikola Vujošević, EECG Montenegro & updates by other EECG members</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Borko Raicevic, Senior Energy Efficiency Expert, Energy Community Secretariat</i></p> <p><i>Q/A, Discussion</i></p>
13:30 - 14:15	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
14:15 -15:15	<p>Transposition and implementation of new energy efficiency requirements under the Clean Energy Package and new Labelling Regulation</p> <p>Update on BRS Policy Guidelines</p> <p>Benefits of EPBD EPCs and Labelling of products</p>	<p><i>Summary by Ms. Katerina Bilbiloska, EECG North Macedonia & updates by other EECG members</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Nick Haralambopoulos, ECA</i></p> <p><i>Mr. Borko Raicevic, Senior Energy Efficiency Expert, Energy Community Secretariat</i></p> <p><i>Q/A, Discussion</i></p>
15:15 -16:15 REGIONAL PROGRAMMES		
15:15 -15:30	Updates on EU funding and TA for Energy Efficiency Neighbourhood Assistance	<i>European Commission, DG NEAR</i>
15:30 -15:45	EU4Energy Governance	<i>Mr. Denis Tumuruc, Senior Energy Expert, Energy Community Secretariat</i>
15:45 -16:00	REEP Plus updates	<i>Ms. Stefania Racolta-Cruceru and Ms. Milena Popovic Martinelli, EBRD; Mr. Matija Tadić, KfW</i>
16:00-16:15	<p>Green for Growth Fund updates</p> <p>Q/As, or updates from other participants</p>	<i>Mr. Borislav Kostadinov, Director, Finance in Motion, Germany</i>
16:15-16:30 CONCLUSIONS		<i>Energy Community Secretariat</i>



Friday, 23 June 2023 (10:00 - 12:15 GET)

WORKSHOP

ON THE ENABLING FRAMEWORK FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND DEMAND REDUCTION MEASURES IN BUILDINGS

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Time	Topic	Speaker
09:30-10:00	Registration / testing connections/ welcoming coffee	
10:00-10:15	<i>Introductory remarks</i>	<i>Mr. Omar Tsereteli, Deputy Head of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Policy and Sustainable Development Department</i> <i>Mr. Borko Raicevic, Senior Energy Efficiency Expert, Energy Community Secretariat</i>
10:15 -11:15	<i>Decarbonisation of the buildings sector</i>	<i>Ms. Karine Melikidze, SDAP Georgia</i> <i>Mr. Tobias Kropp & Prof Kunibert Lennerts Karlsruhe Institute for Technology (KIT), Germany</i> <i>Mr. Thilo Cunz - Head of Buildings Decarbonisation, DENA, Germany</i>
11:15 -11:30	<i>Cost-optimal study and recommendations for notional buildings</i>	<i>Mr. Simon Wössner, Fraunhofer IBP Germany and</i> <i>Mr. Bozidar Pavlovic, KfW Montenegro</i>
11:30-12:00	<i>Q/A, round table and discussion</i>	<i>Ministries/Funds/Agencies from CPs, others</i>
12:00-12:15	<i>Wrap-up and close of the Workshop</i>	

Note: the “Energy Day” in Tbilisi will take place on 23 June 2023 in the afternoon. In cooperation with the Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia, EECG members will be invited to visit this event.