

Renewable Energy Coordination Group 4th Meeting, Vienna, 20-21 November 2017

Energy Community Secretariat, Am Hof 4, 1st District, 5th Floor, Vienna **Draft Agenda**

Monday, 20 November 2017

12:30 – 13:00 – Registration – Welcome refreshments

Time	Topic	Speaker
13:00	Welcome addresses, introductions and adoption of the agenda	Prof. Miloš Banjac (RE CG Chair, Serbia) João Heredia (DG ENER) Janez Kopač (ECS)
13:15	Second Report of the Secretariat to the Ministerial Council on the Progress in the Promotion of Energy from Renewable Sources in the Energy Community	Gabriela Cretu (ECS) Karolina Cegir (ECS)
13:45	Climate and Energy objectives to 2030 – the way forward in the Energy Community	Irina Lazzerini, ECS
14:15	Status of the revised Renewable Energy Directive post 2020 and what lies ahead for the Energy Community	João Heredia, DG ENER
14:45	Global trends towards renewable energy	IRENA (tbc)
	15:15– 15:30 Coffee Break	
15:30	Renewable energy in transport – status of transposition of sustainability criteria in national legislation	All Contracting Parties
16:00	Community Green Projects and Enabling Citizen Participation in the Energy Transition	ZEZ Coop (Croatia)
16:30	Technical assistance to the Contracting Parties Roundtable discussion	Donors and IFIs
17:00	End of day 1	



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09:00 –09:30 – Welcome back coffee

Designing renewable energy auctions in the Energy Community

09:30	SEERMAP project – final results and Contracting Parties overview	Laszlo Szabo (REKK)
10:00	AURES PROJECT Lessons learnt and best practices on implementing auctions in Europe and beyond Interactive policy tool	Fabian Wigand, Silvana Tiedemann (Ecofys)
11:00	Policy Guidelines on Introducing Renewable Energy Auctions in the Energy Community - Design choices related to demand: calendar for auctions, the designation of the institution, the volume to be auctioned; the support mechanism; technologies supported; locations(s) - Design choices related to process: the timeframe, pre-qualification requirements; selection criteria; selection of the winning bid(s); transparency.	Energy Community Secretariat EBRD IRENA
12:00	Case Study: 2016 Pilot auction on solar PV	Pamela Kapetana (RAE)
13:00	Networking lunch	
14:00	Policy Guidelines on Introducing Renewable Energy Auctions in the Energy Community (cont') Discussions on the proposed approach and follow-up	All Contracting Parties and participants
 15:30	Concluding remarks	
15:45	End of the meeting	