

ICER Workshop on Energy Efficiency

12 April 2011, Brussels, Belgium



Regulatory Practices for the Promotion of Energy Efficiency

In June 2010, the International Confederation of Energy Regulators (ICER) published a report on Regulatory Practices for the Promotion of Energy Efficiency. The report presents information gathered from the world's energy markets on regulatory practices aimed at fostering energy efficiency, including an overview of the role of energy regulators in the promotion of end-use energy efficiency. The ICER report is a particularly useful reference point on energy efficiency practices from across the globe, allowing comparison of energy efficiency policies between EU countries (all 27 Member States are covered) and other regions (Africa, North and South America, Asia, Australia and Oceania). Energy regulators have committed to continue this global cooperative work on energy efficiency by reviewing best and promising practices on the promotion of energy efficiency through case studies.

ICER takes the opportunity of the European Union's 2011 Sustainable Energy Week to place a spotlight on energy efficiency which (at least in Europe) has been largely untapped as a way to deliver energy savings and help achieve a secure and clean energy future for all.

With this in mind, we would like to showcase several international perspectives on energy efficiency from the International Energy Agency to the European Commission to individual country experiences.

Key aspects and perspectives to be presented during the workshop:

- **IEA work on energy efficiency**
- **Lessons from the United States**
- **Best practices in Europe to promote energy efficiency**
- **European Commission's revised energy efficiency action plan**

The workshop will take place at **Hotel Silken Berlaymont**, 11-19 Boulevard Charlemagne, Brussels, Belgium, on **Tuesday 12 April 2011 from 14h30 to 17h15**. Further information can be found on the Sustainable Energy Week website: <http://www.eusew.eu/>

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Agenda

Time	Session	Moderator/Speakers
14.00	Registration	
14.30- 14.40	Welcome	Mr Martin Crouch Sustainable Development Task Force Co-Chair, Council of European Energy Regulators (CEER)
14.40- 15.15	ICER Report on Energy Efficiency	Mr Martin Crouch CEER
15.15- 15.45	European Commission's new Energy Efficiency Action Plan	Mr Philip Lowe Director General, DG Energy, European Commission
15.45- 16.15	International Energy Agency work on energy efficiency	Mr Bo Diczfalusy Director, Directorate of Sustainable Energy Policy and Technology, International Energy Agency (IEA)
16.15- 16.45	Lessons from the United States	Mr Richard Cowart Director, European Programmes Regulatory Assistance Project (RAP)
16.45- 17.00	Open discussion with participants	Lord Mogg Chair of International Confederation of Energy Regulators (ICER)
17.00- 17.15	Closing	Lord Mogg Chair of ICER