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World energy solutions: switch to green power

An alternative energy conference on the eve of the World Energy Congress

Dates: Friday 9 - Saturday 10 November 2007

Venue : Sala Conferenze - Piazza di Monte Citorio, 123 A - Rome

PROGRAMME (download pdf - 1.753 KB)

10:00 - 12:00

Friday 9 November 2007 Welcome and Opening Speeches

Welcome by

Mauro Paissan, Garante per la protezione dei dati personali

Roberto Della Seta, President, Legambiente **Monica Frassoni**, Co-President of the Greens/EFA Group in the European Parliament

Interventions of

Margot Wallström, Vice-President, European Commission

Alfonso Pecoraro Scanio, Italian Minister for Environment

Claude Turmes. Vice-President, Greens/EFA

Debate

Panel I - Energy oligopolies & future energy policies

Part 1: Energy oligopolies and nuclear investments: the Enel Case in Mochovce

Chair : **Eva Lichtenberger**, Vice-President, Greens/EFA

Enel's investment in the nuclear power plant of Mochovce in Slovakia

Film: The ghosts of the Soviet nuclear - The case of

Mochovce Interventions of:

Rebecca Harms. Vice-President. Greens/EFA

15:00 - 18:30

15:00-16:30

16:30-17:15

17:15 - 18:30

Evening

10:00-11:30

Giuseppe Onufrio, Campaign Director, Greenpeace Italy

Antonio Tricarico, Coordinator, Campaign for the Reform of the World Bank

Debate

Part 2 : Energy oligopolies: transparency and democracy

Chair : **Marie-Hélène Aubert**, Vice-President, Greens/EFA

Key note speech by **Eva Joly**, Special adviser to the Ministries of Justice and Foreign Affairs in Norway - Former investigating judge in the High Court of Paris. Her most famous case was that of Elf Aquitaine.

Debate

Part 3 : Energy oligopolies: solutions or problems ?

Chair: Eric Joszef, Libération

Round table with:

Chicco Testa, Chairman, XX World Energy Congress Organising Committee Roberto Della Seta, President, Legambiente Mariagrazia Midulla, Responsible of the "Clima" Programme, WWF Italy Claude Turmes, Vice-President, Greens/EFA

Debate

"20 Years Without Nuclear - Let's celebrate!"

Palazzo Rospigliosi - on invitation

Saturday 10 November 2007
Panel II - Scenarios for a new energy and climate policy

Chair: Claude Turmes, Vice-President, Greens/EFA

A climate friendly nuclear-free world is possible : The EREC/Greenpeace scenario

Wolfram Krewitt, Head of the Department of Systems Analysis and Technology Assessment at the Institute of Technical Thermodynamics, German

Aerospace Centre

The Italian scenario

Duccio Bianchi, Director Ambienteitalia - **Rodolfo Pasinetti**, responsible for the Energy issues of Ambienteitalia

The Mediterranean solar power super grid - a peace and development project for the XXI century **Paul Metz**, Co-founder of Gezen - Dutch foundation for large-scale solar power with Concentrating Solar Power

Debate

Coffee break

Panel III - Cities and regions : key climate actors

Chair: Sepp Kusstatscher, Member, Greens/EFA

Video on London's Climate Action Plan with statement of **Ken Livingstone**, Mayor of London

Upper Austria: the most dynamic region in Europe on renewables

Rudi Anschober, Regional Minister for Environment in Upper Austria

Rome: Towards a climate friendly city? **Dario Esposito**, Deputy Mayor of Rome (Environment)

Debate

Panel IV - The real business winners

Chair : **Rebecca Harms**, Vice-President, Greens/EFA

Jorge Vasconcelos, Head of a European Renewable Energy Investment Portfolio and former head of EU Energy Regulators

Paride De Masi, President, Confindustria Fonti Rinnovabili

Steve Sawyer, Secretary General, Global Wind Energy Council

Vincenzo Naso, President, International Solar Energy Society Italy

Alain Wouters, Architect, Art & Build

Debate

Coffee break

Panel V - Renewable energies: if not now, when ?

Chair : **Monica Frassoni**, Co-President, Greens/EFA

11:30 - 11:45 11:45 - 13:00

15:00-16:30

16:30-16:45 16:45-18:00

Round-table with:

Alfonso Pecoraro Scanio, Italian Minister for Environment
Ermete Realacci, President of the Committee of Environment, Italian Chamber of Deputies
Tommaso Sodano, President of the Committee of Environment, Italian Senate
Emma Bonino, Italian Minister for European
Affairs and International Trade

Debate and conclusions

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