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UNECE activities in Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Energy Efficiency 21 (EE21) Programme

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Committee on Sustainable Energy



- Energy Security Dialogue
- Working Party on Gas
- Gas Centre
- Energy Efficiency 21 Programme

Group of Experts on Energy Efficiency Investments for Climate Change Mitigation

Group of Experts on Global Energy Efficiency 21 (GEE21)

- Group of Experts on Cleaner Electricity Production
- Group of Experts on Coal Mine Methane (CMM)
- Expert Group on Resource Classification



Energy Efficiency 21 (EE21) Programme



- Launched in 1991
- Seventh 3-year phase of the Programme (2009-2012)
- General Objective: To enhance regional cooperation on energy efficiency market formation and investment project development to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in economies in transition
- Ten regional, sub-regional, country-oriented and interregional projects



Sub-regional Projects of EE21 Programme (2009-2012)



- Financing Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Investments for Climate Change Mitigation (FEEI)
- The Regional Network for Efficient Use of Energy and Water Resources in South-Eastern Europe (RENEUER)
- Energy efficiency market formation in South-Eastern Europe



Country-oriented, sub-regional and inter-regional Projects of EE21 Programme (2009-2012)



- Removing Barriers to Energy Efficiency Improvements in the State Sector in Belarus [Country-oriented]
- Increasing Energy Efficiency for Secure Energy Supplies
- Development of the Renewable Energy Sector in the Russian Federation and in CIS Countries: Prospects for Interregional Cooperation
- Global Energy Efficiency 21 (GEE21)
 [Inter-regional]



Sub-regional Projects of EE21 Programme (2009-2012)

- Buy Smart green procurement for smart purchasing
- Cooperative Project on Methane Capture and Use: Best Practice Guidance on Effective Methane Drainage and Use in Coal Mines



Interdivisional Cooperation Activities of EE21 Programme (2009-2012)



- Energy Efficiency in Housing: The Action Plan for Energy Efficient Housing in the UNECE Region
- Wood Energy: Modern and sustainable heat and power from woody biomass in South-Eastern Europe



Financing Energy Efficiency Investments for **Climate Change Mitigation (FEEI) Project**



Long-Term Objective

Promote an investment environment for self-sustaining energy efficiency and renewable energy projects to be developed and financed to reduce greenhouse gas emissions

Activities

- Source of financing with dedicated investment funds
- Training to help establish bankable project proposals
- Institutional and policy reforms
- Establishing network of energy efficiency managers

12 participating countries

- <u>2 European Union countries</u>: Bulgaria, Romania
 <u>5 South-Eastern European countries</u>: Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Serbia
- 5 countries of Eastern Europe and Central Asia: Belarus, Republic of Moldova, Kazakhstan, Russian Federation, Ukraine

Website

http://feei.info/eng/background



Financing Energy Efficiency Investments for Climate Change Mitigation (FEEI) Project



Co-funding

- United Nations Foundation US\$ 2 million
- Fonds Français pour l'Environnement Mondial US\$ 2.5 million
- UNEP/Global Environment Facility US\$ 3 million
- European Business Congress e.V. US\$ 0.25 million

EBC-funded Activities

- Reducing Greenhouse Gas Emissions through Interfuel Substitution in the Russian Federation
- Two studies (prepared by JSC Gazprom promgaz):

Strategy Study on Inter-fuel Substitution Implemented in the Kolpashevo Municipality (2009)

http://www.unece.org/index.php?id=21793

Potential and Best Alternatives for Investments in Implementing Inter-fuel Substitution in the Federal District of Siberia, Russian Federation (2010)

http://www.unece.org/index.php?id=13163



Increasing Energy Efficiency for Secure Energy Supplies



Funding

Government of the Russian Federation US\$ 0.15 million

Objective

To promote the development of energy efficiency investments projects designed to reduce the domestic consumption of hydrocarbons in the Russian Federation, Kazakhstan and other Central Asia energy exporters

Analytical Study (prepared by ISEDC)
 Increasing Energy Efficiency to Secure Energy
 Supplies in the CIS Region



Second International Energy Efficiency Forum 12-14 September 2011, Dushanbe



Over 120 participants from 25 countries of the UNECE and ESCAP regions

EE21 Projects: FEEI, GEE21, FDI in Advanced Fossil Fuel Technologies

Plenary Sessions:

- Promoting Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy:
 Global and Regional Aspects
- Investments in Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Technologies: International Best Practices
- Energy Economics and Financing Mechanisms:
 Approaches to Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy

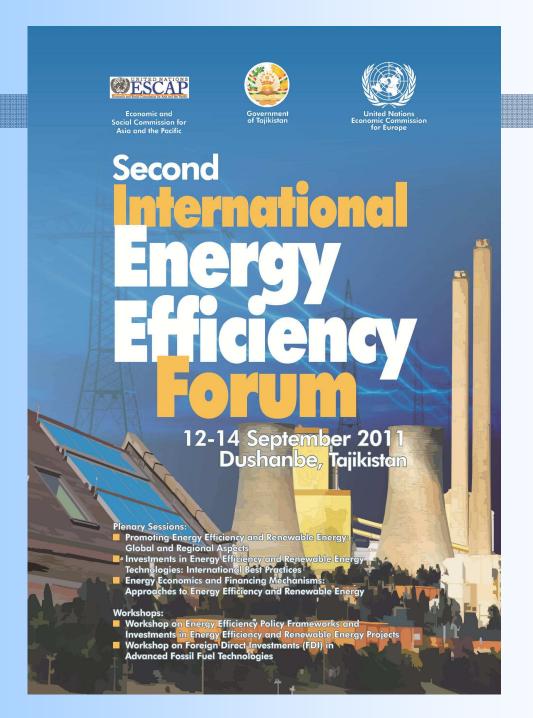
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Workshop on Development of Energy Efficiency Policy Frameworks and Investments in Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Projects

Workshop on Attracting Foreign Direct Investments (FDI) in Advanced Fossil Fuel Technologies

Roundtable Discussion on the Market Opportunities for Promotion of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Projects in Central Asia

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Thank you for your attention!



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