



**THIRD NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE ASSOCIATION OF
BULGARIAN ENERGY AGENCIES (ABEA)**

***MUNICIPAL ENERGY PROJECTS FUNDING
AND TOOLS FOR SUSTAINABLE
ENERGY COMMUNITIES***

**5-6 DECEMBER 2007,
Sofia, Park Hotel Moscow,
hall Moscow**

10:00 - 10:30 REGISTRATION

10:30—11:00 OPENING

Mr. Petar Dimitrov, Minister of the Economy and Energy

Mr. Tasko Ermenkov, Executive Director of the Energy Efficiency Agency, EEA

Mrs. Liyana Adjarova, Chair of ABEA

5 DECEMBER

FIRST PANEL: FUNDING OF MUNICIPAL ENERGY PROJECTS

Moderator: **Ivan Shishkov**

11:00 - 11:30	Initiatives for Sustainable Energy Development in the European Union countries – Ms Cristina Barbero, Director of the Energy Agency of Torino , Italy
11:30- 12:00	JASPERS - Joint Assistance to Support Projects in European Regions Possibilities for Municipal Energy Efficiency Projects" George Chavdarov/Ralf Goldmann JASPERS-European Investment Bank
12:00 - 12:20	EBRD financing and co-financing of municipal energy projects, <i>Doncho Barbalov, EBRD</i>
12:20- 12:40	Funding of municipal EE and RES projects through the Operational programme "Regional development" - <i>Belin Mollov, Ministry of Regional Development and welfare (MRDPW)</i>
12:40- 13:00	Funding of municipal projects through the "Energy Efficiency Fund" – <i>Dimitar Dukov, Energy Efficiency Fund</i>
13:00-14:30	LUNCH

SECOND PANEL: INSTRUMENTS FOR MUNICIPAL ENERGY PROJECTS

Moderator: **Vladimir Valkov**

14:30 - 14:45	Regional and municipal EE and RES programmes and targeted funding of municipal projects through the National Energy Efficiency Programmes – <i>Snejana Todorova, EEA</i>
14:45 - 15:00	Tools for sustainable energy communities – <i>Liyana Adjarova, Energy Agency of Plovdiv</i>
15:00 - 15:15	Sustainable development and financing opportunities resulting from Kyoto mechanisms and European emission trading - <i>Ivanka Pandelieva, Sofia Energy Centre</i>
15:15- 15:30	EE and RES projects within the Program for Rural Regions Development, Vihar Georgiev, Agency for financial consultations Cibola
16:00-16:45	COFFEE BREAK

THIRD PANEL: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY PROJECTS- GOOD PRACTICES

Moderator: **Liyana Adjarova**

15:45- 16:00	Public forum for energy development as a tool for decision making for energy projects—Ivan Shishov, SOFENA, Slavea Hristova, Balkan Assist
16:00 - 16:15	Tender preparation for investor selection for the implementation of integrated municipal energy projects– <i>Vladimir Valkov, Regional Energy Agency of Pazardjik</i>
16:15 - 16:30	EcoGrad, Bulgaria: an overview of infrastructure and financing for a model sustainable, self-sufficient e-economy in a Bulgarian Municipality, <i>Michael Murray, EnerCir, Ireland.</i>
16:30 – 16:45	Small scale regional biofuel installation — <i>Marck Antony Chasner</i>
16:45 – 17:00	Alternative and sustainable transport modes as tools for reducing traffic in large cities. Introduction of mobility management – <i>Klimentina Hadjieva, Virtual Mobility Agency</i>
17:00 – 17:15	Public-private partnership for building of system of hydroelectric power plants – <i>Plamen Dilkov, VETS Svoghe OOD</i>
17:15– 17:30	Joint teams of Energy Agencies and Municipal Administrations for project development – <i>Stela Stancheva, MEA Rouse</i>
17:30-18:00	Energy management in buildings and SMEs—Zdravko Georgiev, SOFENA

18:00 - 18:30

DISCUSSION

19:00

COCKTAILS

6 DECEMBER

FIRST PANEL: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY PROJECTS FOR LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

9:30- 10:10	Sustainable Energy Projects for Local Economic Development – SEIPLED presentation , <i>Marcello Antinucci, ECUBA Italy</i>
10:10 - 10:40	Sustainable energy in ecological productive areas, <i>Ronald Verhagen, ECUBA, Italy</i>
11:40 - 11:10	Certificate for energy performance in industry and trade in Saxony – an instrument for encouraging the investments, <i>Katja Dinges, B&SU, Germany</i>
11:10—11:30	COFFEE BREAK

11:30- 12:00	Regional project for sustainable energy development “Energievision Murau” <i>Josef Baerthaler, EAO, Austria</i>
12:00 - 12:30	Sustainable energy development through RES in Cornwall industry, <i>Charmian Larke, REOC, UK</i>
12:30- 13:00	Investment projects for renewable energy from biogas in Lithuania, <i>Valentinas Klevas, IEI, Lithuania</i>
13:00-14:00	LUNCH

SECONDPANEL: SUSTAINABLE ENERGY PROJECTS FOR LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

14:00 - 14:30	Renewable energy from exploitation of Geothermal energy field in Thessaloniki bay, <i>Ioanna Tsalakanidou, ANATOLIKI, Greece</i>
14:30- 15:00	Action Plan for sustainable energy development in Zone B5 of Sofia, <i>SOFENA, Bulgaria</i>
15:00 - 15:30	Readiness of Regulation base in Bulgaria for starting sustainable energy development projects – <i>Ministry of Finance</i>

15:30 – 16:00 COFFEE BREAK

16:00 - 18:00 PRESENTATION OF COMPANIES AND PROJECTS FINANCED BY NATIONAL INOVATION FUND