



**2030 CLIMATE AND ENERGY FRAMEWORK:
THE NEED FOR MUTUALLY REINFORCING POLICIES**

When: 16th October, 9:00 – 14:00

Venue: European Parliament, Paul-Henri Spaak (PHS) Building, Room 5B1

Following the European Commission's adoption of a Green Paper on "A 2030 framework for climate and energy policies" and the subsequent public consultation, the Commission is preparing more concrete proposals for the 2030 framework scheduled for the end of 2013.

Such a framework is an important opportunity to establish mutually reinforcing policies for energy efficiency, renewable energy and climate protection. This, in turn, will enable the transition to a sustainable energy system and make a meaningful contribution to global climate action: reducing resource and carbon use, increasing security of supply, boosting competitiveness and ensuring a job rich recovery.

In this context, several questions arise:

- What are the past successes and failures in realising the specific objectives of the three policies?
- How can the EU improve synergistic interactions?
- How can a 2030 package help respond to the challenges of increasing energy costs, constrained public budgets and high unemployment, as well as to the global urgency for climate action?

In order to provide some answers to these questions, Climate Action Network Europe (CAN-E), the European Renewable Energy Council (EREC) and the Coalition for Energy Savings invite you to a panel debate on a mutually reinforcing policy framework.

Programme

09:00 - 09:30	<i>Registration</i>
09:30 - 09:45	<i>Welcome and introduction</i> Fiona Hall (Shadow Rapporteur, 2030 Green Paper, MEP, European Parliament)
09:45 - 10:00	<i>2030 Green Paper public consultation and modelling</i> Mechthild Wörsdörfer (Head of Unit, Directorate-General for Energy, European Commission)
10:00 – 10:15	<i>Fossil fuel dependency and clean energy investments</i> Robert Tromp (Head of Energy Efficiency Unit, IEA)
10:15 - 10:30	<i>Questions & Answers</i>
10:30 - 10:40	<i>Keeping global average temperature rise below 2 degrees: The urgency of climate change action</i> Wendel Trio (Director, CAN Europe)



- 10:40 – 10:50** ***Technology leadership and economic recovery: the role of the renewable energy industry***
Josche Muth (Secretary General, EREC)
- 10:50 – 11:00** ***Energy savings: the economic pillar for a stable, acceptable and viable policy framework***
Stefan Scheuer (Secretary General, Coalition for Energy Savings)
- 11:00 - 11:15** ***Questions & Answers***
- 11:15 - 12:45** ***Open panel debate: A mutually reinforcing policy?***
Moderator: Nick Mabey (Director, E3G)
Debate with representatives of national governments and Members of the European Parliament
Speakers include:
Silke Karcher, Head of Unit of European Climate and Energy Policy and New Market Mechanisms, Federal Ministry for the Environment, Germany
Stéphanie Croguennec, Head of Greenhouse Gas Mitigation Department, Directorate General for Energy and Climate, France
Peter Wittoeck, Head of Climate Change Section, Federal Public Service for Health, Food Chain Safety and Environment, Belgium
- 12:45 - 13:00** ***Conclusions***
- 13:00 - 14:00** ***Lunch***