





# **WORKSHOP**

# "The Clean Energy Package and the national energy and climate plans — Outlook for Renewable Energies in Slovakia"

Organized in cooperation with the National Council of the Slovak Republic

National Council of the Slovak Republic Room: Cinema hall – kinosála Námestie Alexandra Dubčeka 1, Bratislava Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2019, 11.30 – 16.00

Working languages: English and Slovak – simultaneous interpretation provided

#### 11.30 - 11.40 Welcome speech

Karol Galek, Member of the National Council of the Slovak Republic

#### 11.40 – 12.40: Setting the ambition for renewables for Slovakia

The session will present the current situation of renewable energies in Slovakia and how it will be addressed via the national energy and climate plans, considering the EU's clean energy package. The session intends to set the picture of the present to discuss the development of policies for the Slovakian renewable energy system of the future.

## Chair: Jan Geiss, Secretary General, EUFORES

- Slovakia's contribution to the EU's 2030 targets on renewables and energy efficiency
  Michaela Holl, European Commission, Directorate-General for Energy Policy
- Recent and future measures to boost renewables in Slovakia

  Director of Energy Department at the Ministra

**Ján Petrovič**, Director of Energy Department at the Ministry of Economy of the Slovak Republic

- The impact of the EU's Clean Energy Package on Slovakia's energy transition
  Norbert Kurilla, State Secretary, Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic
- The role of European legislation for Slovakian RES policies

**Eugen Jurzyca**, Member of the European Parliament **Martin Hojsík**, Member of the European Parliament

**Questions & Answers** 









#### 12.40 – 13.40: Towards a new energy system and energy markets

This session will discuss the trends of the new energy system and energy markets in Slovakia. Innovative initiatives and new business models from different sectors will be presented to show how different actors are implementing solutions overcoming the challenges faced by the traditional energy system and thereby shaping the future Slovakian energy system and markets.

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- Status quo and opportunities for Slovakian RES policies
  Veronika Galeková, Director, Slovak Association of Photovoltaic Industry and RES (SAPI)
- Renewables in the Slovak Transport Sector: Developments and Challenges
  Boris Valach, Portfolio Manager for Slovakia and Czech Republic, Eclareon
- Local Sustainable Energy Action Plans: role of Citenergo in the use of LRER
  Stanislav Tupta, Slovak Energy Cities Network, Citinergo
- Powering Slovakian households with renewable energy
  Kvetoslava Šoltésová, Head of Department, Slovak Innovation and Energy Agency (SIEA)

#### **Questions & Answers**

13.40 - 14.30: Lunch Break

14.45 – 16.00: Discussion: Shaping and funding the Slovak energy transition Chair: Jan Geiss, Secretary General, EUFORES

#### Input speeches

• Pavol Szalai, Senior Editor, Euractiv

# Experts panel

- Karol Galek, Member of the National Council of the Slovak Republic
- Zuzana Šturdíková, Emission Trading Department, Ministry of Environment of the Slovak Republic
- Ján Petrovič, Director of the Energy Department, Ministry of Economy of the Slovak Republic
- Eduard Heger, Member of the National Council of the Slovak Republic

Exchange of views and discussion among participants

15.15 - 15.30 : Coffee Break

