

Breakfast Briefing – European Parliament, Brussels

Dealing with the environmental issues of large scale energy storage to facilitate integration of renewables into a European electricity supergrid

Hosted by Sir Graham Watson MEP, Climate Parliament, Chairman

Wednesday, 28th of November 2012, 09:00 – 10:00

Facilitating energy storage to allow high penetration of intermittent renewable energy

The **stoRE** project aims to facilitate the realization of the ambitious renewable energy targets by unblocking the potential for energy storage infrastructure to be integrated in the European electricity supergrid. This breakfast briefing in the European Parliament will discuss our findings and recommendations regarding environmental issues connected to the development and operation of bulk energy storage facilities. It is an important contribution in the effort to strike a balance between the role energy storage can play to support high penetration of renewable energy and possible negative environmental impacts of large infrastructure projects like pumped hydro energy storage systems. Further information: www.store-project.eu

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Welcome	Sir Graham Watson, MEP (Climate Parliament, Chairman)
Introduction	Oliver Jung (ESHA) and Thomas Maidonis (WIP)
Policy recommendations for furthering the sustainable development of bulk energy storage	Annicka, Wänn (UCC)
Discussion and Tour de table	ALL

Where:

European Parliament, Brussels – exact venue to be confirmed

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