## About the Enterprise Europe Network

Launched in 2008 by the European Commission, the Enterprise Europe Network offers information on EU legislation, funding opportunities and research projects and helps to find business or technology cooperation partners.

The services are specifically designed for small- and medium-sized enterprises, but are also available to all businesses, research centres and universities across Europe.

The Enterprise Europe Network is made up of nearly 600 partner organisations in more than 40 countries, employing around 3.000 experienced staff members to promote competitiveness and innovation at local level in Europe and beyond.

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# About the Sector Group Intelligent Energy

Offers and Requests from the European Technology and Business Cooperation Database



The Sector Group Intelligent Energy is a specialised sub-group of the Enterprise Europe Network, emphasizing on renewable energies and energy efficiency.

The members offer their clients necessary guidance, contacts and information in order to find European business and technology partners for successful technical cooperation, business agreements and European research projects in the energy sector.

Technical sectors covered are: biogas, biomass and biofuels, photo-voltaics and solar thermal, hydropower and wave energy, wind and geothermal energy, renewable energies for energy efficient buildings, fuel cells and hydrogen technologies, energy efficiency, energy production, storage and distribution.

The Sector Group comprises some 70 members from the Enterprise Europe Network, representing most EU member states, candidate and associated countries.

Biofixation of Carbon Dioxide (CO2) by Microalgae Offer (ref: 11 IS 81ET 3LLJ) – Iceland

Development of stationary storage technologies for small wind turbines
Request (ref: 11 DE 18A5 3MY5) – Germany

Harvesting power from water, wind and human movement through novel technology Offer (ref: 11 GB 46P4 3LYI) – Great Britain

A technology line for the biocarbon production from biomass

Offer (ref: 10 PL 64BH 3HYH) – Poland

Novel tailor made LED lighting system for greenhouses

Offer (ref: 11 IS 81ET 3LDI) – Iceland

Innovative Building Lighting Management System Offer (ref: 10 GB 46P4 3ILN) – Great Britain

Development of an innovative roof integrated solar system

Offer (ref: 11 DE 76DW 3MI0) – Germany

Belgian public institution devoted to material science including expertise in organic electronics is looking for industrial, scientific and technological partners willing to collaborate into developing innovative solutions in organic electronics. (BCD)

(ref: 20110706016) – Belgium

Fuel cell power generator Offer (ref: 11 IT 56Z6 3MAB) – Italy

A German service company providing an innovative full service portfolio for solar plants, PV modules and components is offering transport/logistic services (BCD) (ref: 20110823011) – Germany



World Sustainable Energy Days Cooperation Event at expoEnergy/Energiesparmesse Wels Wels, Austria, 1 March 2012

Successful R&D in Europe: 4th European Networking Event Düsseldorf, Germany, 8 – 9 March 2012

Company Mission and Meetingpoint on Energy efficient building and Passive House
Stuttgart, Germany, 28 – 30 March 2012

Partnering Event at EXPOCOMFORT Exhibition and Conference

Milano, Italy, 29 – 30 March 2012

Technology Cooperation Days at Hannover Messe Energy Efficient Factories and Industrial Production Technologies - Processes - Materials Hannover, Germany, 24 – 26 April 2012

### **Successful Co-operation,** moderated by the Sector Group Intelligent Energy

Seminar provided new Danish and British jobs: The Danish company Apro, specialist for installation and service of wind mills, participated with great success in a seminar focusing on offshore wind opportunities in England

Among the speakers of the seminar was the British organization Targeting Innovation of the Enterprise Europe Network and their local partner Team Humber Marine Alliance. The two British organizations announced an interesting fact: Until 2020, the UK government will invest billions in the construction of several thousand offshore wind mills. This provides great chances for Danish companies from this branch.

Apro talked to the British representatives and agreed to start business cooperation with companies from the UK. Apro arranged a trip to England and met with ten companies. One of them was Cosalt which

was interested in entering the market for wind mills by the support of Apro. Within three months the deal for a joint venture was concluded between Cosalt and Apro. Thanks to Cosalt's solid financial basis and well established network of clients and Apro's competences, the newly created British company has been in the position to hire 80 employees up to now, most of them coming from Denmark. Further staff expansions are planned.

