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NEW GHG EMISSION TRADING SCHEME IN THE EU

CAN IT DELIVER WHAT IT PROMISES?

International conference on the future of GHG emission trading in the EU

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On January 23 2008 the European Commission presented a set of proposals in support to reach at least 20% reduction of the GHG emissions till 2020 by providing 10% of renewable energy in transport, determining the share of renewable energy of 20% , increasing energy efficiency by 20% and by defining new EU greenhouse gases emission trading scheme (EU ETS). Until now EU ETS has not fulfilled its promises to deliver effective and efficient reduction of the GHG emissions from the largest emitters thus in on the front line of the Slovene EU Presidency the new ETS should be in the focus of both climate protection and competitiveness of EU economy concerns.

In order to contribute to balanced and qualified multi-stakeholder discussion on the issue *Slovenski E-Forum*, *Society for Energy Economics & Environment* (www.se-f.si) and *Focus*, *association for sustainable development* (www.focus.si) are organizing with support of *The National Council of the Republic of Slovenia* an international conference on the future of GHG emission trading in the EU. On March 20 and 21 the representatives of European Commission, European Parliament and Slovene EU Presidency, business, consultancy, academic and NGO organizations are invited to Ljubljana, the capital of Slovenia, to contribute to improved environmental effectiveness and economic efficiency of the proposed EU ETS during the Slovene EU Presidency as well as to discuss the foundations, barriers, limits and alternatives to emission trading. The conference language is English.

The conference is a part of activities of Slovene environmental NGO community during Slovene EU presidency and will also commemorate 15th anniversary of the establishment of Slovenski E-forum. For details on the program, registration, fees&credits, travel& accommodation etc. please take a look on: www.se-f.si/en/ETS .

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