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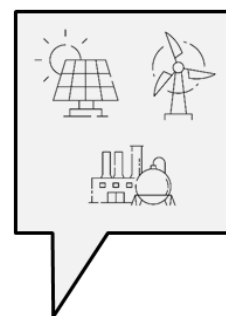


Republic of Serbia  
Ministry of Mining  
and Energy



16-17 November 2021

## Renewables in Serbia: The Path Ahead, Net Metering and Auctions



# HARDTALK

## AGENDA

Day 1 of 2, Tuesday, 16 November 2021, 09:30-12:40 CET

**RE Support:** *How can current support mechanisms for renewable energy deployment be strengthened and improved?*

*What is the role of net metering in the deployment of renewable energy in Serbia?*

### 09:30-09:55 **Welcome Address & Introduction**

Mr. Laurence Green, Renewable Energy Expert, dena + UNECE RE-Uptake Project Team

Ms. Jovanka Atanacković, State Secretary, Ministry of Mining and Energy Serbia

Mr. Tibor Fischer, Director Renewable Energy & Innovation in the Energy Transitions, dena

Ms. Rana Adib, Executive Director, REN21 Secretariat

Ms. Francoise Jacob, UN Resident Coordinator in Serbia, UN Serbia

### 09:55-10:05 **Introduction to Hard Talk Day 1**

Mr. Gianluca Sambucini, Secretary of GERE/UNECE

### 10:05-10:25 **Topic / Challenge Introduction**

#### ***Renewables in Serbia: Status and the Path Ahead***

Ms. Natalija Luković, Assistant Minister for Green Energy, Ministry of Mining and Energy Serbia

#### ***Net metering in Serbia***

Mr. Dejan Stojadinović, Renewable Energy Expert

### 10:25-10:55 **Perspective Presentations**

#### ***RE Promotion in Serbia: Challenges and Opportunities***

Mr. Toby D. Couture, Founder and Director, E3 Analytics

#### ***Financing Renewable Energy Projects in the UNECE Region***

Mr. Matija Vajdić, UNECE Consultant

#### ***Net Metering in Practice: Consumer to Prosumer***

Mr. Milos Kostić, CEO, MT Komex and RES Serbia Member

### 10:55-11:30 **Open Discussion Round 1: Key Issues, Bottlenecks and Positive Directions**

Moderation: Mr. Dejan Stojadinović, Renewable Energy Expert



- 11:30-11:50**    **Break**
- 11:50-12:00**    **Presentation of Main Discussion Points and Possible Solutions**  
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- 12:00-12:30**    **Open Discussion Round 2: Solution & Recommendation Refinement**  
Moderation: Mr. Dejan Stojadinović, Renewable Energy Expert
- 12:30-12:35**    **Conclusions and Recommendations**  
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Mr. Dejan Stojadinović, Renewable Energy Expert
- 12:35-12:40**    **Summary & Next Steps**  
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**Please find the agenda for day two on the following page**



## AGENDA

**Day 2 of 2, Wednesday, 17 November 2021, 09:30-12:40 CET**

**RE Auctions:** *What are the opportunities and challenges for renewable energy auctions in Serbia?*

*How can international best practice and experience be utilised in the development of renewable energy auctions in Serbia?*

**09:30-09:40 Welcome and Summary of Day 1**

Mr. Laurence Green, Renewable Energy Expert, dena + UNECE RE-Uptake Project Team

UNECE Re-Uptake Project Team (UNECE, REN21, dena)

Ms. Natalija Luković, Assistant Minister for Green Energy, Ministry of Mining and Energy Serbia

**09:40-09:50 Introduction to Hard Talk Day 2**

Mr. Gianluca Sambucini, Secretary of GERE/UNECE

**09:50-10:00 Topic / Challenge Introduction**

Mr. Ivan Gazdić, Partner, CMS Belgrade

**10:00-10:40 Perspective Presentations**

***RE Auctions in Serbia: Objectives and Progress***

Ms. Natalija Luković, Assistant Minister for Green Energy, Ministry of Mining and Energy Serbia

***RE Auctions: International Trends and Experience***

Ms. Ana Amazo Blanco, Managing Consultant, Guidehouse

***RE Project Development: Challenges and Opportunities***

Ms. Maja Turković, Senior Vice President Development Europe, CWP Global

***RE Project Development***

Mr. Dusan Opacić, Project Manager Renewables, Elicio NV

**10:40-11:20 Open Discussion Round 1: Key Issues, Bottlenecks and Positive Directions**

Moderation: Mr. Ivan Gazdić, Partner, CMS Belgrade

**11:20-11:40 Break**

**11:40-11:50 Presentation of Main Discussion Points and Possible Solutions**

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**11:50-12:20 Open Discussion Round 2: Solution & Recommendation Refinement**

Moderation: Mr. Ivan Gazdić, Partner, CMS Belgrade

**12:20-12:30 Conclusions and Recommendations**

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Mr. Ivan Gazdić, Partner, CMS Belgrade



**12:30-12:40 Hard Talk Wrap-up & End**

Ms. Natalija Luković, Assistant Minister for Green Energy, Ministry of Mining and Energy Serbia  
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