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ENERGIEWENDE: THE WAY AHEAD

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Background

This COP25 side-event at the German Pavilion will bring together international stakeholders and decision makers of the global Energy Transition or “Energiewende” as it is called in German. They will discuss current policies, plans and strategies that are needed in order to decarbonise the energy sector further and make it comply with the goals of the Paris agreement. What is “the way ahead” for the global energy transition?

The side-event, taking place in the framework of the German-Chilean Energy Partnership, will critically assess not only the German Energiewende, but the global transformation, too.

As a take-away participants should learn about best-practice examples, the do’s and don’t’s of energy transitions and about how to further progress towards sustainable energy systems.

Guiding Questions

- What is the state-of-the-art in your country?
- How can countries ensure climate protection, affordability, security of supply and access for all at the very same time?
- Which measures need to be taken to achieve carbon neutrality by 2050?
- How to ensure political and societal support to implement fundamental changes that an ambitious energy transition implies?
- What role can markets play in achieving carbon neutrality and acceptance?
- How do you transition in heating & cooling, transport and electricity?
- What are your concrete goals for 2030?
- What have you identified as “gold standard”-measures for progressing towards a more sustainable energy system?
- How do you ensure the fulfilment of your NDC?

Speakers and Moderator

Andreas Feicht, State Secretary, Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy, Germany

Andrew McAllister, Commissioner, Californian Energy Commission, USA

Anders Hoffmann, Deputy Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Energy, Denmark

Claudio Seebach, Executive Chairman, Generators of Chile

Moderator: **Antonella Battaglini**, CEO, Renewables Grid Initiative

Structure

- Welcome
- Impulse
- Panel Discussion
- Summary and Closing