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Armenia

Energy efficiency

Hahn at the informal Eastern Partnership dialogues to step up Summit preparations and cooperation 10 Jul

Armenia: EU project "Mayors' Agreement - East" held a series of events on raising awareness within the framework of the European Energy Days of 2017 in Armenia 10 Jul

Modernising Energy Efficiency of Public and Multi-Apartment Buildings 7 Jul

UN to provide Armenia with \$20 million grant to boost efficient use of energy resources 7 Jul

Renewable Energy

Armenian youth discuss their country's potential to develop renewable energy 12 Jul

Renewable energy in Armenia becomes factor of influence of external forces 11 Jul

"Energy Talks for Businesses" 7 Jul

EU ambassador: All Armenians want to be independent in energy sector 7 Jul

EU Energy Days: Yerevan Welcomes its First Solar-Powered Bus Stops 7 Jul

Invitation: Inauguration of the first solar powered bus stops in Yerevan within the EU Energy Days in Armenia 2017 6 Jul

Energy policy, economic and business news

EU-Ukraine summit will be hosted in Kyiv on 12-13 July 11 Jul

Armenia's energy law better than that of some EU countries 11 Jul

Minister praises Armenia's two-year membership in Eurasian Economic Union 6 Jul

Armenian parliament okays increase of water release from Sevan 6 Jul

Nuclear Energy

Armenian nuclear power plant reconnected to power grid 7 Jul

Azerbaijan

Energy efficiency

Russia's Sverdlovsk Oblast interested in Belarusian electric buses 12 Jul

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Renewable Energy

National Day arranged in Azerbaijani pavilion at EXPO 2017 in Astana 10 Jun

Energy policy, economic and business news

Apply now: EuroSchool for young people of Azerbaijan 11 Jul

WPC President: Azerbaijan is sensitive about its investments and natural gas export 10 Jul

President Ilham Aliyev: Turkey-Azerbaijan friendship brings stability to the region 10 Jul

PM: Turkey, Georgia and Azerbaijan demonstrated significance of regional cooperation 10 Jul

Azerbaijan gets sixfold increase in revenues from natural gas export 10 Jul

Azerbaijan, Austria to eye prospects of trade and economic cooperation 10 Jul

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Azerbaijan's head takes part in world petroleum congress in Istanbul 10 Jul

Turkey-Georgia-Azerbaijan: Military and Energetic Bloc 8 Jul

Azerbaijan, Egypt to consider business opportunities 7 Jul

Azerbaijan meets 14% of Georgia's demand for fuel 7 Jul

Oil & Gas

Caspian Energy Transport Forum and Caspian Energy ICT Forum to be held in September 12 Jul

For Jan-Jun oil & gas sector formed 85.66% of Azerbaijan's total export 10 Jul

President: Shahdeniz 2 will be completed soon 10 Jul

Italian Governor opposes construction of TAP pipeline linking Azeri gas to Europe 10 Jul

Azerbaijan supports Chinese investors' participation in SOCAR GPC project 10 Jul

SOCAR spends AZN 76M for environmental remediation 7 Jul

SOCAR continues reducing drilling 6 Jul

Azerbaijan keeps loyalty to commitment on reduction of oil production as part of OPEC/NOPEC deal 6 Jul

Belarus

Energy efficiency

Negotiations in progress to start making electric cars in Belarus 11 Jul

EU-EaP cooperation in energy efficiency to be discussed in Chisinau 6 Jul

Belarus: Days of energy were been held in Polotsk 6 Jul

Belarus: Polack citizens learn innovative ways of saving energy 6 Jul

Renewable Energy

Belarus: EU opens first school designed according to "green" standards 11 Jun

About 35 thousand tons of fuel will save Polotsk hydroelectric power station put into operation 7 Jun (in Russian)

Energy policy, economic and business news

New FEZ Minsk resident to invest \$570,000 in equipment production 11 Jul

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Belarus: Residents learn to sort waste on City Day in Marjina Horka 7 Jul

Coal

German company to drill shafts for second Belarusian potash mining factory 7 Jul

Nuclear Energy

On scientific support of the construction of a nuclear power plant in the Republic of Belarus 10 Jul (in Russian)

Lukashenka: we will build the safest nuclear power plant 6 Jul (in Russian)

Experts: nuclear energy reduces greenhouse gas emissions and stimulates global sustainable development 6 Jul (in Russian)

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Georgia

Energy efficiency

9th Ministerial Dialogue on Eastern Partnership gives attention to energy efficiency 11 Jul

Wissol opens first charging station for electric cars 11 Jul

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Renewable Energy

Nenskra HPP Project Launches New Website 11 Jul

Energy policy, economic and business news

Georgian PM appoints new Energy Minister, Vice Prime Minister 12 Jul

Turkey-Georgia-Azerbaijan: Military and Energetic Bloc 8 Jul

Energy minister attends last governmental meeting 6 Jul

Electricity

Electricity Market Watch: JUNE 10 Jul

Power supply upgraded in Georgia's Imereti region 5 Jul

Oil & Gas

The Agency makes the statement (the State Agency of Oil and Gas of Georgia and JSC Georgian Oil and Gas Corporation (GOGC) signing a production sharing contract for Samgori South Dome) 12 Jul

Moldova

Energy efficiency

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EU and Eastern Partnership countries step-up cooperation on energy efficiency 10 Jul

Johannes Hahn in Chisinau: Energy efficiency offers economic growth opportunities 10 Jul

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Renewable Energy

The meeting of the Moldovan-Ukrainian working group on the work of the Dniester hydropower complex will be held in early September - Octavian Calmac 10 Jul

Czech companies interested in implementing water supply and treatment, renewable energy and waste treatment projects 6 Jul

Energy policy, economic and business news

Presentation of new cooperation draft strategy of Moldova, EBRD for 2017-2022 11 Jul

New opportunities set for intensifying cooperation of Moldova, United Arab Emirates 11 Jul

New page in relations between Moldova, United Arab Emirates 10 Jul

Speaker says, re-launching of infrastructure projects being priority for Moldova 10 Jul

IXth Meeting of Informal Ministerial Dialogue on Eastern Partnership takes place in Chisinau 10 Jul

Moldova to host 9th meeting of informal ministerial dialogue of Eastern Partnership 7 Jul

The Energy Community Secretariat is assisting Moldova in developing secondary legislation in the areas of gas and electricity 6 Jul

Electricity

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“Termoelectrica” launches Viber phone number 11 Jul

Oil & Gas

Fuel price ceilings raised 11 Jul

Moldovan national energy regulatory agency sets fuel sales ceiling for upcoming fortnight 11 Jul

Russian Federation

Energy efficiency

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Energy policy, economic and business news

Alexey Texler took part in the events of the international industrial exhibition "INNOPROM" 12 Jul (in Russian)

Erdogan to meet with Russian Energy Minister in Istanbul 10 Jul

Electricity

Novak: power stations in Crimea to be launched in first quarter of 2018 11 Jul

Andrey Cheresov inspected the progress of construction of Sevastopol and Simferopol Combined-cycle - thermal power plant 12 Jul (in Russian)

Oil & Gas

Novak: rising oil output of other countries not to affect cuts agreement 11 Jul

Anton Inyutsyn took part in the session of the 22th World Oil Congress "The future of Russian power engineering" 11 Jul (in Russian)

Russia and OPEC to discuss oil in Istanbul 10 Jul

Coal

Deputy Minister of Energy of the Russian Federation Anatoly Yanovsky gave official start to two new coal productions 10 Jul (in Russian)

Ukraine

Energy efficiency

Ukraine: Seminar on use of means and methods of sustainable energy supply planning at the municipal level took place in Kiev 12 Jul 9 (in Russian)

9th Ministerial Dialogue on Eastern Partnership gives attention to energy efficiency 11 Jul

Ukraine, France's Engie in talks for Chernobyl PV complex – report 11 Jul

EBRD raises compensation under IQ Energy program to 35% 11 Jul

The government has allocated an additional 300 million USD for financing the program of "warm" loans in 2017 11 Jul (in Russian)

The largest in Ukraine "warm" loan for the Association of co-owners of an apartment building for the amount of almost UAH 10 million was issued 11 Jul (in Russian)

EBRD increased payments for "warm" loans 11 Jul (in Russian)

Renewable Energy

In the Dnepropetrovsk region will be built a plant for the pellets production 12 Jul (in Russian)

Belgians intend to establish a wind power plant in the Kiliya district of the Odessa region 12 Jul (in Russian)

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DTEK Subsidiary enterprise attracted 7.1 million euros of credit costs for the construction of a solar power station 11 Jul (in Russian)

In the Zaporozhye region to be built solar power plant 11 Jul (in Russian)

In Kiev was been launched the first solar station on the roof of an office building 11 Jul (in Russian)

"Paper project" of the Ukrainian wind farm: how to get land, but not build a wind farm 11 Jul (in Russian)

5 wind farms are being prepared and built in Ukraine 11 Jul (in Russian)

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Another Dnipro city hospital is transferred to alternative heating 10 Jul (in Russian)

In the Poltava region security police use solar panels for signaling and video surveillance 9 Jul (in Russian)

A French company can build a giant solar power station in Chernobyl 7 Jul (in Russian)

Chinese company to build biofuel power plant in western Ukraine 7 Jul (in Russian)

Under Skadovsk city will start up the solar station 6 Jul (in Russian)

Energy policy, economic and business news

Procedure on Open Discussion of Tariffs to Be Established by the Ukrainian Regulator 12 Jul

Ukraine should become energy independent state by 2020 - Groyzman 12 Jul

Energy Ministry sees no prerequisites for raising gas price for public in new heating season 11 Jul

Visegrad countries discuss situation in Ukraine 11 Jul

Director discusses critical energy reforms with key stakeholders in Ukraine 6 Jul

EBRD reaffirms support for reforms in Ukraine at high-level London conference 6 Jul

'We [EBRD] pledge continued support for Ukraine' 6 Jul

Electricity

Agreement on conditions on joining Ukrainian and Moldovan power grids to ENTSO-E takes effect 7 Jul

Some towns and villages in three regions of Ukraine still without electricity 7 Jul

Oil & Gas

Poland to supply more gas to Ukraine from September 12 Jul

Ukrtransgaz, Poland's Gaz-System to offer extended capacity for gas supply to Ukraine from Sept 12 Jul

Ukraine halves oil production in ten years – expert 11 Jul

Ukrnaftoburinnia raises gas production by 65% in H1, 2017 11 Jul

Ukrainian enterprises import gas at \$213.7 in June 11 Jul

Ukrgezvydobuvannia announces tender for 40 more hydraulic fracturing projects 11 Jul

Ukraine boosts gas inventories to almost 12 bcm since end of heating season 10 Jul

MET trader gets license for gas supply in Ukraine 6 Jul

Coal

Govt creates working group to tackle crisis in coal industry 6 Jul

Nuclear Energy

Nuclear fuel inspectorate approves use of Westinghouse fuel at two more reactors of Zaporizhia NPP 10 Jul

EU sends EUR19 mln in grants for EBRD-managed Nuclear Safety Account 7 Jul

EU contributes to further improvement of nuclear safety at Chornobyl power plant 7 Jul

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