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Statement by Commissioner Simson on the situation at the Zaporizhzhia Nuclear Power Plant

The EU reaffirms that the deployment of Russian military personnel and weaponry at the Zaporizhzhia nuclear facility is an open violation of all internationally agreed safety, security and safeguards provisions.

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Council adopts regulation on reducing gas demand by 15% this winter

To increase the EU's security of energy supply, the Council adopted on 5 August a regulation on a voluntary reduction of natural gas demand by 15% this winter.

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Save Gas for a Safe Winter: Commission proposes gas demand reduction plan to prepare EU for supply cuts

The Commission proposed on 20 July a new legislative tool and a European Gas Demand Reduction Plan to reduce gas use in Europe by 15% until next spring.

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TSOs of Continental Europe agree to increase the trade capacity with the Ukraine/Moldova power system

On 28 July, the Transmission System Operators (TSOs) for Electricity of Continental Europe agreed to increase the trade capacity with Ukraine/Moldova to 250 MW, which is more than double the capacity that was set in the initial phase (100 MW).

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EU and Azerbaijan enhance bilateral relations, including energy cooperation

Based on a strengthened energy cooperation, Azerbaijan is already now increasing deliveries of natural gas to the EU, from 8.1 billion cubic metres in 2021 to an expected 12 bcm in 2022.

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Speeches



Opening remarks at the press conference on the Save Gas for a Safe Winter package of 20 July 2022

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Opening remarks at the press conference of the Extraordinary Energy Council of 26 July 2022

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Upcoming events

Stakeholder workshop on updates of national energy and climate plans



date

08/09/2022



venue

Online



Registration

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Rural Energy Community Advisory Hub – Launch of the Technical Assistance Programme



date

12/09/2022



venue

Kielce, Poland



Registration

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Third PCI Energy Days



date

19/09/2022 - 20/09/2022



venue

Brussels, Belgium



Registration

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European Sustainable Energy Week (EUSEW) 2022



date

26/09/2022 - 30/09/2022



venue

Hybrid

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Covenant of Mayors Investment Forum 2022



date

18/10/2022



venue

Brussels, Belgium

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Latest studies and publications

Assessment of policies for gas distribution networks, gas DSOs and the participation of consumers

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Study on key performance indicators for monitoring implementation of national programmes on safe and long-term management of spent fuel and radioactive waste

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Multiple benefits of energy efficiency investments for financial institutions

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Videos

People with energy

Watch the video testimonials of Mairéad, Marek, Katrin, Renè, Benedetta and Rayco, who work in different renewable energy installations in different parts of the EU.

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Clean energy for EU islands forum 2022

12 video recordings from the 17-18 May forum are now available in the Clean energy for EU islands playlist on YouTube.

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