BIOFIT Industry Forum on Repowering coal power plants to biomass

19 November 2019

Venue: **THE OFFICE**, Rue D’ Arlon 80 - 1040 Brussels, Belgium

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**Agenda**

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| 09:00 – 09:15 | Welcome & Introduction to the BIOFIT project                         | Manolis Karampinis  
**CERTH – Centre for Research and Technology Hellas** |
| 09:15 – 09:45 | Retrofits of coal units to woody biomass                              | Sébastien Dubois  
**ENGIE / Laborelec** |
| 09:45 – 10:15 | RWE’s experiences in converting coal power plants to biomass          | Emiel van Dorp  
**RWE** |
| 10:15 – 10:45 | Role of bioenergy towards net zero carbon emissions: the Drax experience | Ross McKenzie  
**Drax Group** |
| 10:45 – 11:15 | Coffee break                                                          | -                                                                         |
| 11:15 – 11:45 | Replacing coal with Arbaflame pellets: full-scale trials, the Thunder Bay experience and the ARBAFLAME project | Rune Brusletto  
**Arbaflame** |
| 11:45 – 12:45 | Panel discussion: opportunities and challenges of coal to biomass retrofits in Europe | -                                                                         |
| 12:45 – 13:00 | Wrap-up and conclusions                                               | Manolis Karampinis  
**CERTH – Centre for Research and Technology Hellas** |
| 13:00 – 14:00 | Networking lunch                                                       | -                                                                         |
| 14:00 – 18:00 | Working Group Biopower & CHP / Bioenergy Europe                       | -                                                                         |

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