

What European policies to reach the 20% energy efficiency target?

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Proposal for a New EE Directive - Main elements

- 2-step approach regarding targets
- Increased role of the public sector (renovation rate and EE criteria in public purchase)
- Energy efficiency obligation schemes or alternative approaches to be set by MS to address final consumption
- Accurate and frequent individual metering and billing
- Mandatory energy audits for large companies and promotion of audits for households and SMEs
- Heat and cooling demand plans
- Strong obligations for CHP
- Energy efficiency to be taken into account in setting network tariffs and regulations



PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE

June - July
2011

- Commission proposal (22/06)
- European Parliament nominates a rapporteur
- Council starts discussions

Sept – Dec.
2011

- Continuation of discussions in the Council
- Energy Council (November) – progress report
- Start of discussions in the EP, vote ENVI, FEMM

Jan. – June
2012

- ITRE vote on mandate (28/02)
- Finalisation of the position in the Council
- Trilogues and political agreement by end June

July – Dec.
2012

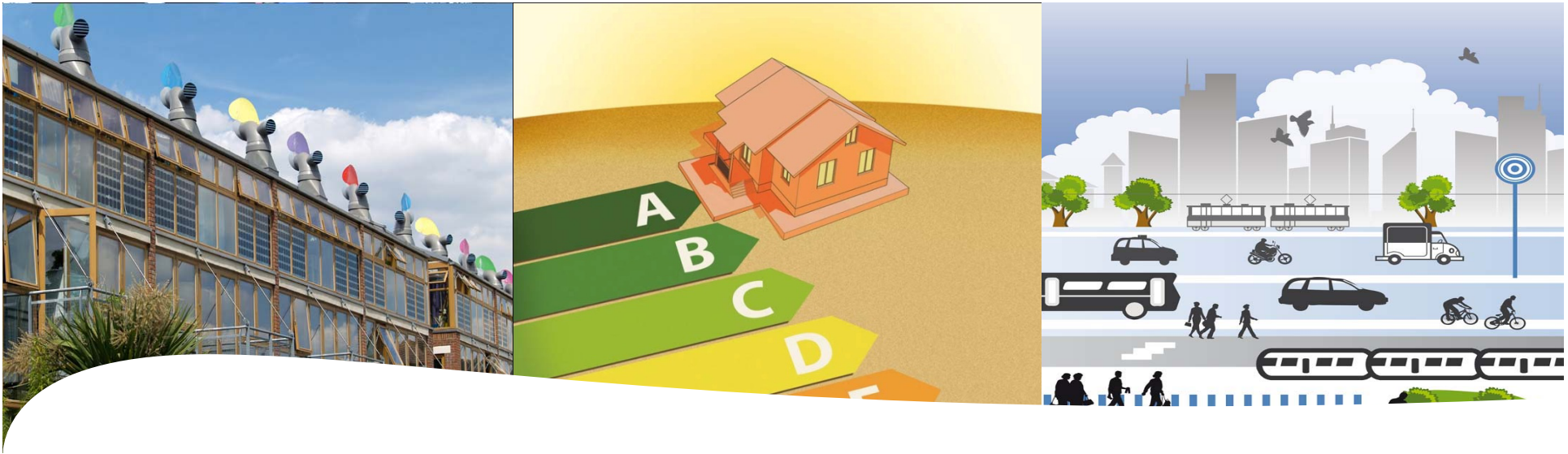
- Publication in OJ
- Entry into force - end 2012

Dec. 2013

- Deadline for transposition by Member States (different for some articles)

June 2014

- Assessment of progress towards 20% saving objective



Thank you!

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