

# Agenda | March 27<sup>th</sup>

March 27   EnR	Regular Meeting (morning)
09:00 – 09:30	Registration
Welcome	
09:30 – 09:40	Nelson Lage, President of EnR and ADENE
09:40 – 09:50	Kristina Haverkamp, Member of the Board of Directors, dena
09:50 – 10:10	Guest Speaker – German government representative (tbc)
EnR Presidenc	y 2022
10:10 – 10:15	Agenda   Luís Silva, Cooperation and Institutional Affairs Director at ADENE
10:15 – 10:20	EnR Presidency 2022 - Highlights   Luís Silva, ADENE
10:20 – 10:30	EnR Presidency 2022 - Communication & Events   Inês Mendes, ADENE
10:30 – 11:00	EnR Presidency 2022 – Studies & Publications I Sofia Cordeiro, ADENE
	<ul> <li>(10 min) Green Jobs &amp; Skills   Filipa Newton, ADENE</li> <li>(10 min) Renewable Energy Communities   Manuel Casquiço, ADENE</li> </ul>
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee-break
11:30 – 12:00	EnR Presidency 2022 – proposal for new WG procedures   Inês Mendes/Sofia Cordeiro, ADENE
	Creation / Management / Evaluation Reactions from the room in between presentations
12:00 – 12:30	EnR Members projects/initiatives
	<ul> <li>Energy Audits Implementation in Lithuania   Virgilijus Poderys, ENA</li> <li>Just Transition and Energy Poverty   Ármin Bőhm, MEKH</li> <li>Towards a green Europe with no energy imports?   Marian Poolen, RVO</li> </ul>
12:30 – 14:00	Lunch break

# EnR Members' Projects





# **EnR Members projects / initiatives**

- Energy Audits Implementation in Lithuania
   Virgilijus Poderys, ENA
- Just Transition and Energy Poverty
   Ármin Böhm, MEKH
- Towards a green Europe with no energy imports?
   Marian Poolen, RVO



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# Virgilijus Poderys



EnR Full Member
Director of ENA, Lithuanian Energy Agency









# Energy Audits Implementation in Lithuania

Virgilijus Poderys Lithuanian Energy Agency

2023-03-27



### **FUNCTIONS OF LITHUANIAN ENERGY AGENCY IN ENERGY EFFICIENCY**

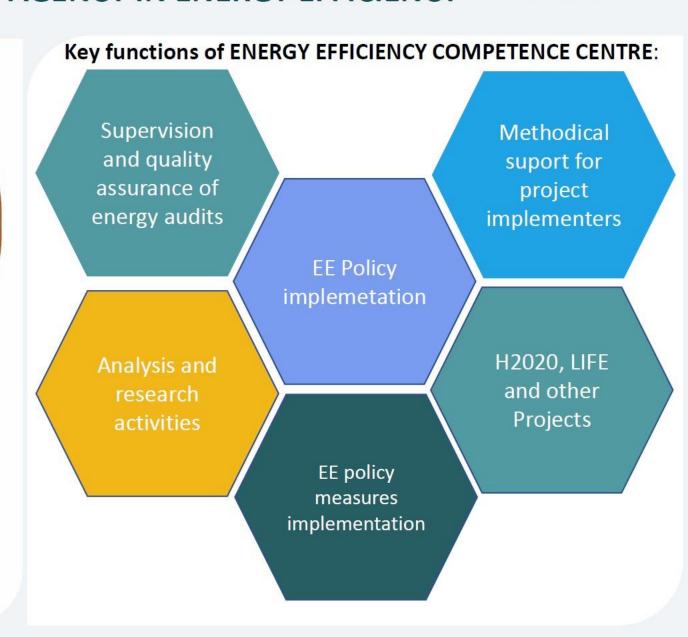


#### **POLICY MAKING:**

- Long term strategy formulation
- Goal setting
- Shaping the legislation
- Consider interest of stakeholders
- Policy review and update

#### **POLICY IMPLEMENTATION:**

- Ex-ante analysis
- Ex-post analysis
- Data aggregation and analysis
- Energy saving calculations, measurement and verification
- Monitoring EE policy measures and reporting EE progress





### **TASK: QUALITY ASSURANCE OF ENERGY AUDITS**

The quality assurance is important duty in order to meet the EU requirements and expectations of audit customers and funds.



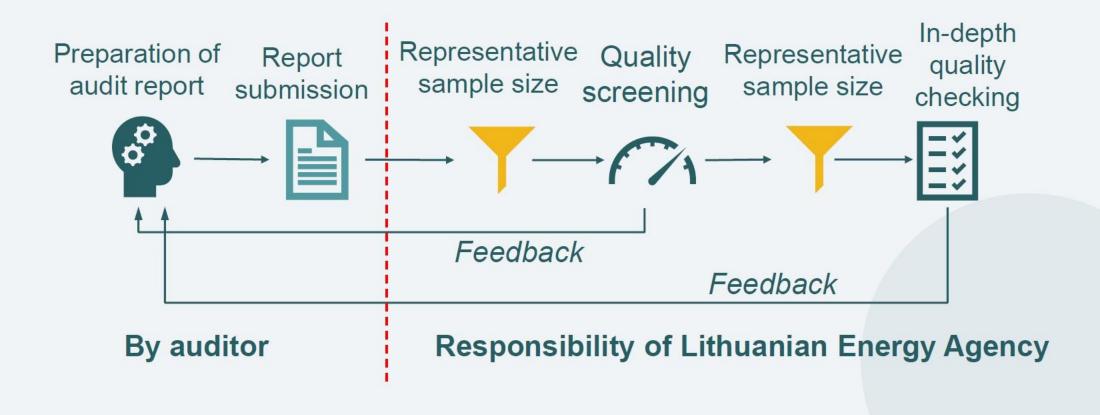
# LITHUANIAN ENERGY AGENCY SUPERVISES THE AUDIT PROCESS IN LITHUANIA. DETAILED ACTIONS



- organizes the certification of auditors;
- manages the register of issued certificates;
- approves the mandatory form of the certificate;
- organizes the preparation of audit performance measures or prepares them;
- organizes and carries out quality screening of audit reports;
- organizes and performs audit in-depth quality checking;
- submits proposals to the auditor certification commission regarding the suspension of the validity of the certificate, cancellation of the suspension of validity and/or cancellation of the validity;
- **submits proposals** to the Ministry of Energy **drafting and/or amending legal acts** regulating audit performance.



#### **QUALITY ASSESMENT SYSTEM WORKFLOW**





#### THE SUBMISSION OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY AUDITS REPORTS

The auditors shall provide the Lithuanian Energy Agency, **twice a year**, with information on the audits carried out and copies of the reports of these audits: in **facilities and technological processes**, **transport** and **public buildings**.

Lithuanian Energy Agency annual gets approximately:



140 in facilities and technological processes audits;



10 transport audits;



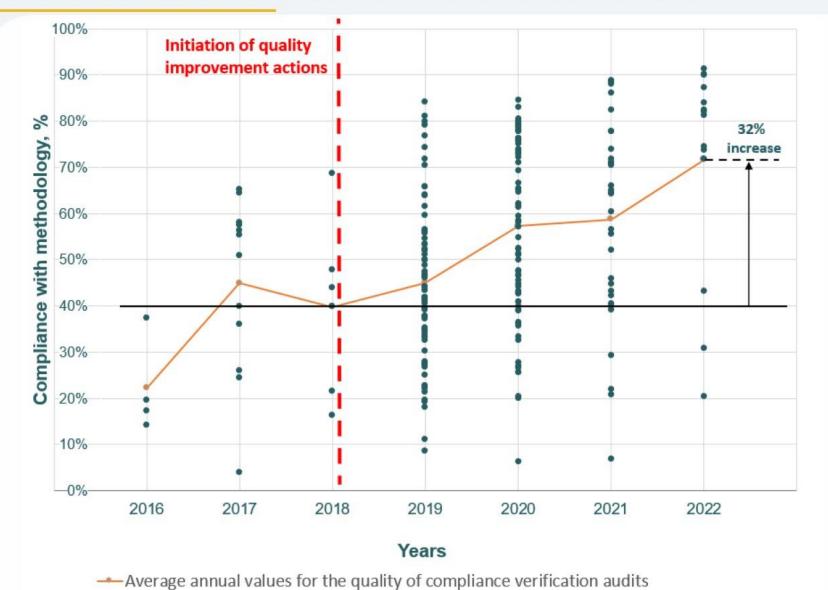
100 public buildings audits.

Lithuanian Energy Agency performs quality assessment to **20 percent** of all submitted audit reports **every year** and completes verification forms.

# DISTRIBUTION OF CHECK RESULTS OF AUDITS COMPLIANCE WITH METHODOLOGY FOR FACILITIES AND TECHNOLOGICAL PROCESSES

· Assessment of compliance with the audit methodology

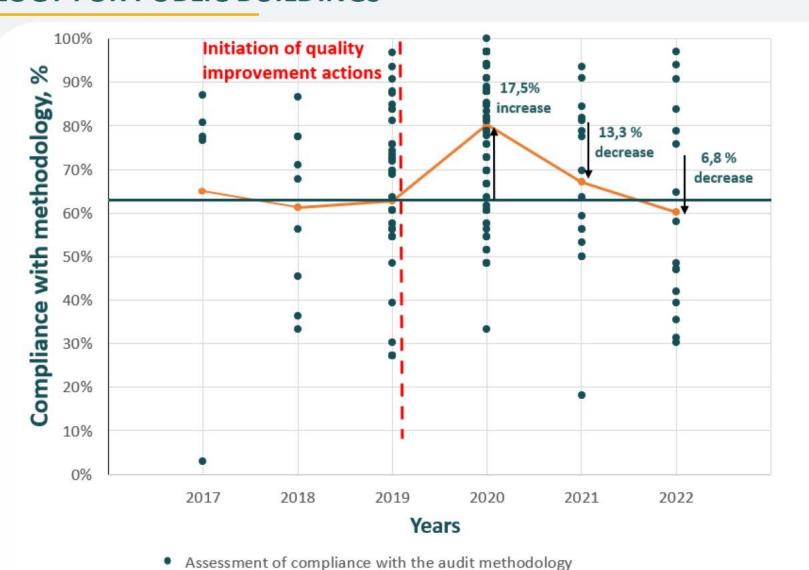




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# DISTRIBUTION OF CHECK RESULTS OF AUDITS COMPLIANCE WITH METHODOLOGY FOR PUBLIC BUILDINGS





--- Average annual values for the quality of compliance verification audits

# ACTIONS ENABLING THE FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF OPPORTUNITIES TO REACH HIGHER ENERGY AUDIT QUALITY



The main causes that influence degradation of energy audit quality is addressed in the subsection, including:

Lack of competent experts for quality assessment

Quantity of guidelines

Lack of tools for energy audit

Incorrect interpretation of methodology requirements

Insufficient competence of auditors



#### RISING THE AWARENESS OF ENERGY AUDITORS

# The actions of the Lithuanian Energy Agency that increase the compound effect are the following:

- 1. Feedback for energy auditors;
- 2. Public communication about the value of energy audits;
- 3. Open discussions and seminars with energy auditors;
- 4. The training activities of auditors in the market;
- 5. Providing the guidance for energy auditors;
- 6. Participation in project Support to the Renovation Wave





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...a project on just transition and energy poverty

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COAL PHASE-OUT & JUST TRANSITION

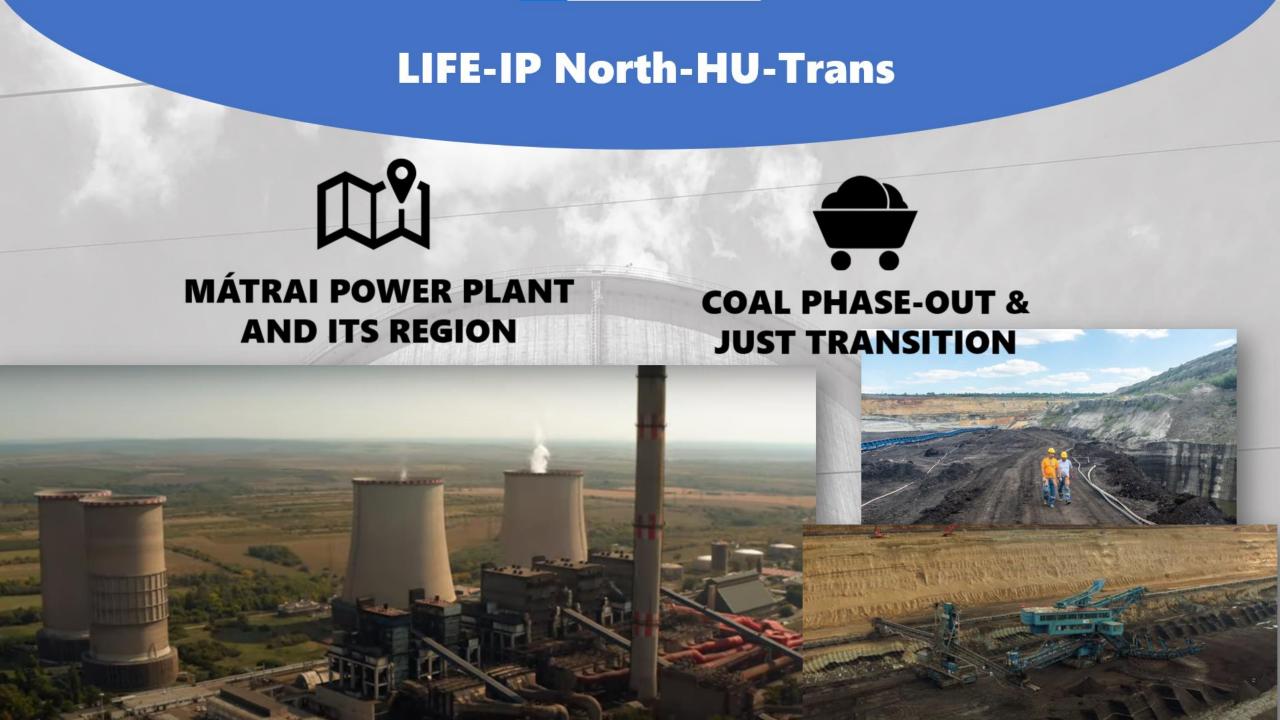


### MÁTRAI POWER PLANT AND ITS REGION











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PILOT PROJECTS & FEASIBILITY STUDIES





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#### STUDY













LIGNITE ALTERNATIVES



EFFECTS OF PARTICULATE MATTER









#### **TEACHING MATERIAL**



### **HVAC**



### **FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES**



# **BUILDING MANAGEMENT**





**MISCONCEPTIONS** 



**JTF** 











#### **TEACHING MATERIAL**



# **BOOKLET TO DELIVER TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIS** (EXTRACT)



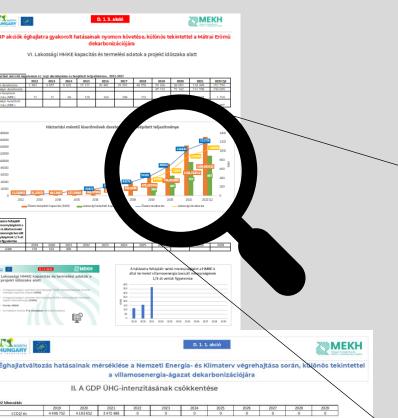








### MONITORING





# THROUGHOUT THE DURATION OF THE PROJECT





### **RENEWABLES**



**GHG** 



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# Towards a green Europe with no energy imports

Marian Poolen
Kasper Baarends
Jeroen van Hemmen





## The Challenge

- The new geopolitical and energy market realities requires Europe to drastically <u>accelerate</u> the clean energy transition and <u>increase Europe's energy independence</u><sup>1</sup>
- This will urge countries to work more closely together
- Numerous studies are available that state the technological possibilities for Europe becoming more sustainable
- Recently, a few dive into the possibilities to become more self-sufficient over time
- Interesting studies as starting point:
  - 'Diversity of options to eliminate fossil fuels and reach carbon neutrality across the entire European energy system' by ETH Zürich and TU Delft<sup>2</sup>
  - PAC Scenarios<sup>3</sup>



<sup>(1)</sup> https://commission.europa.eu/strategy-and-policy/priorities-2019-2024/european-green-deal/repowereu-affordable-secure-and-sustainable-energy-europe\_en



<sup>(2)</sup> https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S2542435122002367?via%3Dihub

<sup>(3)</sup> https://www.pac-scenarios.eu/project.html



# 441 technically feasible and cost-effective options ( ) for an energy self-sufficient, carbon-neutral Europe Multi-dimensional option space Preference 1 low biofuel use Preference 2 low storage use Overlap of preferences Almost anything is technically possible, but **preferences**

restrict the spatial and technical maneouvering space

Diversity of options to eliminate fossil fuels and reach carbon neutrality across the entire European energy system

Bryn Pickering , Francesco Lombardi Stefan Pfenninger

#### **Highlights**

Many cost-effective options exist for an energy self-sufficient, carbon-neutral Europe

A variety of spatial configurations are valid, and specific regions can be prioritized

Although firm capacity is not a must have, limiting it reduces the maneuvering space

For example, low bioenergy requires electrified heat and controlled vehicle charging



How and where could *international collaboration* act as a catalyst to help Europe move forwards to diminish dependency on imports, whilst working on climate neutrality?

And which role could the energy agencies play/take in this?



## Why energy agencies?

- Most members of the European Energy Network are actively involved in governmental implementation programs of energy policies
- The energy agencies have a deep understanding of the implementation of policies, demand-side management, have convening power and broad experience in international collaboration
- This knowledge and experience is frequently used by governments to develop their energy policies



### Next steps...

- Introductory meeting with the TU Delft/ETH Zurich
  - What can we learn from their approach?
- Quick scan of studies/programs pointing in the same direction, e.g.:
  - PAC Scenarios
  - REPowerEU
- Sharpening problem definition and formulating the research question
  - What do these models, studies, scenarios have in common that could be articulated, facilitated by the EnR network?
  - Which existing/ongoing national activities, studies and EnR collective activities (energy efficiency, energy poverty, renewable energy etc.) by the agencies and Working Groups/Taskforces could be considered as pieces of the puzzle?







# Thank you for your attention!

