

## **ETN IED Committee**

Minutes of meeting, 27 June 2014
Teleconference

## Attendees:

Neil Dawson	National Grid
Tomas Alvarez	Endesa
Roger Brandwood	E.ON
Manfred Klein	IAGT Committee
Phil Walsh	Roll-Royce
Jacques Maunand	EDF
Leslie Witherspoon	Solar Turbines
Giovanni Gerri	Roma TRE University
Swift Tarbell	Pratt & Whitney
Christer Björkqvist	ETN
Dominique Cornut	ETN

## 1. Report on the intermediate TWG Meeting, 17-18 June 2014, Seville, Spain

Neil Dawson from National Grid, who attended the Technical Working Group (TWG) meeting in Seville, Spain reported that out of 8500 comments submitted on the LCP BREF in September 2013, only 1750 comments have been processed until now. The European Integrated Pollution Prevention and Control (IPPC) Bureau (EIPPCB) reported that this is the case as they only look at the most important topics due to the high amount of comments received.

He also reported that the EIPPCB would organise the final TWG meeting early in 2015 in order to discuss what the final document will look like. On this, the EIPPCB stated that they would only circulate the revised chapters two weeks before the final meeting. Neil Dawson reported that Eurelectric had a meeting after the TWG meeting to convince the EIPPCB to send the revised chapters earlier than two weeks before the final TWG meeting in 2015, in order to allow more time to comment and take action on them.

During the meeting, the EIPPCB reiterated that the objective of the LCP BREF review is not to rewrite or modify the whole BREF but to discuss and agree on the content of BAT conclusions and BAT-AELs (Associated Emission Limit). Neil Dawson pointed out that there is a lack of consideration of operating modes and stated that the industry is seeking alignment with Emission Limit Values (ELVs) to apply only above 70% load. The EIPPCB approach so far remains that AELs are applicable to normal operating range. He also informed the participants that no agreement has been reached during the meeting and the actions that will be undertaken by the EIPPCB are remaining unclear.

## 2. Next Steps

It was agreed that the user companies of ETN would try to get more information on the potential interpretations of the BATs by national governments in the area where they operate (i.e. if they would apply the BAT strictly or with some flexibility). Neil Dawson mentioned that he do not foresee that the UK government would apply the ELVs if operated below 50%.

ETN would also ask its user community to provide the IED Committee with degradation data that could be submitted to the EIPPCB before the final meeting. Tomas Alvarez agreed to provide this information to ETN on behalf of Endesa.

It was also agreed that Roger Brandwood would follow-up with Eurelectric in order to know if there would be more time granted by the EIPPCB to review the revised chapters before the final TWG meeting in 2015. Phil Walsh would follow-up with EUTurbines.