

Cabinet of Commissioner Kadri SIMSON - Minutes of VideoConference

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Title	Meeting of Commissioner Simson with Confindustria Energia
Date	01 March 2021
Participants	Ext : Confindustria Energy Board (Gruppo Tecnico Energia) COM: Kadri SIMSON, Stefano GRASSI
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Issues raised & follow-up	<p>Commissioner Simson presented an overview of the work programme in energy in 2021 and challenges for the Green Deal, and mentioned the opportunities for Italy in the Green Deal, NECP, National Recovery and Resilience Plan, as well as Italian Chairmanship of COP 26 and G20.</p> <p>The subsequent discussion covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How Italian and EU industry can take advantages of the challenges of energy transition which remaining competitive and innovative in the EU and globally • Decarbonisation of gaseous fuels – moving from natural gas to renewables and low carbon gases • Hydrogen, regulation of future grid and markets • Upcoming revision of the gas markets directive