Minutes from the meeting with meeting with Uniper 21/10/2021 - 15:00 - 15:30 (BERL - 12/274)

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Participants from EC:

Ms Sarah Nelen, Deputy Head of Cabinet for EVP Frans Timmermans
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Presentation of the company:

- Largest gas traders
- Gas-fired power generation
- Gas storage operations across Europe and Germany
- Coal exit on-going (expansion of renewables and hydrogen)
- Carbon neutrality target by 2035

Uniper has hydro power assets but want to get into wind and solar area via M&A. have a PPA portfolio of 15 TWh.

Aim of the meeting is to discuss the Delegated Act on additionality, RED2 and RED3 and the gas package.

On additionality: want to see a pragmatic stance on the implementation of this principle.

On state aid guidelines: want to see more possibility for not only CAPEX but also OPEX for

electrolysers. CCfDs could be a good instrument

Imports of hydrogen needed in large scale (Uniper has project in the north of Germany converting a former coal plant site to electrolysers and import facility for hydrogen. H2 global project was mentioned as a possible pilot to be extended at the level of the EU – tendering processes for green hydrogen products from outside of Europe