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OWNERSHIP UNBUNDLING OF ENERGY COMPANIES - WILL IT BE WORTH IT?



WORKSHOP

"OWNERSHIP UNBUNDLING: SETTING THE SCENE"

- Date & venue: Friday, 27 April 2007, 13:30-18:00, at the Representation of North-Rhine/Westphalia, Avenue Michel-Ange 8, 1000 Brussels
- Presentations: Held in English; information also available at www.unecom.de
- Audience: Stakeholders from industry, regulators, lobbyists, consultants, lawyers, Commission Representatives, Academia (by invitation only)
- Registration: Please register until Wednesday, 18 April 2007, either by email to office@unecom.de or by fax to +49 421 200 4877, noting full contact details

PROGRAMME

- 13:30-14:00 Registration & buffet lunch
- 14:00-14:30 Welcome & introduction by UNECOM Research Group
- 14:30-15:00 Ownership unbundling or independent system operators: state of the debate
Speaker: Dr Herbert Ungerer (DG Competition)
- 15:00-15:15 Discussion
- 15:15-15:30 Coffee break
- 15:30-16:00 Shape and scope of BETTA and the ISO model applied in Scotland
Speaker: Dr Boaz Moselle (Brattle Group Brussels)
- 16:00-16:15 Discussion
- 16:15-16:30 Coffee break
- 16:30-17:00 The Dutch unbundling debate: a social cost and benefit analysis
Speaker: Michiel de Nooij (SEO Amsterdam)
- 17:00-18:00 Discussion, closing & drinks

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UNECOM is an interdisciplinary research project, covering theoretical as well as empirical insights from Economics, Business Administration, Law and Technology. The aim of this project is to (1) ascertain whether the benefits of ownership unbundling outweigh its costs, and (2) determine the effects of the various forms of unbundling and the form further unbundling measures should take.

This workshop is the overture to UNECOM and is chaired by:

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