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ELIH MED FINAL CONFERENCE – 28th November 2014 – EP

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DISSEMINATION OF MAIN RESULTS

Venue of the meeting: European Parliament

8.00 – 9.00 Registration of Participants

9.00 – 9.15 Welcome by **Francesc GAMBÚS**, Member of the European Parliament, Committee on Industry, Research and Energy

9.15 – 10.30 **Energy Efficiency in low-income housing in the Mediterranean: learning from the ELIH-Med experience / feedback from the ground**

*Round table moderated by **Anna MORENO, ENEA***

ELIH-Med project is focused on the implementation of retrofitting projects in low-income housing in the Mediterranean.

Indeed, ELIH-Med project focuses on Mediterranean specificities (different approach of comfort concept, climatic specificities, etc.) and low-income households situation (lack of financial resources, handmade solutions, low awareness, etc.) in an integrated approach at the project scale.

What are the concrete results of energy refurbishment projects? What are the benefits for residents and users? What are the difficulties met to refurbish buildings? How can public and private stakeholders solve these issues?

Intervention by:

- ✓ Work Packages leaders: **Sandra MARIN HERBERT** (OMAU, Spain); **Dominique CACCAVELLI** (CSTB, France); **Ales PODGORNIK** (IJS, Slovenia)
- ✓ Testimony by operational ELIH-Med partners: **Savvas VLACHOS** (CEA, Cyprus); **Giuseppe DESOGUS** (University of Cagliari, Sardinia); **Eleni Chatzigeorgiou** (CRES, Greece)
- ✓ Testimony by Italian resident from refurbished dwellings

10.30 – 11.15 How Europe changes life of citizens by enhancing energy efficiency in low-income housing in the Mediterranean area?

Visit of the exhibition presenting the results of the ELIH-Med project

Energy Efficiency in Low-Income Buildings - Story telling: meeting the ELIH-MED residents

Coffee Break in parallel

- ✓ *Analysis & selection of buildings*
- ✓ *Participative method*
- ✓ *Refurbishment and monitoring*
- ✓ *Smart metering and change behaviour*
- ✓ *Awareness campaign*
- ✓ *Financial issues*
- ✓ *Meet the residents*
- ✓ *Capitalisation & Policy Paper*

11.15 – 12.40 Energy efficiency in Mediterranean buildings at stake: political proposals and commitments from ELIH-Med and MARIE projects

*Round table moderated by **Patrick CRÉZÉ**, AVITEM*

ELIH-Med and MARIE partners have jointly produced a Policy Paper, synthesized by the Declaration of Ljubljana, in order to contribute to public policies, based on results and lessons learnt from their respective experiences in the projects. This Policy Paper addresses all the decision-makers dealing with energy efficiency in buildings and/or European territorial cooperation.

This round table will aim to debate and discuss on the ideas of the Policy Paper at political level, notably among the following issues: which role for regional authorities in an integrated approach for energy renovation of buildings? Could regional authorities establish energy strategies, with the support of the European Commission? Could territorial cooperation programmes promote energy renovation in buildings by focusing on Mediterranean specificities?

- Mr. **Colin WOLF**, Head of Unit for European Transnational and Interregional Co-operation, European Commission, DG REGIO (tbc)
- Ms. **Tarja RICHARD**, Coordinator, Joint Technical Secretariat –MED PROGRAMME (tbc)
- Ms. **Marie C. DONNELLY**, European Commission, DG ENERGY, Supervisory Board European Energy Efficiency Fund (EEEF) (tbc)
- Dott. **Elio CIRILLO**, Mayor of Frattamaggiore City
- **Carles SALA I ROCA**, Political representative of MARIE project, Secretari d'Habitatge i Millora Urbana de la Generalitat de Catalunya
- **Davide STRANGIS**, Executive Secretary of the CPMR Intermediterranean Commission

12.40 – 13.00 Debate



13.00 – 13.15 Conclusions by Francesc GAMBÚS, Member of the European Parliament, Committee on Industry, Research and Energy

13.15 -13.30 *LJUBLJANA DECLARATION SIGNATURE BY POLITICAL REPRESENTATIVES*

13.30 – 14.30 Lunch on site



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