

Steering group meeting

17th November 2008 3rd Solar Combi+ project meeting in Athens

Identification of most promising markets and promotion of standardised system configurations for the market entry of small scale combined solar heating & cooling applications EIE/07/158/SI2.466793 09/2007 – 02/2010



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Agenda

- Rotartica's production postponement on the project
- Utilisation of TRNSYS decks
- Hydraulic schemes for commercial planning software?
- Solar Thermal Contact Group
- Progress & deviations





ROTARTICA's position

Official communication to the lead partner on 27.10.2008

"Unfortunately, our present situation in Rotartica will not allow us to keep in the near future, from 1st November 2008 on, the working compromises we had taken in this project."

Postponement of massive production - face market demand of the next period with product stock.

→ Reduction of staff

Fagor, the mother company has clearly set that this is a transitory measure. They interested being active in the field and continue gaining knowledge.

Which are the implications on the project?





ROTARTICA's tasks

- WP1 project management
- WP2 market analysis
 - ✓ Phase 1
 - → Phase 2 SWOT analysis & market goals
- WP3 virtual case studies project management
- WP4 standard system configurations
 - → Package solutions
- WP5 training courses
- WP6 dissemination
 - → Info for website, presentation at fairs, initiation of pilot plants





Fagor's proposal

Fagor Electrodomésticos S. Coop. Ltda offers to undertake the place of Rotartica in this project, whenever it was considered appropriate by this consortium.

About Fagor:

- first cooperative of Mondragon Cooperative Group,
- established in 1956 as a workshop for the production of home appliances
- leader in the domestic appliances market in Spain, one of the main European manufacturers
- European projects as CHIMENE, ELECLINE, GAP, FLAMESOFC

After detailed analysis of upcoming tasks: Fagor can take over all tasks, except WP6 Dissemination





Administrative procedure

Il.11.2 Termination of the participation of a beneficiary

In duly justified cases, the coordinator may request to terminate the participation of a beneficiary by giving 30 (thirty) days written notice by registered letter with advice of delivery or equivalent. The coordinator shall include with any such request to the Agency the remaining beneficiaries' proposal to reallocate the tasks of that beneficiary or where relevant to nominate a replacement, the reasons for the termination of the participation and the opinion of the beneficiary whose participation is requested to be terminated.

In duly justified cases, any beneficiary may decide to terminate his participation in the agreement. The decision for termination, stating the reasons and giving 30 (thirty) days notice, shall be sent to the Agency through the coordinator by registered letter with advice of delivery or equivalent.

If no reasons are given or if the Agency does not accept the reasons, the participation of the beneficiary concerned shall be deemed to have been terminated improperly, and the Agency may require the full or partial repayment of sums already paid under the agreement in accordance with the sixth subparagraph of Article II.11.4.

The termination of the participation of the beneficiary concerned shall be effective at the end of the period of notice referred to in the first or second subparagraph of this article, which shall start to run from the date when notification of the coordinator's request or the beneficiary's decision to terminate his participation in the agreement is received by the Agency.

A written supplementary agreement shall be concluded to make any amendments necessary to adapt the action to the new implementing conditions resulting from the partial termination.



Different options

How probable is it, that Rotartica chiller "comes back"?

- 1. Keep Rotartica chiller within the project
 - a) Rotartica itself stays partner
 - b) Fagor enters instead of Rotartica
- 2. Not consider Rotartica chiller specifically within the project
 - a) Deal with Rotartica chiller virtual case studies as "generic"
 - b) Include another chiller
 - Use budget for alternative tasks e.g. analysis of Spain market break down, ...
 - d) Loose Rotartica's budget





TRNSYS decks

Tasks





Solar Combi+ hydraulic schemes

Tasks





Solar Thermal Contact Group

Tasks





Progress and deviations

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