

**EGMONT - Royal Institute for International Relations  
&  
DGAP - Deutschen Gesellschaft für Auswärtige Politik**

have the honour of inviting you to a **Seminar - Debate on**

**Towards a Real New Energy Policy for Europe?**

on **Thursday 26 April 2007 from 12.30 to 17.30**

at the Egmont Palace (Place du Petit Sablon, 1000 Brussels) in the Orange Room

12.00 Registration

12.30 **Working Lunch – Assessment of the EU Energy Action Plan & March  
European Council Conclusions**

Introduction : Amb. Fr. von Nordenskjöld (DGAP – Executive Vice-President)

Keynote speech : Christine Jenkins (EC DG TREN – Security of Supply)

14.00 **Session I – An Energy policy for Europe : Internal market’s competitiveness,  
environmental sustainability and fight against climate change**

Chairman : Amb. Ph. de Schoutheete (EGMONT – European Affairs Director)

Introducers:

- M. Deprez (FPS Economy, SMEs, Self-employed & Energy – Head of Energy  
Policy Division) : *Internal Market*

- N. Bekkhus (EGMONT – Researcher Fellow) : *Climate Change*

15.30 Coffee break

16.00 **Session II – Towards or away from a common European external energy  
policy ?**

Chairman : J. Techau (DGAP – Head of Program, Alfred von Oppenheim Centre  
for European Studies)

Introducers:

- Dr. Fr. Umbach (DGAP – Head of Program, Responsible for International  
Energy Security) : *EU External Energy Policy*

- A. Mernier (Energy Charter Secretariat – Secretary General) : *Energy Charter &  
Security of Energy Supply*

17.30 Concluding Remarks