

Horizon Wind Energy Named to Houston Chronicle's 2010 Top 100 Workplaces

PRESS RELEASE

Houston, TX., November 8, 2010 – Horizon Wind Energy LLC (Horizon), a leading wind farm developer, owner and operator, owned by EDP Renewables, announced today that it has been named to the Houston Chronicle's annual survey of the *Top 100 Workplaces* in Houston, ranking 9th among medium-sized companies. This is the first time Horizon has received this recognition.

"We are extremely proud to be recognized as one of the *Top Workplaces* in Houston," said Chief Executive Officer Gabriel Alonso. "Our greatest asset is our talented people and being recognized by our employees is one of the highest honors a company can receive. We believe in providing a workplace where employees feel valued. This award is a testament to the dynamic employees that help make Horizon an industry leader. I feel honored to be part of this amazing group of people."

The Houston Chronicle partnered with Workplace Dynamics to identify the *Top 100 Workplaces* in Houston. The rankings are based on the responses received from an employee survey. The survey elicited responses from employees about their opinions of the workplace and asked questions related to the employees' attitudes about management's credibility, job satisfaction and work-life balance.

The results from the employee survey were compared across organizations. Horizon ranked 9th out of 57 medium-sized companies. Companies with 150-499 employees were categorized as medium-sized companies.

A complete list and breakdown of the rankings was published in the November 7, 2010 in the Houston Chronicle Special Edition and can also be found on www.chron.com/business/topworkplaces/

About Horizon Wind Energy

With over 20 offices and over 20 wind farms across the United States, Horizon Wind Energy has developed more than 3,600 MW and operates over 3,300 MW of wind farms.

Horizon is owned by EDP Renewables ("EDPR"), a global leader in the renewable energy sector. EDPR has undergone exceptional development in recent years. Its installed capacity increased four-fold between 2005 and 2007, becoming the third largest wind energy producer in the world. EDPR is listed on the Euronext Lisbon Stock Exchange.

Energias de Portugal, S.A. ("EDP"), the parent company of EDPR, is a vertically-integrated utility company, headquartered in Lisbon, Portugal. Through its various constituent businesses, EDP holds significant electricity and gas operations in Europe, Brazil, and the United States.

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