

Horizon Wind Energy Announces New Additions to Its Team

Houston, January 14, 2010. Horizon Wind Energy LLC (Horizon), a leading wind project developer, owner and operator, owned by EDP Renováveis, has just announced new changes in management. Joao Metelo will now serve as the Chief Financial Officer. Metelo was previously Horizon's Financial Planning & Controls Director and prior to that worked in the mergers and acquisitions department of EDP, where he was instrumental in the purchase of Horizon from Goldman Sachs.

In addition, Horizon announced new Finance Director, Radu Tutos. Tutos previously held the position of Director of Market Operations for the company and formerly worked for Enron in mergers and acquisitions.

Roby Roberts will serve as Horizon's new Vice President of Government Affairs. Over the last ten years Roberts has worked in the wind industry with companies such as Vestas Americas, Goldman Sachs, PPM (now Iberdrola Renewables) and Pacificorp. Roberts has significant experience in directing national, regional, and state renewable energy policy and regulatory initiatives, establishing policies that support project development and create renewable markets, and supporting sales strategy development and implementation. Roberts previously served as the Executive Director of the Renewable Energy Policy Project and the Center for Renewable Energy and Sustainable Technologies, managing in-house research and external collaborative research projects, as well as developing strategic market and policy strategies.

"We are very pleased to announce Joao's and Radu's new promotions, as well as the addition of Roby Roberts to the Horizon team. Roby is one of the most experienced and respected policy experts in the wind industry and has had a long series of successes," said Gabriel Alonso, CEO of Horizon Wind Energy.

About Horizon Wind Energy

With over 20 offices and 22 wind farms across the United States, Horizon Wind Energy has developed more than 3,400 MW and operates over 2,800 MW of wind farms.

Horizon is owned by EDP Renováveis S.A. ("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 company 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. For more information, visit www.horizonwind.com and www.edprenovaveis.com.

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