

# **REEEP 8<sup>th</sup> call for proposal**

## ***Sharpened focus on emerging economies and sub-Saharan Africa***

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We are pleased to inform you that The Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Partnership (REEEP) has opened its **8<sup>th</sup> programme cycle** with a call for proposed clean energy projects targeting Brazil, China, India, Indonesia and South Africa. The Partnership expects to fund approximately 30 projects with €4.5 million contributed by the Governments of the United Kingdom and Norway. The level of funding available per project has been increased by 50% to €150,000.

### **REEEP Programme Priorities**

Preference will be given to proposals that address key barriers to the uptake of renewable energy (RE) and energy efficiency (EE). Proposals covering one of the following four programme priorities will have funding priority:

- The promotion of successful and innovative business models for clean energy solutions.
- Supporting innovative financing approaches including clean energy finance facilities and instruments.
- Clean energy policy support for national and regional governments to accelerate the development of the RE and EE markets.
- Strengthening of energy regulatory mechanisms and standards such as building codes, grid codes and appliance standards and labeling.

Proposals for replication and scale-up of earlier projects as well as proposals from governments, regulators and development financial institutions follow a one-stage process, with the deadline for detailed proposals in full being 27th May 2011.

### **Important dates**

	<b>Milestone</b>	<b>Date</b>
1	Submission of concept proposals for two-stage selection process	<b>15<sup>th</sup> April 2011</b>
2	Publication of short-lists for two-stage selection process	29 <sup>th</sup> April 2011
3	Submission of full proposals <sup>3</sup> , replication and scale-up proposals and government and DFI proposals	27 <sup>th</sup> May 2011
4	Publication of final results	30 <sup>th</sup> June 2011
5	Project implementation begins	1 <sup>st</sup> July 2011

This year the application process is being streamlined and the final project selection will take place by the end of June. The application process is exclusively online via the

REEEP Project Management Information System (PMIS) which includes live support for applicants. Deadlines and exact procedures depend on the type of project application.

More detailed information on application procedures as well as the link to the PMIS system can be found on the REEEP website: <http://call4proposals.reeep.org> or contact

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