

# CITYinvest capacity building workshop

## Energy Performance Contracts in hospital sector

Focus country: Belgium – Wallonia Region

Date and place: 15 June 2017, Liège

### Introduction:

Beginning of this year, RenoWatt has launched the first Walloon Energy Performance Contract dedicated to an hospital.

The energy retrofitting works have already started this month in the CHR of the city of Huy in Province of Liège. Following the installation of new equipments (cogeneration unit, heat pump, centralized technical management system,...) a performance maintenance will be carried on for 10 years guaranteeing long term energy savings.

Even though the financial model of EPC dedicated to hospital sector is fully pertinent and cost-effective, the EPC approach is not very common in this sector in Wallonia.

Strong of its experience of launching 4 EPC for 10 municipalities and one EPC for a regional hospital for a total amount of 60 millions, GRE-Liège/RenoWatt has organized on June, 15<sup>th</sup>a workshop dedicated to energy retrofitting in the hospital sector.

### CITYinvest Hospital's workshop:

The CITYinvest workshop was organized as a breakfast with 3 presentations:

- Presentation of RenoWatt (one-stop-shop dedicated to EPC for public sector) and principles of Energy Performance Contracts (EPC) – Erika Honnay, Project Director
- Share of field experience from CHRH (challenges and issues faced while implementing EPC in Hospital sector, estimation of pay-back) – Denis Ruis, Technical Director of CHRH
- Presentation of the outlines of the “Performance Measurement and Verification” providing an objective and rigorous assessment of the energy savings – Daniel Magnet, IPMVP expert

A rich session of session of questions and answers has followed those presentations.

Presentations available in annexe.

## Participants:

Invitation to this event has been sent to the CEO and Technical Director of the 9 hospitals from the Province of Liège.

This invitation has also been relayed to the elder care homes and to the network of UNESSA, the biggest federation in health care in Wallonia.

Hospitals of Liège (3), Verviers and Charleroi have attended this session.

## Following Training:

Following the deep interest showed during this workshop, a certifying IPMVP training will be organized in Liège in the end of 2017 in collaboration with GRE-Liège, EVO and AFNOR.

An invitation will be sent to Walloon hospital and healthcare sector.

Renowatt team stays at the disposal of the hospitals to analyse the opportunity of implementing EPC case by case, providing a taylor-made solution.

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