

PRESSEINFORMATION

CCEN becomes part of the CCE

Italian PV pioneer CCEN joins international CCE as CCE Italy Holding on the best financial conditions for the expansion of PV projects and investments in the field of green hydrogen.

Jesi /Vienna/Cologne, May 22, 2023 The Italian photovoltaic specialist CCEN, based in Jesi Ancona, has been very successfully driving the expansion of renewable energies in Italy since 2017. The company, which was founded in 2017 as a joint venture between Austrian Clean Capital Energy and German enernovum, currently has open-space PV systems with over 2 gigawatts in the concrete planning or construction phase. Italy, with its agricultural infrastructure in many places, offers very favorable location options for ground-mounted PV systems. One of the company's unique selling points is that it operates largely nature-adapted systems that feed the generated solar power into the national power grid.

In order to be able to build large projects in addition to pure project development in Italy, CCEN will be integrated as CCE Italy into the German-Austrian CCE Holding. Under the umbrella of CCE Holding, CCE Italy will have the best financial conditions for the rapid expansion of its pipeline and for further investments in the field of green hydrogen. In addition to the long-standing commitment of the institutional investor Ärzte eversorgung Thüringen, CCE Holding recently secured an amount in the three-digit million range for the further expansion of its projects with the entry of the French investor Omnes Kapital. The declared goal is to develop the company into a leading European and fully integrated company Independent Power Producer (IPP).

Sandro Esposito, Managing Director of CCEN/CCE Italy is certain: "The merger with CCE Holding and the even more comprehensive financial possibilities associated with it are an important step not only for us, but also with us for the expansion of renewable energies in many regions of Italy. Italy will continue to expand its pioneering role in the EU as a producer (and transit country) of green hydrogen. As a company, it is particularly important to us to enable municipal participation in these new plants. Green electricity is democracy in action."

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About CCE Holding

The CCE Holding was founded as a joint venture between the two photovoltaic specialists Clean Capital Energy from Austria and enernovum from Germany together with Ärzteversorgung Thüringen. The company, based in Vienna, Austria, focuses on realisation, financing and flexibility and operational management of large PV ground-mounted systems and commercial PV roof systems. With its solution-oriented approach, which has many years of experience along the entire value chain, the company wants to make an important contribution to the global energy transition. This is next to Austria. Companies currently active in Italy, France, the Netherlands, Germany, Romania and Chile. As part of its commitment to sustainable and responsible business practices CCE on the ten principles of the United Nations Global Compact on labor rights, environmental protection and combating corruption in all its forms.

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