



Nord Stream 2 and EU Energy policy objectives

Brussels, 28 June 2017

16:00 – 18:45

Venue: Voka - Vlaams netwerk van ondernemingen

Koningsstraat 154

1000 Brussels

16.00 Welcome and registration of participants

16.30 Debate

Nord Stream 2 remains a highly controversial issue at the European level. Its supporters underscore the project's strategic importance for the European gas market and natural gas' importance for EU decarbonisation while critical voices claim that it would reinforce Gazprom dominant position counter the EU's efforts to diversify its sources of supply for example by discouraging investment into alternative infrastructure. Many legal issues continue to be discussed.

Moderater :

Christian Egenhofer, Head of the Energy and Climate programme and Director of Energy Climate House at CEPS

Confirmed speakers:

- **Juraj Nociar**, Head of Cabinet of Vice President for Energy Union Maroš Šefčovič
- **Alan Riley**, Senior Fellow at the Institute for Statecraft, Temple Place, London, and Non-Resident Senior Fellow with the Atlantic Council's Global Energy Center
- **Sebastian Sass**, EU Representative of NS2

18.00-18.45 End of the debate and cocktail

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