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8th Congress of the European Chemical Regions in Brussels on 7th October 2010

On 7th October 2010, the ECRN in cooperation with its member regions Flanders and Wallonia and with support of the Belgian Presidency of the European Union holds its 8th Congress of the European Chemical Regions in the Center of the Regions in Brussels (Boulevard St. Michel 80, 1040 Brussels, Belgium).

The European Chemical Regions Network currently brings together 21 chemical regions from 9 different EU member states and will be pleased to welcome at its annual congress 2010 as in the past high-level participants from politics, industry, academia and public authorities from all over Europe.

This year's thematic focus will be on the Follow-Up initiatives concerning the High Level Group (HLG) on the Competitiveness of the Chemicals Industry in the European chemical regions. The HLG published its final report last year and the current state of implementation of the HLG results and recommendations will be discussed and analyzed, with a special focus on logistics, energy and feedstock.

As every year, an important aim of our congress is to provide different chemical stakeholders the opportunity for an intensive exchange of opinions and experiences at European level by offering a forum for interesting discussions with representatives from the European Commission, the European chemical associations, trade unions, the industry and our member regions.

Further information on the agenda, registration procedures etc. will be available on the ECRN website in due time. In case of any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the ECRN Network Secretariat in Brussels.