

EEX cooperates with BSP Southpool to launch Slovenian power futures

The European Energy Exchange (EEX) and the Slovenian Energy Exchange (BSP Southpool) have entered into a cooperation to further strengthen the Slovenian power market. In the framework of the cooperation, EEX will list cash-settled, Euro-denominated futures contracts on its pan-European power derivatives platform. The new Slovenian power futures will be settled against the SIPX spot market index as calculated by BSP Southpool. The launch of the new contracts is planned for the first quarter of 2019.

Dr Tobias Paulun, Chief Strategy Officer of EEX, comments: "Slovenia has become a liquid hub for cross-border trading with Italy and Hungary. Therefore, the new products perfectly supplement our existing offering for European power and will bridge the gap between those markets."

Anze Predovnik, CEO of BSP Southpool, comments: "Trading volumes on the Slovenian spot market of BSP Southpool have increased considerably in the past 12 months, reaching a monthly record of 0.8 TWh in March 2018. The listing of power futures at EEX is a natural step to support this growth trend and to open up the Slovenian power market for additional trading participants."

All market participants will benefit from the standard product setup which enables them to use Slovenian Power Futures as a tool to hedge against price risks in the local power spot market, benefitting from high-level standards both in terms of derivatives trading and clearing services.

The cooperation will further strengthen the development of the Eastern and Southeastern European power markets. In June 2017, EEX integrated the PXE products for Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland, Slovakia and Romania onto its platform. Since then, interest in these products has increased continuously with more than 70 TWh traded in these markets between June 2017 and May 2018.

The **European Energy Exchange (EEX)** is the leading energy exchange in Europe which develops, operates and connects secure, liquid and transparent markets for energy and related products. As part of EEX Group, a group of companies serving international commodity markets, EEX offers contracts on Power and Emission Allowances as well as Freight and Agricultural Products. EEX is part of Deutsche Börse Group.

BSP Energy Exchange LL C (BSP SouthPool) is Slovenian energy exchange operating day-ahead, intraday, balancing markets and tailor made auctions for different time frames. As first in the Eastern - and South-eastern European region BSP operates bidding zone which is fully integrated via market coupling on a day-ahead segment into pan-European electricity market on all of its electricity borders. BSP spot market index SIPX is therefore recognized in broader region as reliable and resilient price index for different physical products.

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Borza EEX v sodelovanju z borzo BSP Southpool uvaja dolgoročne finančne produkte

Evropska energetska borza (EEX) in slovenska energetska borza (BSP SouthPool) sta sklenili sodelovanje za nadaljnjo krepitev slovenskega trga z elektriko. V okviru sodelovanja bo borza EEX na vseevropski platformi uvedla dolgoročne finančne produkte za slovenski trg, ki se bodo finančno poravnavali v evrih. Slovenski dolgoročni finančni produkti bodo poravnani na osnovi indeksa cen SIPX, ki ga izračuna borza BSP. Uvedba novih pogodb je predvidena za prvo četrtletje leta 2019.

Dr. Tobias Paulun, strateški direktor borze EEX, pravi: "Slovenija je postala likvidno središče za čezmejno trgovanje z Italijo in Madžarsko. Zato novi produkti odlično dopolnjujejo našo obstoječo ponudbo terminskih pogodb in premostijo vrzel med temi trgi. "

Anže Predovnik, direktor borze BSP, doda: "Obseg trgovanja na slovenskem borznem trgu se je v zadnjih 12 mesecih močno povečal in v marcu dosegel mesečni rekord v višini 0,8 TWh. Uvedba dolgoročnih finančnih produktov z elektriko na borzi EEX je dodatna podpora tega trenda rasti in odpira slovenski energetski trg novim udeležencem, ki na slovenskem trgu morebiti še niso prisotni. "

Člani obeh borz bodo z uvedbo standardnih produktov dobili orodje za zamejitev tveganja pri spremembi cene na lokalnem, kar jim omogočajo visoki standardi trgovanja in finančne poravnave pri trgovanju na terminskem trgu. Sodelovanje bo še okrepilo razvoj energetskih trgov v vzhodni in jugovzhodni Evropi. Junija 2017 je borza EEX na svoji platformi integrirala produkte z borzo PXE za Češko, Madžarsko, Poljsko, Slovaško in Romunijo. Od takrat se zanimanje za te produkte nenehno povečuje in dosega več kot 70 TWh (v obdobju junij 2017 - maj 2018).

Evropska energetska borza (EEX) je vodilna energetska borza v Evropi, ki razvija, upravlja in povezuje varne, likvidne in transparentne trge za energijo in sorodne produkte. V sklopu skupine EEX, to je skupine podjetij, ki ponujajo storitve trgovanja na mednarodnih blagovnih trgih, ponuja borza EEX različne dolgoročne produkte, kot na primer pogodbe za elektriko, emisijske kupone ter logistične in kmetijske proizvode. Borza EEX je del skupine Deutsche Börse.

BSP Energetska borza d.o.o. (BSP SouthPool) je slovenska energetska borza, ki organizira borzno trgovanje za dan vnaprej, znotraj dneva, izravnalni trg in dražbe po meri za različne časovne okvire. Kot prva v regiji vzhodne in jugovzhodne Evrope borza BSP organizira trgovanje na trgu z elektriko, ki je na vseh energetskih mejah popolnoma integriran v enotni evropski trg z elektriko. Slovenski indeks cen elektrike SIPX je tako v širši regiji prepoznan kot zanesljiv cenovni indeks za različne fizične produkte.

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