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## In Greece, Voltalia signs an O&M Service Contract for a Chinese operator

Voltalia signs an operating and maintenance (O&M) service contract with Greek subsidiaries of the China New Era Group, a subsidiary of CECEP (China Energy Conservation and Environmental Protection). CECEP, a Group sponsored and owned by the central government of China, has over 30,000 employees mainly involved in clean energy and technology, environmental protection and treatment, and energy-efficient construction.

Voltalia will operate and maintain this Group's 68 photovoltaic facilities located in Greece, representing a combined capacity of 30.5 MW. These facilities are in operation since 2013, and Voltalia's involvement for its client begins immediately.

"Voltalia was already present in Greece through its own photovoltaic plants" says Sébastien Clerc, CEO of Voltalia. "Starting from now, Voltalia is also a service provider for third party clients who desire to outsource operations and maintenance of their Greek photovoltaic facilities. Although our strategy remains focused on generating power out of our own facilities, we plan to expand this new service business in Greece".

About Voltalia (<u>www.voltalia.com</u>)

- Voltalia is present in France, Brazil, Greece and French Guyana.
- Voltalia is listed on the Euronext Paris Marché Libre since 2006 (FR0010302224-MLVLT).

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<sup>•</sup> A producer of electricity from renewable energy sources, Voltalia uses a range of energy sources including wind, solar, hydraulic and biomass.