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New generation capacity auction

EDF is holding an online auction today for 1016 MW of drawing rights of its generation capacity as part of the quarterly capacity auction process which began in February 2001.

Today's auction, which is the 23rd, is for 892 MW of "base load" product and 124 MW of "peak" product. The contracts vary in length from three to 48 months, starting from 1 April 2007.

In 2006, EDF sold 41 TWh through this auction system, representing almost 9% of its generation output in France.

Open to all of EDF's European competitors, the results of the auction on 7 March will be published in the afternoon of 8 March on the website <u>http://www.edf.com/244i/Accueilfr/Encheresdecapacite.html</u>.

The EDF Group, one of the leaders in the energy market in Europe, is an integrated energy company active in all the businesses: production, transport, distribution, energy selling and trading. The Group is the leading electricity producer in Europe. In France, it has mainly nuclear and hydraulic production facilities where 95% of the electricity output involves no CO2 emissions. EDF operates 1,200,000 km of low and medium voltage overhead and underground electricity lines and around 100,000 km of high and very high voltage networks. The Group is involved in supplying energy and services to more than 40 million customers around the world, including more than 28 million in France. The Group generated consolidated sales of \in 58.9 billion (of which 42% in Europe excluding France) and net income from ordinary operations of \in 4.2 billion in 2006. EDF is listed on the Paris Stock Exchange and is a member of the CAC 40 index.

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