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Rome, 8 February 2008 – Issue no. 2 of the Newsletter of GME (Gestore del Mercato Elettrico) is now on line (downloadable from <http://www.mercatoelettrico.org>).

This issue opens with an interview with Pierluigi Bersani (Italian Minister of Economic Development) about: security of electricity and gas supplies; the assumption of Italy's return to nuclear energy; construction of new regasifiers; development of generation from renewables; and new obligations arising from the European Commission's renewable energy package.

This issue also features: GME's Electricity Market summary data for the month of January; the usual technical commentaries on European and national markets, power exchanges and environmental exchanges; and an analysis of the price trends of Green Certificates made by IEFE (Centre for Research on Energy and Environmental Economics and Policy, Università Bocconi).

From this issue on, in a new section ("Novità Normative" – developments in legislation), GME will monthly report the most important provisions issued in the sector.

In the "Approfondimenti" (insights) section, readers will find a contribution by Sara Romano (Director General of Energy, Italian Ministry of Economic Development) making an in-depth analysis of the new ministerial decree on Energy Efficiency Certificates.

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