First Announcement

14th International Conference

COAL ASH UTILISATION

October 17 - 20, 2007
Międzyzdroje, “Amber Baltic” Hotel
Świnoujście, m/f “Polonia”

Organizers:

and others ...
Ladies and Gentlemen!

This year we will meet in Międzyzdroje at the fourteenth conference dedicated to the management of coal combustion products (CCPs) from the commercial power industry.

We are going to address the issues of the changing legal status of CCPs in the European Union and of the impact of these changes on the adjustment of Polish regulations and CCP management in Poland. We will share our experience in the use of CCPs in the road construction industry. This sector of economy has been absorbing CCP at the highest rate and this tendency ought to last for a few more years. It is worthwhile taking a glance at the operations of industry leaders, such as Utex or VKN Polska. We will discuss the technologies for reducing NOx emissions from the power industry and how they affect ash quality. In consequence, like in the Western countries, we may expect a substantial decrease of ash quality, especially an increase in unburned coal content and an emergence of ammonia content. There are still many concerns as to the management of ash from co-combustion. A slightly higher phosphorus content, although usually kept within admissible limits, raises concerns as to the impact of such ash on cement and concrete properties. Representatives of the cement and concrete industry will discuss the limitations for ash use in cement and concrete. International visitors, like every year, will share the results of their research activities and new implementations. We will discuss the opportunity arising from the use of CCPs to reduce CO₂ emissions. We will present the outcome of the negotiations with the Ministry of Environment on the amendment to the provisions of the regulation on CCP recycling outside R14 plants. I also count on the presentations by the members of the association, demonstrating the implementations of interesting projects carried out for the last two years.

Like every year, during the Feniks Award Ceremony, we are going to reward a company and a person who have contributed with their unique achievements to turning the grey into the gold.

Looking forward to seeing you in Międzyzdroje!

Tomasz Szczygielski
Polish CCP Union
Advisory Committee

- Tomasz Szczygielski – Polish CCP Union
- João Vale – European Coal Combustion Products Association - ECOBA
- Lindon Sear – United Kingdom Quality Ash Association, United Kingdom
- Stamatis Tsimas – National Technical University of Athens, Greece
- Ioanna Papayianni – Professor Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece
- Jan van den Berg – Vliegasunie, Nederland
- Tarun Naik – University Wisconsin Milwaukee, USA
- Vyacheslav Putilow – Moscow Power Engineering Institute
- Ryszard Coufal – Technical University of Szczecin
- Wojciech Nowak – Technical University of Częstochowa
- Slawomir Stankowski – Agricultural University of Szczecin
- Jan Małolepszy – AGH University of Science and Technology, Cracow

The technical topics include

ASHES BY LAW
- European Waste Directive
- Executive Orders for the Polish Law on Waste
- REACH European Chemicals Register

ASHES IN THE WORLD
- New European ash standards
- Development of ash technologies

ASHES IN ROAD CONSTRUCTION AND EARTH WORKS
- Soil stabilisation, road bases and road concretes
- Dry binders containing ash

ASHES IN CEMENT AND CONCRETE
- Practical experience with ash concretes
- New ash-cement systems

PROCESSING OF ASHES
- Activating and classifying ash
- Mixing and storing ash
- Separation of carbon and nitrogen compounds

HIGH-CALCIUM ASHES
- Directions of utilisation
- Processing technologies

ASHES ON AGRICULTURE
- Fertiliser standards and CCPs
- CCPs and remedying soil acidity in Poland
Deadlines:

- **August 15, 2007** the deadline for sending titles of papers and summaries.
- **September 3, 2007** the deadline for application for a conference on Polonia ferry
- **September 15, 2007** the deadline for sending papers.
- **September 17, 2007** the deadline for sending registration forms and transferring the conference payment.

Refunds cut down by 20% (due to administrative costs) will be possible only basing on written cancellations, which will come in to the conference office before **September 16, 2007**.

Time and venue

**“Amber Baltic”** Hotel
Promenada Gwiazd 1
72-500 Międzyzdroje, PL

**M/f “Polonia”**
Świnoujście, PL

**Start of conference** - October 17, 3 p.m
**End of conference** - October 19, 6 p.m

Addres of the conference office

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*with a note “Ashes”*
Frame Programme

October 17, 2007 – Wednesday
1.00 pm    Lunch
2.00 pm    Registration of the participants
3.00 pm - 6.00 pm    Conference - Session I
7.00 pm    Bonfire on the beach

October 18, 2007 – Thursday
9.00 am - 2.00 pm    Conference - Session II, III
2.00 pm - 3.00 pm    Lunch
3.00 pm - 6.00 pm    Conference - Session IV, V
7.00 pm    Polish Ash Award FENIKS Gala

October 19, 2007 – Friday
9.00 am - 11.00 am    Conference - Session VI
11.00 am    END OF THE CONFERENCE

October 19, 2007 – Friday
12.00 am    Departure to Świnoujście
1.00 pm    Boarding the “Polonia” ferry - Unity Line
1.00 pm    Lunch
3.00 pm    Conference - Session VII
7.45 pm    Arrival to Ystad and city walk
9.45 pm    Dinner Royal Restaurant, “Polonia” ferry

October 20, 2007 – Saturday
7.00 am    Arrival to Świnoujście

Conference program in details will be given in announcement No 2.
ACCOMMODATION

Participants make hotel reservation by themselves on password “Ashes”. Below the deadlines of making reservation are given.

For participants of a conference “Amber Baltic” Hotel has prepared special price offer (discount of 40%).

Reservation made before September 17, 2007
Single room ........................................ € 48,00
Double room ........................................ € 62,31

In accommodation price are included: breakfast, swimming pool, sauna and Night Club

There’s a real sense of adventure sailing across the sea on board of Unity Line “Polonia” Ferry. Ship has his own charm and atmosphere, there is an excellent service and high standards of facilities on board.

Make your reservation by conference registration form. We do not guarantee available cabins after September 3, 2007.
REGISTRATION FORM

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REGISTRATION FORM

Registration of a new participant

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Conference payment

Conference in “Amber Baltic” Hotel

☐ ................................................. € 372 (tax included)

September 17, 2007
the deadline for sending registration forms.

The price includes:
participation in the conference, simultaneous translation, conference proceeding, conference bag, coffee breaks, lunches, dinners, Feniks Award Ceremony.

The price does not include accommodation and breakfast.

Conference on m/f “Polonia”

☐ one berth cabin ....................... € 173 / 1 person

☐ two berths cabin ...................... € 136 / 1 person

September 3, 2007 the deadline for sending registration forms.

The price includes: ferry trip, berth in cabin (for one person), participation in conference, coffee breaks, full board, participation in artistic programm, accident insurance, guide.

Date of birth

Address

TOTAL ......................................................... €

Signature of the Head Accountant

Company stamp

Signature of the President/Director

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Please send by mail or fax (+48 91) 450 05 09 by September 17, 2007.
APPLICATION FOR PAPERS 
AND PRESENTATIONS

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All participants must send filled up application forms.

Authors

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first name ___________________________ last name ___________________________

position ___________________________

organization ___________________________

city ___________________________ country ___________________________

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Proposed title: ___________________________

Type of presentation: 

☐ paper  ☐ hanging up poster  ☐ multimedia presentation

☐ foils  ☐ transparencies  ☐ others ___________________________

August 15, 2007 the deadline for sending titles of papers and summaries*.

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The text should be submitted in MS-Word format (papers) or ad a Power Point presentation on a floppy disk or by e-mail to edyta.kryszkiewicz@ekotech.pl (Maximum number of pages is 10 with 12 pt. font and 1,5 interval). An abstract should be included as well.

* annex with application

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Address of the conference office

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