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## Extending the Green Deal – Reducing Moldovan Energy Dependencies on Russia

**30 May 2023**  
**14:30 – 16:00 CET**

**Arts 56**  
**Avenue**  
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**1000 Brussels**

The event is aimed at discussing how the EU can facilitate access to Green Deal opportunities for enlargement countries, with a special focus on Moldova. The overarching perspective is that enlargement countries can align with EU standards and already make use of budgeted opportunities during the enlargement process, which would also help reduce their energy dependencies from Russia. This would not only help enlargement countries align with the EU faster and meet expected milestones, but it would also help the EU meet the green and security goals it has set for itself by creating a political and geographical environment that is conducive to achieving these aims.

Therefore, the event will discuss the Green Deal and energy security in our neighbourhood. The event will comprise a panel discussion and will be followed by a Q&A with the audience.

### PROGRAMME

14:00	<b>Registration and Coffee</b>
14:30	<b>Welcome remarks: Siegfried Mureşan</b> , MEP, EPP Vice-President
14:40	<b>Discussion</b>  <b>Victor Parlicov</b> , Minister of Energy, Republic of Moldova  <b>Ina Coşeru</b> , Moldovan MP, Vice-Chair of the Environment and Regional Development Committee  <b>Nicholas Cendrowicz</b> , Deputy Head of Unit, European Commission, DG NEARC1  <b>Moderated by:</b>  <b>Dimitar Lilkov</b> , Senior Research Officer, Martens Centre
15:30	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
15:50	<b>Closing remarks: Andrzej Halicki</b> , MEP, EPP Vice-President