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ENEL ACQUIRES BLUE LINE SRL AND STARTS DEVELOPING RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS IN ROMANIA

Bucharest, October 26 2007 - Enel, through its subsidiary Enel Investment Holding, finalized on October 24, the acquisition of 100% of Blue Line SRL.

Blue Line is a Romanian company which owns the rights to develop wind power projects in the Dobrogea area, with an overall future potential capacity of approximately 200 MW.

The projects are under development and are planned to become operational in 2010.

Through this transaction, Enel takes an important step in establishing a position in the renewable energy sector in Romania in line with to the company's strategy to pursue a balanced fuel mix, where renewables play a significant role.

Enel plans to develop further projects in the renewables in Romania in the next years, should additional opportunities arise,.

Blue Line SRL is a company with headquarter in Bistrita. The former shareholders will continue to develop renewable energy projects both independently and in partnership with Enel.

Enel is a world leader in renewables, with more than 19,000 MW of installed capacity in hydroelectric, wind, geothermal, solar and biomass facilities. The company has initiated an Environment and Innovation Programme of 4.1 billion euros in investment by 2011 targeted at developing renewables research, development, innovation, and the application of cutting-edge technologies, which is an unprecedented plan for the Enel Group and has few parallels anywhere in the world.

Currently Enel has a significant presence **in Romania**, with Enel Energie that supplies electricity across Romania, and Enel Distribuție Banat and Enel Distribuție Dobrogea that operate the electricity distribution network in the those two regions.

Further to the completion of the acquisition of Electrica Muntenia Sud, the company will double its presence in the Romanian power distribution sector, reaching about 2.5 million customers, 124.000 km of network and 5.700 employees and is also pursuing other projects in thermal and nuclear facilities under privatization by the Rumanian Government.