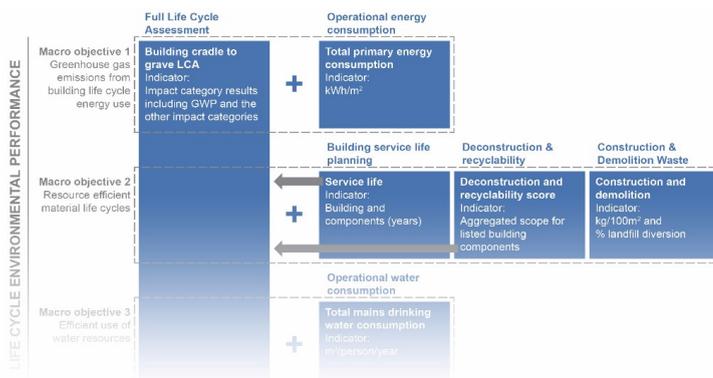


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- CEN CENELEC webinar on environment - Online 20 October
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- Raw materials week - Brussels 28 November - 2 December
- Ceramic days - Brussels 29-30 November
- MIN-GUIDE annual conference 2016 - Brussels 2 December
- Evaluation and validation workshop " Technical and Economic Study with regard to the Development of Specific Tools and/or Guidelines for Assessment of Construction and Demolition Waste Streams" - Brussels 9 December

EC Consultation: resource efficient buildings

Construction Products Europe replied to the [consultation](#) of the EC on indicators for the environmental performance of buildings following the recommendations of our experts. We encourage our members to reply with their own inputs (tomorrow is the deadline). We have also published a position paper providing additional explanations and our approach to this important topic. [Position paper...](#)

Smart CE marking proof of concept

Last month Construction Products Europe organised an internal debate to discuss the future of this concept and our board and experts decided to launch a proof of concept to assess the future development of the initiative. [Contact us](#) for more information.

Build Upon Leader's Summit

On 20-21 September, in the framework of the BUILD UPON project, 170 experts met in Madrid. BUILD UPON is the world's largest collaborative project on building renovation. It aims to create a renovation revolution across Europe by helping countries to deliver strategies for renovating their existing buildings. [Read more...](#)

Construction CEOs want to improve the energy efficiency of

TWEET OF THE MONTH



#buildupon debate at our table with @PascalEveillard @KatrinerBjerre @Ace_Cae @ConstructionEU pic.twitter.com/wVagGjg6Cp



— Christophe Sykes (@SykesChris) September 20, 2016

PUBLICATION OF THE MONTH



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our buildings

In a letter dated from 23rd September, 42 building industry CEOs called on the European Commission to further promote the renovation of our building stock. Indeed, they argue that EU leadership would encourage energy efficiency renovation and that the current revision of the EPBD and the EED would be the perfect tools to put this in place. [Read the letter...](#)

EURATOM position paper

Member States have four years to implement the Basic Safety Standard Directive. Construction Products Europe has developed this position paper to promote a harmonised implementation across Europe. [Position paper...](#)

Façade fire assessment, EC tender

The EC launched recently a call for tenders to develop a European approach to assess the fire performance of façades to be used in harmonised products standards (hEN) and European Assessment Documents (EAD) for the relevant construction products. Construction Products Europe has requested to the EC the participation as stakeholder in the project. [Read more...](#)

EOTA stakeholders conference

EOTA will engage again with Stakeholders and the European Commission the 10th of November during their stakeholders conference at the Belgian Comic Strip Center in Brussels. The economic cost of adequate construction rules and regulations and the development of a dynamic construction sector within EU borders will be addressed during the event. Registration will be available soon. [Read more...](#)

Commission decision on EN 13383-1:2002

The EC has published a Commission Decision to exclude the threshold level for density set in Clause 5.2 of this standard (Armourstone: Part 1: Specifications). This action was taken as after a formal objection from Cyprus to this standard. [Commission decision.](#)

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