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UPCOMING EVENTS

- 2nd QUALICheck Workshop- Athens 9-10 March
- Event on the review of EED - Brussels 14 March
- MEP awards - Brussels 16 March
- SBE16 Conference - Malta 16-18 March
- IEECB conference - Frankfurt 16-18 March
- Retrofitting private housing - Brussels 17 March
- Circular economy: opportunities and barriers - Brussels 21 March
- Towards Smart CE marking - Brussels 22 March
- TEPPFA Forum 2016 - Brussels 4-5 April
- E3P Launch - Brussels 5 April
- NEEIP Forum 2016 - Brussels 20 April
- Marking the circular economy happen - Brussels 21 April

TWEET OF THE MONTH



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Towards smart CE marking

Our members are invited to sign-up for our workshop in the European Parliament on the future of CE marking of construction products. Agenda and speakers for the event are available in our website. [Read more and registration...](#)

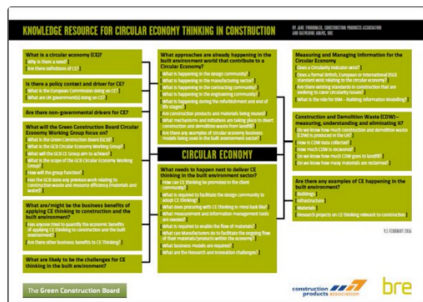
Joint Initiative on Standardisation

The EC has launched this Initiative to develop principles, commitments, and actions to improve the role of standardisation when supporting policy objectives. The work is coordinated by DG Growth and the following parties are involved: EC; EU Member States; EFTA; ESOs; CEN/CENELEC; ETSI; NSBs; and the European industry represented by their several associations including SMEs and societal stakeholders. Construction Products Europe participates in the project and will collaborate in the development of a specific part for standardisation under the Construction Products Regulation.

CEN position paper on standardisation under the CPR

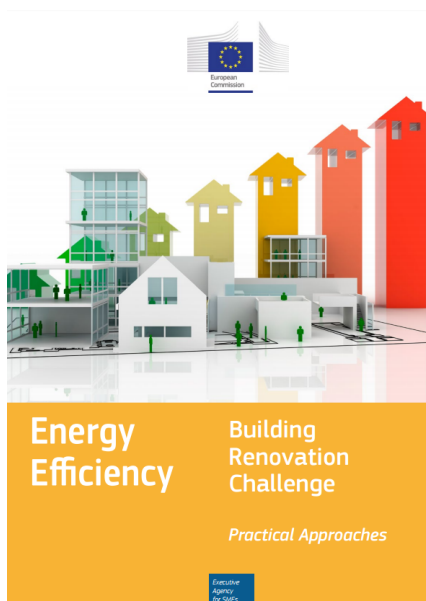
In parallel to the previous initiative of the EC, CEN is working in a position paper on this topic. The document will be based on the outcome of the workshop they

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organised in October and will be the contribution of CEN to the EC report on the implementation of the Construction Products Regulation, referenced in article 67(2). Construction Products Europe published a document on this topic last year. [Read more...](#)

Revision of Mandate M/350 - environmental performance

The EC will publish soon the revision of Mandate M/350. The original version was the basis for the standards developed by CEN/TC 350 including EN 15804. The EC has developed a new text to facilitate the convergence of the methodology developed for construction products by CEN and the Product Environmental Footprint (PEF) methodology of the EC.

BuildUpon initiative launches RenoWiki

The RenoWiki is a collaborative tool for the national renovation strategy community to help keep track of and coordinate all the important European initiatives on renovation. This new tool is part of the project Build Upon financed by the Horizon 2020 initiative of the EC. [Read more...](#)

How to renovate Europe's buildings using less energy

This EC report sets out the results of a workshop organised in December 2015 by the Horizon 2020 Energy (Buildings) team of the EASME in conjunction with BuildUp and some 40 EU-funded projects. [Read more...](#)

EU project EASEE workshop presentations

This event showcased a variety of successful building renovation approaches that could inspire the future development of renovation policies. These solutions can address the renovation challenge in terms of scale, financing, addressing non-technical barriers, level of ambition or achievement of social objectives. [Read more...](#)

Update of the EAD list

The EC published last 12th of February in the Official Journal of the European Union the updated list of references to the European Assessment Documents (EAD) . [List...](#)

EOTA and the EC are discussing the next batch of EAD to be published. Approved EAD are available in the [website of EOTA](#).

Circular economy in the Dutch construction sector

The Dutch Ministry of infrastructure and environment published recently a report discussing the role of construction in circular economy. The document includes some general ideas, the results of an stakeholder consultation and policy advice. [Read more...](#)

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