





POWER TO GREEN HYDROGEN MALLORCA. DESCARBONIZATION

IBEROSTAR GROUP SIGNS AGREEMENT WITH ACCIONA ENERGÍA AND ENAGÁS FOR FIRST GREEN HYDROGEN SUPPLY IN SPANISH TOURISM SECTOR

- **DESCARBONIZATION.** The group will reduce emissions in all its hotels in Mallorca through the consumption of renewable hydrogen, which will be produced at the Lloseta hydrogen plant in Mallorca.
- **GreenH2Chain**®. ACCIONA Energía will ensure the renewable origin of the hydrogen through its pioneering platform with blockchain technology.
- INNOVACIÓN. The agreement is part of the Balearic Government's strategy for sustainable tourism and is financed by the EU through the Green Hysland innovation project.

Palma de Mallorca, October 18, 2021. Iberostar Group, ACCIONA Energía and Enagás have signed an agreement under which the hotel group, a leading international company in responsible tourism, will become the first consumer of renewable hydrogen in the Spanish tourism sector. The agreement contemplates the supply of green hydrogen to Iberostar Group hotels in Mallorca, reducing between 2% and 5% the consumption of natural gas in the company's hotels. This new agreement is a milestone in the hotel chain's strategy to achieving carbon neutrality by 2030.

This clean hydrogen will be produced at Spain's first renewable hydrogen plant, located in the municipality of Lloseta (Mallorca). The renewable hydrogen supplied will reduce the consumption of energy derived from fossil fuels by Iberostar Group in its facilities. The renewable origin of the contracted supply will also be guaranteed by ACCIONA Energía, who will ensure the power's traceability through its GreenH2Chain® blockchain technology platform. This tool will allow Iberostar Group to quantify, record and monitor the consumption of renewable hydrogen, which will be injected into its gas supply mix, favoring the decarbonization of its hotels in Mallorca. This, in turn, contributes to the development of a sustainable tourism model in the Balearic Islands.

The agreement foresees the sale of between 5 and 10 tons of hydrogen to Iberostar, of the more than 300 tons of green hydrogen to be produced overall at Lloseta, in addition to the Guarantees of Origin the group will be assigned. The strategic industrial Lloseta project is part of the Balearic Government's Power to Green Hydrogen Mallorca initiative, developed by ACCIONA Energía, Enagás, IDAE and Cemex with the collaboration of Redexis.

SUSTAINABILITY PLAN

Iberostar Group has established its own 2030 goals, in alignment with the United Nations Agenda, based on circular economy policies and with the objective of becoming waste-free and 100% responsible in its seafood supply chain by 2025, and carbon neutral by 2030. The group also plans to protect and improve the ecosystems surrounding its hotels, offsetting a minimum of 75% of emissions through blue carbon solutions by 2030.

"This agreement allows us to lead the energy transition in the hotel sector while making progress with our own Agenda 2030, a commitment that aims to increase the consumption of more efficient and environmentally friendly alternative energies in the group's establishments globally. Through our Wave of Change movement, we promote innovative circular economy initiatives that position us as a leading example in responsible tourism," said Gloria Fluxà, vice president & CSO of Grupo Iberostar.

"Iberostar Group's commitment allows us to advance in the development of a new technology, green hydrogen, which has a leading role in the new generation of renewable energies. It is vital for companies in

different economic sectors to take a qualitative leap towards a low-carbon economy," said Rafael Mateo, CEO of ACCIONA Energía.

"Thanks to our commitment to decarbonization and to projects like this one, Enagás has positioned itself among the world's leading companies in climate action. We have been working for two years on the Green Hysland initiative, which we coordinate, and which includes this Power to Green H2 Mallorca project. Green Hysland is a pioneering initiative in Europe that is moving forward to become a reality as soon as possible", highlighted Marcelino Oreja, CEO of Enagás, who added that "at Enagás we are committed to being carbon neutral by 2040 and we have reduced emissions by 63% since 2014. In addition, the company is promoting 55 renewable gas projects -34 green hydrogen and 21 biomethane-, with more than 50 partners".

With this agreement, Iberostar Group becomes one of the central pillars of the European Green Hysland project, an innovation project that aims to promote a green hydrogen ecosystem in Mallorca, serving as an example for other islands. In addition to its final use in the tourism industry, the Green Hysland project contemplates the use of green hydrogen for heat and power generation in public and commercial buildings and the creation of a supply station for city buses and last mile commercial vehicles.

The Green Hysland project consortium includes of a total of 30 partners from 11 different countries (9 of them from the EU, Chile and Morocco), from the industrial, scientific and public sectors. The European Commission's Fuel Cell and Hydrogen Joint Undertaking (FCH JU) is co-financing the project with a €10 million grant through 2021-2025.

The core of the European Green Hysland project is the Power to Green Hydrogen Mallorca industrial project developed by ACCIONA and Enagás in collaboration with IDAE, Cemex and Redexis. Power to Green Hydrogen Mallorca includes the construction of an electrolysis plant to produce more than 300 tons of renewable hydrogen. The facility will be fed by two photovoltaic plants located in Petra and Lloseta, which are already under construction.

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About ACCIONA Energía

ACCIONA Energía is the largest 100% renewable energy company with no fossil legacy in the world. It has 11GW of renewable energy in 16 countries. With 30 years of experience, ACCIONA Energía offers a complete portfolio of tailor-made energy solutions for its corporate and institutional clients to meet their decarbonization goals. ACCIONA Energía is committed to the highest environmental, social and corporate governance (ESG) standards. ACCIONA S.A., a leading global company in the provision of regenerative solutions for a decarbonized economy, is the reference shareholder of ACCIONA Energía.

About Enagás

Enagás is a Transmission System Operator (TSO) with 50 years' experience in the development, operation and maintenance of energy infrastructures operating in eight countries: Spain, United States, Mexico, Chile, Peru, Albania, Greece and Italy. The company has more than 12,000 kilometres of gas pipelines, three strategic storage facilities and eight regasification plants. In Spain, it is the main natural gas transmission company and the Technical Manager of the Gas System.

Enagás is committed to achieve carbon neutrality by 2040 and has a firmly commitment to the decarbonisation process. The company is bounded to the development of projects to promote renewable gases—green hydrogen and biomethane—, sustainable mobility and energy efficiency, among other areas. The company is the world leader in its sector in the Dow Jones Sustainability Index (DJSI), according to the latest edition of this index, and has received the highest score so far in Spain from S&P Global Ratings in the field of ESG (sustainability, social and governance criteria) in all sectors.

About Iberostar Group

Iberostar Grup is a 100% family-owned multinational Spanish company, dedicated for more than 60 years to travel and hospitality, and with origins in the footwear industry dating back to 1877. The main line of business is Iberostar Hotels & Resorts with a portfolio of over one hundred 4 and 5-star hotels in 16 countries. The company has positioned itself as an international benchmark in responsible tourism by promoting a more sustainable business model focused on the care for people and the environment. The Wave of Change movement reflects Iberostar's explicit commitment to the oceans, and the company's effort to share it with all of society.

With sustainability as a business driver and lever, the company places circular economy at the center of its strategy in its own 2030 Agenda, aimed at becoming waste free by 2025, carbon neutral by 2030, 100% responsible in its seafood consumption by 2025, and improving the health of ecosystems surrounding its hotels, among other targets.

Iberostar Group has a global team with more than 34,500 people of 91 nationalities. Thanks to this pool of talent, the company is a leader in quality and boosts differentiation in the customer experience through constant product innovation and digital commitment.

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