



Press release

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E.ON concentrates operations in Finland in a single company

E.ON is currently concentrating its operations in Finland into a joint organization under the E.ON brand, as part of a plan to strengthen the company's position in the Finnish market.

With more than 100,000 customers in Finland, E.ON is the tenth largest energy company in the Finnish market. Operations are being conducted through the companies E.ON Suomi Oy (electricity trading) and Kainuun Energia Oy (electricity trading and grids). Since 2003, E.ON has been a majority shareholder of Kainuun Energia Oy, which will be renamed E.ON Kainuu on October 1, 2009.

“We have grown rapidly in the electricity market in recent years. Now that we are concentrating our operations into a single company, we can advance E.ON's position in the Finnish market,” says Anders Olsson, Head of Grid, Gas and Heat at E.ON Nordic.

In addition, E.ON co-owns two other Finnish companies: Fennovoima Oy, which is applying for permission to build a new nuclear power plant in Finland, and Gasum Oy, which is active in the Finnish natural-gas market.

“Finland is one of E.ON Nordic's principal markets. E.ON's goals include contributing to increasing the supply of domestically produced electricity by building new nuclear power,” says Anders Olsson.

Markku Ryymin, President of E.ON Kainuu, will assume the position as President of E.ON Finland. Matti Manninen, the former President of E.ON in Finland, will assume the position of Executive Vice President at E.ON Nordic with responsibilities for E.ON Finland's acquisition strategy, the Fennovoima project and public relations.

Further information can be obtained from

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