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## COMMISSION

**Invitation to submit expressions of interest**

**An opportunity for Europe's research community to help identify priorities for the mid-term revision of the Work Programme for the FP6 Thematic Priority 6(1)(ii) — sustainable energy systems, research activities having an impact in the medium and longer term**

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Following the successful launch of the Sixth Framework Programme of the European Community for Research, Technological Development and Demonstration Activities (FP6) and the first calls for proposals, the European Commission is initiating the process for the mid-term revision of the work programmes that define the technical content of the various research areas and the scope of future calls for proposals.

The European Commission invites the submission of expressions of interest (EoI) to participate in research actions for topics in the thematic priority 6(1)(ii) (sustainable energy systems — research activities having an impact in the medium and longer term) of the specific programme 'integrating and strengthening the ERA'. This invitation does not apply to the other thematic priorities or other types of activities.

Submissions of EoI are invited from those organisations or groups of organisations from the Member States, Associated Candidate Countries and other Associated States intending to form consortia (which may also include entities from third countries and international organisations) to participate in research actions for topics that could be the subject of future calls for proposals.

Submissions of EoI are particularly welcome for integrated projects and networks of excellence (the new instruments of FP6), as well as for specific targeted research projects and co-ordination actions. This invitation does not apply to the other types of instrument.

A guide for submitters, on-line submission form, help desk address and further information relevant to this invitation to submit EoI is given at the following web address: <http://www.cordis.lu/eoi/sustdev-energy/>

EoI must be prepared as indicated in the guide for submitters and must be sent using the on-line submission form only, to arrive no later than 17.00 (Brussels local time) on 19 March 2004.

An acknowledgement of receipt will be sent by e-mail.

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