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The Belgian Association for Zero Emission Mobility

EVB Monthly Update

14 February 2025



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Agenda

- 1. Welcome & agenda
- 2. Policy Update
 - New Federal Government
 - Meeting with the Economic Inspection (28/01)
 - Flemish Policy
 - Meeting Cabinet Depraetere
 - Meeting MOW (Concessions)
 - Draft law on road emission testing
 - Walloon Policy
 - Charging Policy
 - New registration tax (BIV/TMC)
 - EU CO2 regulation: OEM fines in 2025
- 3. Positions
 - Ongoing work
 - o TF V2X
- 4. Events
- 5. AoB, next meeting(s) & closure



New Federal Government

- De Wever I is a fact
- Some good and some worrisome decisions with a clear lack of vision
 - o Many uncertainties & details to be defined in the policy notes of the relevant ministers
- Agreement available here:

o NL: <u>LINK</u>

• FR: <u>LIEN</u>

- Internal discussion: LINK
- Public reaction from EV Belgium:

o NL: LINK

o FR: LIEN



 Several actions have been identified (with the members) and are being taken right now

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Federale Regering REGEERAKKOORD

- Jan Jambon (N-VA): VP & Minister of Finance
 David Clarinval (MR): VP & Minister of Economy
 Frank Vandenbroucke (Vooruit): VP & Minister of Health
- Vincent Van Peteghem (cd&v): VP & Minister of Budget
- Maxime Prévot (Les Engagés): VP & Minister of Foreign Affairs
- Mathieu Bihet (MR): Minister of Energy
- Jean-Luc Crucke (Les Engagés): Minister of Mobility, Climate & Transition Rob Beenders (Vooruit): Minister of Consumerprotection

- Bart De Wever (N-VA): Prime Minister Theo Francken (N-VA): Minister of Defense Anneleen Van Bossuyt (N-VA): Minister of Migration Bernard Quintin (MR): Minister of Internal Affairs

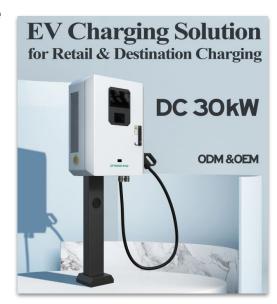
- Eléonore Simonet (MR): Minister of SME's Vanessa Matz (Les Engagés): Minister of Public Companies
- Annelies Verlinden (cd&v): Minister of Justice





Meeting Economic Inspection (28/01)

- Constructive & open meeting with Eric Sonnet (Director of the Economic Inspection) but some lack of knowledge
- Overall:
 - Past experience in fuel pump inspections
 - Sufficient knowledge of BE (WER) but limited knowledge of EU (AFIR) legislation
 - Inspections are ongoing, non-compliant CPO's receive warnings and adjustment time before fines are atributed
- Specific:
 - Inspections focussed on price transparency & company information
 - Payment options not really an urgency (yet)
 - Biggest barrier is identifying 'public chargers'





Meetings Flemish Policymakers

- Meeting Depraetere (23/01)
 - Very positive and knowledgeable cabinet members
 - Interest in key topics and willingness to proceed on specific thematics:
 - Charging on private domaine (EPBD)
 - Administration would not have the time to implement the new EPBD, suggested we come with a proposal
 - Including elements for solar carports & limitations for economically unreasonable parkings
 - Prices on charging sessions (and price transparancy)
 - 2nd-hand market and social lease
 - Social lease possibilities & practices
 - Promote B2C market also for low-income families





Meetings Flemish Policymakers

- Meeting MOW/CPT (29/01)
 - Very positive meeting about concessions (based on survey they held)
 - The New Drive presented the survey-results and invited us to comment:
 - Proposal to be agreed on politically by april 2025 and launch in october 2025
 - Charging Hubs would be included as optional (need to finalise our position!)
 - DC would not be included in the AC tender (seperate tenders)
 - Limited willingness to include/mandate V2X
 - Inclusion of rotation tariff (we shared our position)
 - Inclusion of tax for local governments (we shared our position)
 - o To discuss at a later stage:
 - New government, CPT-policy framework and AFIR (NAP)
 - EPBD and CPT should (also) be discussed with VEKA



Flemish Draft law: Road Emission Testing

Draft text: LINK

Goal:This bill aims to improve air quality in Flanders by enabling emission monitoring of road vehicles. This is achieved by creating a legal framework for measuring emissions and the exchange of data resulting from it.

Content:

- Emission monitoring: The proposal describes the goals and methods of emission monitoring, including data processing.
- Data exchange: It regulates the exchange of data between different parties, such as the Flemish Environment Agency (VMM), the Flemish Tax Administration, police, and inspection

Measurement campaigns:

- The proposal provides for measurement campaigns on public roads to determine vehicle emissions.
- Inspection: Vehicles with problematic emission values can be selected for roadside inspection.
- Research: The collected emission data will be used for environmentally relevant research and policy evaluation.
- Database: The VMM manages a database with emission data, which can be shared with other parties.
- Enforcement: The data can be used for enforcement against vehicle owners and manufacturers.





Walloon charging policy

Gouvernemental action plan presented by the chief of cabinet during Congres Laadinfra:

- Objectifs plus ambitieux du nombre de PCE à installer d'ici 2026.
- Réforme TMC (alléger la fiscalité sur les voitures électriques pénalisées par la lourdeur).
- Communes : marchés de concession (ADT)
- Continuer les déploiements actuels initiés par les concessionnaires
- Aires de type 1 et 2: possibilité de séparer les marchés de concession des bornes des marchés de concession de carburant (charge rapide et camions)
- Aires de type 3 et 4 : possibilité de développer des concessions
- Aires de covoiturage, P+R: bornes lentes et bornes charges rapides
- Marché de concession en-dehors du réseau autoroutier (parkings, sites du SPW MI) 11
- ... sans oublier les initiatives privées



Walloon registration tax reform (BIV/TMC)

Draft law (1/07/2025) has been approved by the government: LINK

Impact on EV's:

- Overall the "energy coefficient" for EV's is reduced by 0,08:
 - Small city cars: EC reduced from 0,09 to 0,01
 - Example: RT for Renault 5 will be 50 euro (down from 81 euro)
 - Medium and polyvalent cars: EC reduced from 0,18 to 0,10
 - Example: RT for VW ID4 will be 334 euro (down from 601 euro)
 - Road cars and family cars: EC reduced from 0,26 to 0,18
 - Example: RT for Hyundai Ioniq6 will be 1223 euro (down from 1770 euro)
- No change for typed limousine, sportscars or hypercars BEV (remain at 0,26)
 - Example:

Additional elements:

- 250 euro discount for large families
- 250 euro discount for uni-parental families

Approval by relevant legal authorities to be awaited within 30 days





EU CO2 regulation: OEM fines in 2025

On Tuesday, E-Mobility met with the Sejourne Cabinet on the 2025 fines discussion, at their request. Please see confidential intelligence below on the status of this point within the Commissioner Cabinets (which is not positive).

The Commission is prepared to move forward with one of the flexibilities requested by ACEA:

- either multi-year averaging of the 2025 fines (e.g. averaging automaker performance across either two or three years),
- a phase-in of the CO2 limit (i.e. only 90% of the limit will need to be reached in 2025, 95% in 2026 according to ACEA proposal).

Both options will require an opening up of the Cars CO2 Regulation and would remove pressure for EV sales ramp-up this year. The Commission is preparing to introduce a targeted amendmented limited only to this part of the Regulation.

Cabinets are now negotiating what the final flexibility option should look like, with a willingness to prevent the worst-case option (seen as "phase-in"), and to avoid opening up other parts of the cars CO2 regulation in 2025, to keep the plan of the 2026 review.

More widely, Commissioners were shocked after the first roundtable about how strongly OEM CEOs were already criticising the overall 2035 framework

We are preparing a letter to be sent by E-Mobility Europe, Chargeup Europe, Eurelectric, T&E, and BEUC (consumers) at the start of next week to oppose these options and call for the Commission to keep 2025 integrity in place.



Position

Ongoing work on positions:

Topic/Title	WG	Members	Status	Approval/Timing	Publication	LINK
Position Local Taxes	SG Public Charging	DATS24, TotalEnergies, Electra,	99%	• Completed	TBC	NL: <u>LINK</u> FR: <u>LIEN</u>
Recommendation Rotation: Threshold tariffs	SG Public Charging	Optimile, TotalEnergies,	99%	• Completed	TBC	NL: <u>LINK</u> FR: <u>LIEN</u>
Position Charging Hubs	SG Public Charging	ENGIE, TotalEnergies	95%	Written approval by EOB on 14/02	1st half March	NL: <u>LINK</u> FR: <u>LIEN</u>
Advice on REDII-register (e-credits)	WG EV Charging	DATS24, Stroohm,	30%	11/03 WG discussion 21/03 WG EVC approval 23/03 BOARD approval	End of March	NL: <u>LINK</u>
Position Public Charging	SG Public Charging	Electra,	90%	o TBC	TBC	NL: LINK FR: LIEN
Recommendation Local Governments	WG EV Charging	ENGIE	15%	o 14 & 21 /01/25 SG comments o 04/02/25 WG EVC approval o xx/2025 BOARD approval	2nd half February	NL: <u>LINK</u> FR: NA



Position

TF V2X

Becoming a pressing topic with many questions being asked (Elia, ORES, Fluvius, FOD/SPF Finance, members, ...)

Main questions:

- Fiscal framework
- Practical framework (TSO/DSO)
- Link to home reimbursement

TF is be planned later today, members can of course always join

Interested? Registration needed:

- Website: LINK
- Doodle: <u>LINK</u>



Events





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Mobiliteit van de toekomst

Eén jaar AFIR en één jaar REDII-register

Samen bieden we u een uniek platform om de synergieën tussen mobiliteit en energie te verkennen in de context van evoluerende Europese regelgeving.



More information: LINK



Events

zo **15** JUN

© 09:00 - 17:00 ♥ The Swedish Exhibition & Congress Centre

EVS38 Gothenburg

Het wereldwijde evenement van e-mobiliteit keert in 2025 terug naar Europa – wees erbij! Na een succesvolle show in Seoul wordt EVS 38 georganiseerd door een andere pioniersstad – **Göteborg**!...





- Get discounted tickets before April 15th: Get your tickets for 750 euro (VAT incl.) on our website.
- Confirm your company's interest by March 31st: To help us organize the Hospitality Suite, please confirm your interest asap.

Tickets & interest: LINK



AoB, next meeting(s) & closure

AoB:

- Specific question from FOD Economy: Readiness of API-connection for AFIR article 20 (NAP) implementation?
- AFIF subsidies for HDV charging: Congratulations to those who obtained the subsidies, this show the willingness and interest in HDV charging
- Creation of Charge France: Role of a separate federation next to AVERE France was briefly discussed

Next Update meeting:

• Friday 14 March 2025 from 08h30-09h30



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Date	Time	Location
Friday 10 January 2025	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 14 February 2025	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 14 March 2025	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 4 April 2025	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 9 May 2025	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 13 June 2025	08h30-09h30	Online
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