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**The Belgian Association for
Zero-Emission Mobility**

Monthly Update

22 May 2026



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2. Policy Update

Social Lease: Input from sector

- **Recent media attention to possible introduction of Social Leasing in Belgium**
 - **EV Belgium met with the cabinet of Jean-Luc Crucke on 06/05**
 - Social Leasing currently under internal consideration
 - Pilot project of 3-5 years
 - Via CPAS/OCMW & status BIM/verhoogde tegemoetkoming
 - Subsidies for leasing companies via OCMW
 - Support for charging under consideration but unclear (“social” charging card? social tariff with CPOs?)
- ⇒ *To be discussed within the WG EV Charging*



2. Policy Update

Car vignette: Latest intel

- **✓ EV Belgium met with cabinets of Ben Weyts (05/05) and François Desquesnes (19/05)**
 - Negotiations on vignette are ongoing
 - General principle: introduction as a tax, not a fee
 - Globally budget neutral for Belgian drivers, but 1on1 compensation will not be allowed by EU Commission
- **✓ Zero-emission aspect is on the table in negotiations**
 - Differentiated tariff/CO₂-factor for zero-emission vehicles is being considered
 - Differentiated compensation for EV and non-EV drivers is being considered
 - Wallonia will reserve part of the revenue for renovation of service areas including charging
 - Politically difficulty in Wallonia: Les Engagés are in favor, MR might block it
- **🚧 Action points for EV Belgium**
 - Continue to push for favorable tariff & compensation for EVs with all cabinets
 - Meet again with Brussels cabinet(s) to increase pressure on this aspect

2. Policy Update

Kilometer Levy: Approval draft law

- **The Flemish Commission of Mobility has approved the draft law changing the kilometer levy for trucks.**
 - Introduction of a CO₂-factor (*until now only Euronorm*)
 - *In line with the EU Chargers & Toll Regulation (1999/62/EG)*
 - Increase of external cost factor for all ICE HDV
 - *eHDV's are excluded until 2029 (they do pay the fixed fee for "infrastructure")*
 - No supportive measures or additional help to move are to be expected
 - Introduction as of 1 June 2027 (without indexation which becomes annual)
- **Background information:**
 - Decree: [LINK](#)
 - Discussions: [LINK](#)
 - *Approval in Parliament expected in the coming weeks.*

2. Policy Update

TF Concessions: First meeting

- **Scope**
 - Wallonia-first (following request from SPW)
 - Focus on AC only, developing concession/tender model for municipalities
 - Include recommendations and best practices for coordination between levels
- **Main points to focus on**
 - Define and support quality, avoid overly price-oriented tenders
 - Support bidirectional charging aspects and V2G activation strategies/criteria
 - Reduce the levels involved to a minimum - always coordinate at the highest possible level (Region!)
 - Define minimum sizes for tenders and explain economies of scale
 - Align with existing recommendations (STF, EAFO...)
 - ... and more : see [draft working document](#)
- **Next steps**
 - **Meeting #2:** in-person drafting workshop (half day, beginning of June)
 - **Meeting #3:** online check-in (end of June)
 - **Final draft:** 30 June
 - **SG approval:** 9 July

Working Document



Doodle meeting #2



Doodle meeting #3



2. Policy Update

TF Fraud & Theft: Latest progress & actions

Most recent meeting held on 11/05

1. Exchange about the existing registration tool → Inclusion of company name and no publication to external parties
 - *Extra: research which info can and can't be shared (GDPR, ...)*
- 2. Extra efforts to be made to call on members to use and fill in the form [LINK](#)**
3. Lobby efforts towards minister and police to be undertaken
- 4. Development of a Whatsapp-group for live information sharing and alerts**

Next meeting date via doodle: [LINK](#)

Next meeting topics:

- Tour de table on latest experiences & best practices (cable theft, ...)
- Sim-card theft (DATS24?)
- Whatsapp group rules & usage
- Update of the register & form



2. Policy Update

Overview of PAST meetings

DATE	STAKEHOLDER	TOPIC
28/04	Kabinet Depraetere/Bonte	Energy crisis and tax shift
29/04	Flanders Make	Collaboration & connecting industry
5/05	Febelauto	Collaboration
5/05	Cabinet Weyts	Car vignette
6/05	Cabinet Crucke	Social Leasing & charging cards
8/05	Stroomgroep Flexibiliteit	Flexibility solutions and upcoming review of the grid attribution methods
19/05	Cabinet Desquesnes	Car vignette
19/05	DG ENER + BE Regions	EPBD

2. Policy Update

Overview of UPCOMING meetings

DATE	STAKEHOLDER	TOPIC
22/05	Economic Inspection (FOD Eco)	AFIR interpretations and responsibilities
28/05	Fluvius	V2X and forecasting by EV Belgium
28/05	Fret Forward Wallonia	HDV electrification in Wallonia (& events)
9/06	ORES	Flexibility
12/06	Elia	Flexibility Needs Assessment
24/06	Fret Forward Wallonia	HDV electrification in Wallonia (& events)

3. Positions



Position Grids: Powering Progress

- Final position available here: [LINK](#)
- **Approval** within WG & Board have been conducted.
 - But, some minor changes were still brought up by members
 - Therefore, we will allow members to review the note and share their objection by next Thursday, 28 May EOB
 - Any objections should be submitted to contact@ev.be
- **Next steps:**

○ Formal Approval	28 May
○ Translation (NL & FR)	5 June
○ Publication (website, SoMe)	8 June
○ Outreach (<i>already ongoing indirectly</i>)	10 June

3. Positions



AFIR Guidelines

- Draft guidelines available here: [LINK](#)
- Draft has made some progress, but **we did not receive any input from members**
- Final draft available by next SG Public Charging
 - *Will be discussed and approved during next WG meeting on 9 June*

! We are looking for **one more company willing to proof-read** the proposal with their legal team in order to check for errors, legal mistakes and misinterpretations?

3. Positions



Position Fire Safety

- Draft available here: [LINK](#)
- **Main outlines:**
 - Push hard for a change of the title of the RD
 - Encourage innovation, such as IoT
 - Establish clear definitions and rules for Risk Assessments
 - Create clear rules for co-ownerships
 - Clarify the existing regulatory framework
- **Next steps:**

○ Formal finalization	29 May
○ Approval within WG EV Charging	1 June
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○ Outreach & lobby	8 June

3. Positions

Overview of ongoing work on positions: [LINK](#)
 Review all published positions here: [LINK](#)

Overview of positions

Topic/Title	WG	Importance	Status	Approval/Timing	Publication	LINK ENG	LINK NL	LINK FR
Grid Management (FIFO, Cost, Connections, investm, permitting, ...)	WG EV Charging	1. Very High	95%	Approval WG by Email before 29 April	Early May	LINK	LINK	LIEN
AFIR Guidelines	SG Public Charging	1. Very High	45%	Draft available asap	Before the Summer period	LINK	LINK	LIEN
Fire Safety	WG EV Charging	1. Very High	75%	Final remarks by 6 May	End May	LINK	LINK	LIEN
Private / 2nd-hand market advice	WG Vehicles	1. Very High	50%	Draft ready by 21 May	End June	LINK	LINK	LIEN
VME Guidelines	SG Private Charging	2 High	10%	Draft ready by 26 May	Early June	LINK	LINK	LIEN
Best practice concessions (focus Wallonia)	SG Public Charging	2 High	15%	Collect input	Summer 2026	LINK	LINK	LIEN
Takeover of concessions advice	SG Public Charging	3. Medium	0%			LINK	LINK	LIEN
Flemish budget neutral supportive measures	WG Vehicles	3. Medium	0%	January/February	March 26	LINK	LINK	LIEN
Supply Split	SG Public Charging	4. Low	20%	Approach to be decided	...	LINK	LINK	LIEN
Position Short LEase 2030	WG Vehicles	4. Low	5%	Draft and discussion in Sept	...	LINK	LINK	LIEN
Restricted Public Chargers	SG Private Charging	4. Low	0%			LINK	LINK	LIEN
Alignment of LEZ, Rotation Tariffs, ...	SG Public Charging	4. Low						

3. Positions

Overview of actions

- 28 May Final Position Grid [LINK](#)
- 1 June Position Fire [LINK](#)
- 9 June Final AFIR Guidelines [LINK](#)
- 16 June First draft VME Guidelines
- 9 July Position AC Concessions

3. Positions

Overview of consultations

1. **EU Commission:** AFIR review (until 3 August) [LINK](#)
2. **Elia:** Formele publieke consultatie over scenario's, sensitiviteiten en gegevens voor de berekening van de parameters met betrekking tot het CRM [LINK](#)
3. **VNR:**
 - a. Openbare raadpleging wijziging Technisch Reglement voor de Distributie van Elektriciteit (TRDE) [LINK](#)
 - b. Openbare raadpleging wijziging Technisch Reglement Plaatselijk Vervoernet van Elektriciteit (TRPV) [LINK](#)
4. **CWaPe:** Consultation publique sur les Plans d'Adaptation des 5 GRD pour la période 2026-2030 [LINK](#)

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02
JUN

🕒 17:00 - 22:00 📍 Residence Palace Brussels (Room Polak)

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Op 2 juni juni 2026 vindt de Statutaire Algemene Vergadering van EV Belgium plaats. Navolgend op de vergadering voorzien we tevens de mogelijkheid om te netwerken tijdens een walking dinner op een unieke locatie.



EV Belgium General Assembly
United for the Future of E-Mobility

Join us at this event to...

- ⚡ Meet up and network with other members
- ⚡ Review the annual plan, budget and focus of EV Belgium
- ⚡ Elect 4 new board members for 3 years

... in the presence of **Jean-Luc Crucke, Federal Minister of Mobility & Climate**



4. Events

REGISTER



**SUBMIT
CANDIDATURE**



CANDIDATES



4. Events

WO
27
MEI

09:45 - 15:15 ENGIE Laborelec

EV Belgium Academy: Betrouwbaar en Naadloos Laden – van HPC tot Plug & Charge

Deze sessie van de EV Belgium Academy combineert **praktijkervaring, technische inzichten en live demonstraties** om u te helpen begrijpen wat vandaag werkt — en wat de toekomst brengt.

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link2fleet ZE experience event

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Leuven

Test meer dan 100 zero-emissie voertuigen in één dag, op één locatie, en ervaar de toekomst van e-mobiliteit.

Partner

Tickets



DI
06
OKT

12:00 - 16:30 Volvo Trucks Gent – Visitor Center

De toekomst van eTrucks: EV Belgium bij Volvo Trucks Gent

Sluit je aan bij EV Belgium voor een exclusief kijkje achter de schermen bij Volvo Trucks Gent, de grootste e-truckfabriek van Europa. Ontdek van dichtbij hoe de nieuwste generatie zware elektrische trucks wordt geassembleerd.

Tickets



Van track naar labo: versnel-
ling van transport- en logis-
tieke innovatie in Vlaanderen

Lommel

Ontdek tijdens dit inspirerend evenement hoe Flanders Make en Ford Lommel Proving Ground u kunnen ondersteunen bij onderzoek,...

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4. Events

TICKETS



Join us at this unique event to...

- ⚡ Exchange with fast charging CPOs on charger reliability
- ⚡ Get insights & experience from MCS hardware players
- ⚡ Learn from practical experience on hardware testing
- ⚡ Get an overview of the Plug & Charge ecosystem
- ⚡ See a real-life Plug & Charge multi-contract deployment demonstration

... on Belgium's only MCS-capable testing rig at ENGIE Laborelec!



4. Events

Wallonia: Fret Forward Wallonia & Webinar Series on eHDV

- **EV Belgium is a member of the FRET FORWARD stakeholder group**
- **3 Actions**
 - Develop a TCO tool adapted to the Walloon context
 - **Organise a webinar series on truck electrification and optimization of operational cost**
 - Evaluate the possibility to reduce the km-levy in Wallonia
- Your input is needed & welcome! → **Call for Speakers for Webinar series**
 - Already confirmed: Milence, Kempower, Virta...
 - **Others can inform us: karsten@ev.be**



5. AoB, next meeting(s) & closure

AoB

- ...

Next Update meeting

- **Friday 12 June 2026 from 08h30-09h30**



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Date	Time	Location
Friday 9 January 2026	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 13 February 2026	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 13 March 2026	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 24 April 2026	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 22 May 2026	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 12 June 2026	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 10 July 2026	08h30-09h30	Online
Friday 11 September 2026	08h30-09h30	Online
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