

Press Release

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BELECTRIC constructs two more solar energy plants in the Netherlands

- The "Hof van Twente" solar energy park (9 MWp) is already operational
- The "Hoogeveen" solar project (24 MWp) is expected to be commissioned in Q4 2020
- With installed plants producing over 100 MW, BELECTRIC is one of the leading builders and operators of PV power plants in the Dutch market

Kolitzheim (Germany) – The German solar power specialist BELECTRIC continues to expand its presence in the Dutch solar market: With the completion of the "Hof van Twente" solar energy park (over 9 MW), the EPC (engineering-procurement-construction) provider BELECTRIC has achieved a successful on-time launch and connection of the first of two projects for its German client Kronos Solar. The photovoltaic system in the Province of Overijssel consists of over 23,000 solar cells and produces enough climate-friendly green energy to supply around 3,000 households per year. In addition, BELECTRIC is currently constructing the "Hoogeveen" solar plant in the Province of Drenthe. This will have a capacity of around 24 MW when it commences commercial operations in the fourth quarter of this year. BELECTRIC will also assume operations and maintenance services for both solar plants on behalf of Kronos Solar.

"By the end of 2020, we will have built a solar capacity of more than 100 MW in the Netherlands. This includes particularly innovative projects such as a solar power system for a hybrid power plant. All this makes us one of the leading builders and operators of solar systems in the Netherlands", says Ingo Alphéus, CEO of BELECTRIC Solar & Battery GmbH.

"In the context of the structural implementation of our current 250-MW portfolio in the Netherlands, we are pleased to have found an excellent construction partner in BELECTRIC. In view of the increasingly significant IPP strategy at Kronos Solar, we appreciate strategic partnerships that ensure efficiency and high quality", states Dr Alexander Arcache, CEO of Kronos Solar Projects GmbH. "In the core markets of the Netherlands, France, the UK and Germany, we are currently developing projects with a total output of approximately two gigawatts."

Besides the two projects for Kronos Solar, BELECTRIC is presently constructing a solar power system with an installed capacity of 38 MW for Vattenfall Duurzame Energie N.V.'s 'Energiepark Haringvliet Zuid'. The hybrid system, which consists of a wind park (22 MW), battery storage (12 MW) and open-space photovoltaic system, is currently taking shape around 30 kilometres southwest of Rotterdam on Goeree-Overflakkee Island in South Holland Province.

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Photo caption for Images 1 and 2: BELECTRIC puts Hof van Twente solar farm into operation



Photo caption for Image 3: BELECTRIC builds Hoogeveen solar farm with a capacity of around 24 MW

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About BELECTRIC:

BELECTRIC Solar & Battery GmbH is one of the most successful enterprises in the development and construction of utility scale solar power plants and energy storage systems. The company was established in 2001 and has been expanded to an international group with activities on all continents since then. BELECTRIC has constructed more than 400 solar PV power plants with more than 3 GWp PV capacity. In addition, the company realized battery energy storage systems and hybrid power solutions, which combines different technologies to autarkic systems. As one of the largest O&M providers globally, BELECTRIC's full-integrated services provide continuous operation. State-of-theart solar power plant technology and energy storage technology support the grid infrastructure and contribute to cost reductions in the energy sector. With numerous patents and innovations, BELECTRIC has proven its technological leadership in the industry.

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