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## BUDI-meeting Dublin 26.-27.Sept.

- Project progress
  - [www.pages](#) in Finnish active
  - EPC presented in municipal fair 7. – 8. Sept
  - Poster prepared for the fair
  - Leaflet prepared and distributed in the fair
  - First seminar scheduled 10. October, target group potential service providers
  - Co-operation established with Motiva (national organisation for energy savings promotion owned by ministry of trade and industry)

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## Budi meeting

- **Status of the current situation**
  - Ministries have prepared draft legislation, published in June (ministry of Environment and Ministry of Trade and Industry)
  - Comments received by late August
  - Preparation of proposals for new laws ongoing
  - Estimated parliament decision in December

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## Budi-meeting

- **Proposed actions**
  - Laws in force 1.1.2006
  - EPC compulsory for public buildings 2006
  - Apartment blocks 2007
  - Others 2008
  - Private service providers to issue EPC:s
  - Minimum requirement for basic training and job experience plus special training course and examination to show the knowledge of calculation models
  - EPC to show the calculated and historical energy consumption

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- **Marketing activities**
  - First seminar 12. October
  - One article for magazine written
  - Main training and marketing activities after legislation is public (early 2006 )
  - EPC has been in public few times, first time was very negative news; EPC was presented as additional tax like payment without any positive effect to property owner, second round in media was more positive, ministry level has kept quiet

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- **WP2 and WP3**
  - Targets will be available for piloting
  - Calculation model to be used is not published, expected by the end of this year(proposal for parliament discussion to be published in Oct.-Nov.)
  - Qualified engineering offices are contacted to do the piloting as soon as the draft calculation model is available

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- **WP4**
  - According to present draft the accreditation for experts are given by technical universities or polytechnics giving building education
  - Regional administration will keep records for accredited EPC service providers, there will be penalty in offering such services without accreditation