

AiCARR SEMINAR

 18^{th} march 2016 Congress Centre Stella Polare—Gemini Room 10,30 a.m.—1,30 p.m.

HEAT ACCOUNTING: THE ITALIAN SITUATION

Heat accounting of the thermal energy supplied in buildings with centralized systems is clearly indicated by the European Directive 2012/27/EC, implemented in Italy through Legislative Decree 102/2014.

Starting from 2017, special devices for measuring the heat consumption of each radiator of a thermal system must be installed.

Where the use of individual meters is not technically feasible or efficient, the EU Directive requests that the heat shall be accounted by indirect systems.

Despite the need to protect the consumer, the estimate of a measurement error, information essential for a clear definition of heat consumption, it is not always compatible with the guidelines laid down by law.

It seems obvious that the first step to promote effective use of this tool is to open a debate between the different actors involved and to highlight the challenges and opportunities in applying laws and regulations.

Because of the deadlines set by D.Lgs.102, following the meetings organized by AiCARR starting by the Italian National Congress of Bologna, AiCARR proposes a workshop for a deep reflection on this theme, doing the "progress report" not only in terms of legislation, but also by technical and regulatory points of view, as well as economic, and offering various parties involved in the process an analysis of possible improvements.





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