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Leading manufacturer of airconditioning, refrigerating equipment, heat pumps

Dear Sergey Anatolyevich,

Allow me to present our company Daikin. Daikin is the worlds leading manufacturer in the air conditioning industry, and also holds a strong position on the Russian market. Unique feature of Daikin is that we not only manufacture AC equipment, but also produce various refrigerants. This ensures that Daikin has unrivaled knowledge about refrigerant issues.

In reaction to your letter dated 25 April 2011, I offer you Daikin`s full support and experience to the Russian Ministry of Environment in order to realise the UNIDO/GEF Project Nr GEF/RUS/11/001. Indeed, when the European Commission was set for the task of making proposals to reduce greenhouse gas emissions (also coming from fluorinated gases : F-gases), and solicited help from industry, Daikin participated in the work.

In Europe these activities resulted in the so-called `F-gas regulation`, a document that indicates clear targets and methods to achieve these targets. Further, this document also sets a clear timing by when certain measures need to be taken.

Our proposal would be to make maximum use of the experience gained from the implementation of the F-gas regulation in Europe.

As a side note, I would like to mention that soon the European Commission will publish its evaluation report.

The F-gas regulation sets the following targets:

1. containment of refrigerant (no leakage)
2. recovery of equipment (no venting)
3. waste treatment (recycling, reclaiming and destruction of refrigerant)


To achieve these targets it is necessary to

1. develop training and certifaction, at the level of individuals and also at company level
2. implement a program to check leaks at regular intervals
3. set up a data reporting system
4. set up a system to treat waste gases

A lot of inspiration about how the above can be worked out in practice, can be found in the F-gas regulations.

We are glad to assist you with this.

Kind regards,


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