# INFORMATION CALENDAR

### PAST EVENTS

**17.02**→ Bulgarian president **Rumen Radev visited KCM 2000 GROUP**. He met Rumen Tsonev – CEO of KCM 2000 and Ivan Dobrev – CEO of KCM AD and representatives of the company's top management. The main topic of the meeting was the situation on the electricity market and the impact of high prices on production, as well as measures to reduce losses and proposals on behalf of KCM to address the energy crisis.



**14.01**→ BAMI, BFIEK, BACI and BCCI sent a joint letter to the Prime Minister and his deputies on financial and economic affairs insisting on the update of the Economic Transformation Programme, respectively the **removal of the ban set in Annex P8 for receiving financial support for large enterprises in the manufacturing industry**, falling in the scope of EU ETS. The letter is available <u>HERE</u>

23.02 → BAMI's Board held a regular meeting. It was decided that the General Assembly, including the election of a new Board will be held on June 28, 2022. A Working Group was established to prepare a proposal for the distribution of annual membership fees by company and to update the objectives and working programme of the new Board.



24.02 → Ms. Ninova, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Economy and Industry, and the Minister of Labor and Social Policy - Mr. Gyokov jointly signed an Ordinance on ensuring healthy and safe working conditions in ferrous and non-ferrous metallurgy. The preparation of the Ordinance was initiated by the social partners in the metallurgical industry and supported by the Sectoral Council on Working Conditions at the Ministry of Economy. This document corresponds to the new working conditions, changes in technology and current regulations. It was prepared by a team of experts on working conditions, including from metallurgical enterprises, representatives of trade unions, BAMI and FMM at UCTM. The new regulation is published on the BAMI's website.

### FORTHCOMING EVENTS

**11.05.** → A meeting of the BAMI's Board will be held to accept the documents on the agenda of the Annual General Assembly. Materials that are not confidential will be uploaded for information and acquaintance on B'MI's website.

### EUROPEAN UNION

**February** → BAMI acquainted Bulgarian MEPs with the positions of European / Bulgarian metal producers on the draft CBAM and the update of the EU ETS and actively engaged them in holding meetings on these issues with Eurofer. We expect their support regarding the positions we have presented.

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