## **Italy** Update

36<sup>th</sup> IPHE Steering Committee Meeting 16 – 17 November 2021 Virtual Meeting



## **Announcements / New Initiatives Italy**



- Italian Ministry for Economic Development has issued preliminary Guidelines for a National **Hydrogen Strategy** (November 2020)
- EU recovery Fund (total for Italy €220B): **€3.2B** towards hydrogen roll-out (€160M for R&D)
- R&D, European framework: 10 funded projects kicked off in 2021 with Italian participation, attracting €7M funds to Italy mobilising over €37M funds in total
- FID, National Framework: flagship project *Hydrogen Demo Valley* an at-scale, fully integrated hydrogen ecosystem within ENEA but with full access to industry for validating hydrogen products across and within the value chain
- Important Projects of Common European Interest: Industry-led pan-European initiative for the leverage of State aid mechanisms. 2 projects under notification: 1) H2 Technology (€1B for Italian companies) 2) H2 Industry (€1.2B). Further IPCEIs under negotiation.
- National association of industries (Confindustria) carrying out a nation-wide gap analysis of **RCS** for hydrogen deployment in industry and infrastructure











## Thank you



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