



Application for the position of President of Solar Heat Europe/ESTIF.

Dear Members of SHE

In my long experience in Solar Thermal Industry, I have never seen such a large gap between potential and actual market situation. And this gap keeps on increasing.

I would like to contribute, to change that.

We need to invest more time and resources towards measures for growth, both in the European market as well as for exports. Support new technological solutions and further research and development. We should co-operate with other renewables, mainly with the heating industry, to present practical hybrid solutions for heating and cooling.

By delivering more value for our members and proper communication we could increase interaction and gain capacity.

I hope that you will honor me with your vote at the General Assembly on the 30th November in Brussels.

Best Regards

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "C. Travasaros", with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Costas Travasaros

Representative of Greek Solar Industry Association

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Born in Athens 19/12/1959

Married. Two children.

Professional Experience

2006- "PRIME LASER TECHNOLOGY"

Manager- Partner

- Development and manufacturing absorbers for solar thermal collectors.

1991-2005 FOCO SA

Solar Systems

Export Manager – Marketing

- Board Member 2000 - 2003.

1984–1990 FOCO Ltd

Solar Systems

Sales Manager – R & D Manager

1979–1983 Private Business

Solar Systems

Sales and installation of solar systems

Professional Bodies

2007- ESTIF European Solar Thermal Industry Federation

Representative of the Greek Solar Industry Association

2004- 2006 ESTIF European Solar Thermal Industry Federation

Board Member

1994-2001 EBHE – Greek Solar Industry Association

Chairman

1993-1994 EBHE – Greek Solar Industry Association

General Secretary

1992-1998 ISES – Greek Section

General Secretary

Education

1985 Mathematics (University of Athens)

1978 Mechanics (Technical School)