



Letter of Intent (LOI)

Regarding borderless access to e-mobility services in the Benelux region

With this Letter of Intent, Open Chargepoint (BE), eViolin (NL) and Chargy (LU) declare to work together towards borderless e-mobility access services between the Benelux region.

Cross-border cooperation ensures a huge growth of mutual interoperability. By enabling to charge everywhere with clear information about location, availability and price of charging stations, roaming costs are minimized and EV drivers can get maximum benefit and access to added services.

Open Chargepoint, eViolin and Chargy will contribute to the efforts to interconnect the public charging infrastructure in the Benelux region and to make it easily accessible for all EV drivers within the Benelux.

Close cooperation will be established in the following areas:

1. The issuing of ID's by a centralized organization in order to identify electric vehicle charging points and identify tokens;
2. A single set of minimum requirements regarding the use of charging stations (e.g. time, price transparency and usage);
3. A single set of minimum requirements and code of conduct regarding technological equipment's (e.g. RFID card reader and charging points specifications);
4. The set-up of easily accessible public charging infrastructure in the Benelux for all EV drivers within the Benelux, in a non-discriminatory way, using their own e-mobility service contract.

The successful cross-border cooperation between Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg is further fostered and expanded by assuring e-mobility access services within a dense region. In June 2017, the Benelux-countries represented a quarter of plug-in-hybrid/battery electric vehicles and almost a third of EV charging positions in the EU-28.

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About Open Chargepoint Belgium

Open Chargepoint Belgium (OCP.BE) is the sectorial organisation which was founded by six Chargepoint Operators (CPO) in 2016.

OCP.BE members are committed to active contribution to open and user-friendly access to publicly accessible charging points for all electric vehicles in Belgium.

Active members:

- Allego
- Blue Corner
- EVBox
- Eneco
- EV-Point
- NEWMOTION
- MOBILITYPLUS

More information on: www.openchargepoint.be

About eViolin

eViolin is responsible for ensuring national roaming in The Netherlands. At this moment eViolin manages the roaming for over 140.000 EV cards/tokens, 40.000 charge stations and 23 charge point operators and mobility service providers. eViolin is also responsible for the issuing of IDs for these organizations, which makes eViolin crucial in the EV ecosystem to support exchange of data and roaming.

Active members:

- Alfen
- Allego
- ANWB
- Blue Corner
- Blue Current
- BMW
- EVnetNL
- Eneco
- EVBox
- Fastned
- FLOW Charging
- Green Flux
- LastMileSolutions
- Movenience
- MultiTankcard
- NewMotion
- Nuon
- Optimile
- Plugsurfing
- ServiceHouse
- Travelcard
- Vandebron
- VitaeMobility

More information on: www.eviolin.nl

About Chargy

Chargy, the first network of public charging stations in Luxemburg, is a joint venture between the five grid operators. Chargy will implement 800 stations, that means 1'600 charging points by 2020. At least one station will be installed in each municipality of Luxemburg, in order to guarantee a national network coverage. Thereupon Chargy will also integrate other private charging stations becoming Chargy Ok. Finally, the Chargy network will count more than 1'600 charging points in Luxemburg.

Partners:

- Sudstroum
- Electris
- Ville d'Ettelbruck
- Ville de Diekirch
- Creos Luxembourg

More information on: www.chargy.lu