

NORTH SEA COMMISSION
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GROUP – RENEWABLE ENERGY SUBGROUP

Members profile 2005

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4. What is your job title?

(i.e. European adviser, councillor, executive secretary, project manager)

Adviser

5. What is your position within your organisation:

X

Officer	X
Politician	
Other	

6. Briefly describe your main tasks/responsibilities:

Economic Development: Innovation, creative industries, planning and development projects. Some international activities.

7. Does your organisation have an official presence in Europe / EU?

Yes, Rogaland is part owner of the "Stavanger office" in Brussels

8. What is your structure for representation on European issues?

We have the "Stavanger office". We are members of CPMR, The North Sea Commission.

9. How do you lobby Europe on economic development issues?

Through the CPMR, National channels, and participation in EURADA activities.

10. Do you have position papers on:

X

Energy issues and Renewable energy	X
SME Innovation and Development	x
Rural Development	X
Food production, promotion and development (incl. tourism potential)	X
<i>The above are covered in our "master plan" for development.</i>	
European funding	
Academic and business knowledge exchange	
Baltic Sea co-operation	
Other	

11. What other economic development activities are you currently involved with?

Creative industries, aquaculture.