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1. President’s moral report

This is the forth General Assembly of ENSIE, four years of collective reflexion, of trade-guild to build this European network and to make it able to work, in spite of the obstacles like the geographical distance, the cultural differences, different experiences and the fact that there is not a plenty of means. Unfortunately, we do not have enough opportunities to meet to work together. Mainly, we do not have sufficient means at our disposal to organise regular working times regrouping the adhering networks.

In spite of these limits and constraints, it appears to be important to evaluate the work we have been doing together for a little more than one year entrepreneurship, which enabled us to capitalize in terms of recognition, of development, of initiative and citizenship.

In the moral report which I submitted in June 2004 to ENSIE's General Assembly, I kept five main priorities which put in evidence the works in which we were invested or in which we should be investing ourselves in the future.

1. To make an inventory to establish the elements of identity;
2. To reach a significant European representation;
3. To have permanent and professional means of action at our disposal;
4. To forge strong links with the whole of the actors and organised networks in the social economy;
5. To acquire together a real capacity of influence and become a force to make recognised proposals towards the European instances.

Currently, the five main priorities need time to be achieved, but we have not the ambition to realize all the work in a year. It is important that during this last year, crucial stages have been realized and our purpose for the future is to maintain our investment to continue the realization of every of these priorities, knowing what we did and our weaknesses.

Some decisive steps forward to be consolidated

ENSIE has a clear identity positioning, which makes sense and which is perceived as relevant. The European Conference in Krakov as well as the European Conference in Luxembourg (March 2005) are, among other things, two elements which enabled us to verify this. They have mainly allowed to make our specificities known and recognised, while at the same time, positioning our project as well as our procedures as a full component in the movement of the European social economy. Therefore, the fact that this type of entrepreneurship which ENSIE represents is named in the Krakov resolutions, at the side of the entrepreneurship represented by networks much older than ours, which are gathering sectors of activity notably much more developed, constitutes a new manner to take into account and a significant step forward, which we shall have to help to bear fruit in order to strengthen our capacity of action and our possibilities of development.

Moreover, this will to inscribe clearly ENSIE’s action within this European movement, conditions both our capacity to get heard, the recognition by the European bodies of the relevance of our approach, and the development of our network, as well as the development, in the European countries, of the sector of integration enterprises, as well as that of the support which is brought to them.
Therefore, the consequence of the recognition by European networks, which are sharing the same philosophy, is to have a further possibility to develop a cooperation which allows us to broaden our reflections and initiatives, and strengthen our capacity; historically, CECOP has been our first partner, today, we are engaging in an approach with the network REVES (I have met Luigi MARTIGNETTI, who is the general delegate in Luxembourg), which I hope will succeed; for all reasons, it appeared to me that this strategy if cooperation and common initiative, with other European networks in the social economy must be strengthened and contributes to our own reinforcement.

On the other hand, thanks to our internal solidarity, (thanks to the Consorzio Abele), and indeed, thanks to the continued support from the Belgian Ministry, we managed to maintain a permanent minimum structure.

The possibility to keep a project leader is not guaranteed on a long-term basis, but we have so far managed to keep her until now. Patrizia’s work has enabled us to keep a continuous activity for the network, guaranteeing a dissemination of the information within the networks, a permanent watch on the European events or initiatives in the social economy, and more globally, on the whole of the European provisions or projects which are of concern to us. We have also managed to secure our presence in a certain number of conferences or working meetings, in which we must absolutely make our approach and our points of views known. It is clear that if we do not mobilise to find new means of existence, we shall loose this determining contribution from the project leader, which gives us a capacity of intervention – however very insufficient - , but without which the life of our network would practically be nonexistent; moreover, it is therefore indispensable to mobilise right now all the means liable to ensure us one further year for the financing of this post. To do this, we should determine, among us, the partners to approach the contacts to be established and to share the work between us.

The points on which to place our efforts:

For a year now, we have not managed to increase significantly the number of members. It is now urgent to mobilise new networks or adhering partners, in order to improve our representativity and to provide new ideas for our collective reflection, while relying on the largest diversity of existing practices in the various member states. Contacts are in progress, among others in England, and it is a necessity to come to a conclusion as soon as possible. The call for proposals within the framework of Community action in the fight against exclusion for the financing of networks (see document transmitted by Brigitte) confirms the importance of this task. In the same time, the existence of this set of themes and the main lines which it privileges, comforts us yet again in the necessity to pursue with obstination the structuration for ENSIE, its development as well as the search for cooperation with the networks engaged in the fight against poverty and exclusion, in order to reach a relevant European dimension. If, within the next two years, we realise at least the same progress as that of the last two years, this challenge is within our reach. All the more so that if Europe confirms today its support to those actions programmes whose aim is to stimulate cooperation between the members states in the fight against exclusion, it will still be doing it in the years to come, especially if the objectives in this field, which are already present in the Lisbon Strategy, are further taken and intensified in the Luxembourg process.

We have to gather us and move us to develop a stronger interaction between the activity of ENSIE and those ones of the other our national, regional or European networks.

In the future we have to make possible, in our networks, a systematic follow-up and a great transfer of all reflections, initiatives and experiences done in ENSIE.

It is necessary that all the networks are completely engaged in representing ENSIE and that they have to contribute at the maximum of their capacities giving the best support to ENSIE.
We have not to superimpose our implications or to use them among us. There is a real interaction between the implication at the European level and that one at the national or local level. This interaction doesn’t work well in regard of the matters of our interest and it needs to have the means to make it possible. If not, the follow-up of investment concerning experiences’ acquis, the capacity to analyse our time and to elaborate new projects for the future, is geared down.

We must therefore go on working to enlarge our network and, consequently, we shall be in a better position to ensure the conditions of its operation by multiplying the possibility to mobilise a greater diversity of means.

Today, we must still bring more to ENSIE than what ENSIE can "bring in" to us. The few reflections developed above require to be deepened and debated among us. Each of us (each network) must update and clarify the meaning it gives to the membership of ENSIE today; on the other hand, we must verify among us whether we are assuming well together the same challenges, the same priority of action at the European level and that we are always committed to implement them through ENSIE.

Finally, these reflections are aiming to point out the strategic orientations to be privileged in order too make ENSIE increasingly more operational and influential, both in the European debate as well as in the support it can bring to our network of initiatives in the various member states (irrespective of the fact whether there is a member network or none).

So, if in the years to come, 10 European countries have an appropriate legislation leading to a significant development of the inclusion by the economy, Europe will not be able to do otherwise than to take this sector into consideration and to support it as a Community Programme of Action in its own right. We are still, and this for several years to come, in a construction phase of our network; of its representativity, of its operationally. This is why I think that, for many years to come, we must bring more to ENSIE than what ENSIE can "bring in" to us. However, at the sight of all that had happened since Bruges, I think that ENSIE has brought enormously (which I am personally convinced of) by offering the only framework for debate and reflection which can allow us to think, in a dynamic way, of the future of the entrepreneurship of inclusion and about the role it must fulfil at the side and in a close link with the other streams of initiatives of social economy.

If we want to continue the adventure, it is necessary to structure it better, to “instigate”/make more dynamic the contacts among the local, national and European level, to intensify the political and consultant role of ENSIE. For all this, the matter about the enlargement of the representativity of our networks like the one about the strategies of alliances with other European networks of social economy are crucial.

It is also necessary to organize in a best way our strengths to support the coordinator of the mission, and to divide among us the activities of ENSIE in progress and those ones in the next future.

I take this occasion to thank Patrizia for the quality of her work, her availability and her great capacity of adaptation. I thank on my behalf and your behalf, Salvatore for his work of leadership, his constant implication/interest, his permanent vigilance on ENSIE’life and “affairs”.

To construct ENSIE is not to put in place a clever mechanism in order to recuperate money from the ESF more easily. To construct ENSIE is to regroup actors at the European level, in order to take part, be it in a modest way, in the construction of a European policy strongly mobilised on the questions of the fight against exclusions, of citizenship and of integration.
Yet, the way ahead is still long, but this is a work in progress which can be successful only if we remain collectively convinced of its essential importance.

This is the road which we have taken together in 2001. It remains for us to determine how we wish to continue together on the way ahead in the next two years:

"Traveller, there is no way,
The way is made while walking".
MACHADO.

The President
Christian JACQUOT
2. Introduction

2.1 History
At the same time of the development of the integration enterprises, some networks were set up in various Member States of the European Union to support these forms of work. At the end of 1999, some national federations, whose common goal was the social integration economy, gathered in Barcelona. The most important result of this meeting was the will to create a European network. The reasons of this creation were clear:

- All kind of regulation is defined more and more by the European Union and less at the national level.
- In each country, we have "good practices" but these ones seldom reached the national borders.
- To leave workers of the target group to meet with their colleagues of the other countries of European Union.

After Barcelona’s seminar, these partners met every three months. It was decided to organise the following meeting in Belgium. Its central position in Europe had big importance for this decision. In May 2001, following these meetings, the "Réseau European of the Social Integration Enterprises", the "European Network for Social Integration Enterprises" (ENSIE) was founded in Bruges.

During all these years the network collected a lot of experience, essential to be able to reach the objectives for which ENSIE was born.
Each year the network becomes stronger and is establishing new contacts with organizations of the Central Europe.
With Krakow the message of the network was reaffirmed. In the conclusions of the second European Social Economy Conference in the Central and Eastern Europe – Krakow, it appeared the following sentence: « to engage ourselves for inclusion offering quality jobs with the aim of reinforcing the citizenship and the personal skills».
This sentence is the result of the ENSIE’s participation at the European life, we have only to continue in this way ! Take heart !

2.2 Description and principal objectives
(extract of the statute) TITLE I. NAME – REGISTERED OFFICE – OBJECTIVE – DURATION – Article 3

ENSIE sets itself as objectives within the European Union to represent, support and develop networks and federations from the social integration economy in Europe.
ENSIE will:

1. strengthen the social integration economy actors through exchange between the member organisations,
2. stimulate collaborative relationships and partnership with promoting good practices, research results, new applications
3. organize national and local legislative policy information exchange between member organisations
4. represent and promote the network and the activities on all relevant European levels
5. work on contributions and proposals in order to participate at the definition of European policies against social exclusion
6. develop strong and solid cooperation with other existing European networks of social economy in order to gain synergetic results.

ENSIE will contribute to a sustainable development within the European Union. This includes the following aspects:
1. the labour market and social integration of risk groups by strengthening their employability and productivity
2. the economic liveability of social integration enterprises and the strengthening of their role within economy as a whole
3. the support of equal opportunities in support of the gender mainstreaming strategy of the European Union

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On 31 of December the network is composed by
14 networks
which represent
10 European Union States,
1500 Enterprises
and 220.000 employees.
2.3 The network structure

The ENSIE network is composed by 14 social integration networks, whose:

- **a European network:**
  CECOP, Confédération Européenne des Coopératives de Production et de Travail Associé, des Coopératives Sociales et des Entreprises Participatives - European Confederation of Workers’ Co-operatives, Social Cooperatives and Participative Enterprises;

- **some national networks:**
  Austria: BDV, Bundesdachverband für Soziale Unternehmen
  France: CNEI, Comité National des Entreprises d’Insertion
  Germany: BAG Arbeit, Bundesarbeitsgemeinschaft Arbeit e.V
  Portugal: ANIMAR, Associação Portuguesa para o Desenvolvimento Local
  Spain: FEDEEI, Federación Española de Entidades de Empresas de Inserción
  Spain: CONPEEI, Confederación Española de Empresas y Entidades de Inserción

- **some regional networks:**
  Belgium (Wallonie) RES, Réseau d’Entreprises Sociales
  Belgium (Flanders) SST, Samenwerkingsverband Sociale Tewerkstelling
  Spain ACEI, Asociación Catalana Empresas Inserción

- **a local network:**
  Italy Consorzio Sociale Abele Lavoro
  Luxembourg Co-Labor

- **a national center services:**
  Ireland DBD, Local Employment Service
  United Kingdom CESI, Centre for Economic & Social Inclusion
### European Network of social Integration Enterprises a.s.b.l. – Membres’Liste

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2.3.2 The new contacts
During the year 2004 ENSIE established new contact with REVES network, Consorzio CGM and the co-operative company FOSODER.

**REVES Network : European Network of the Cities and Regions of Social Economy**

REVES gathers 20 European Areas and Cities, 18 Organizations of Social Economy. REVES brings closer the local authorities and the socio-economic actors who decided to work together for a constant development and of high quality of their areas, for the realization of a social justice, for the democratic participation of the citizens, the creation of employment and fight against social exclusion.

**Consorzio CGM – Italy : Consorzio Nazionale della Cooperazione Sociale Gino Mattarelli**

The CGM has the aim to be the expert system of the social entrepreneurship which transfer co-operatives towards the authentic social company and the social companies towards the network, to help the citizens and their communities to join the social cohesion. The activities of the Cgm consortium are structured in six areas: Communication, Knowledge, Innovation Development, Institutional Projects, Network, Internal Services.

**FOSODER – Belgium Wallonia**

Le Fonds de Solidarité et de Développement Régional (FOSODER) is a co-operative company with limited responsibility created in 1982. FOSODER scrl takes an active part in the industrial mending of meshes of fabrics of the area of Verviers and is also an agency councils in social economy approved by the Walloon Area since 1991. In its various poles of activities, FOSODER adheres and defends the ethics of the commercial social economy, underlain by four principles:

- the finality of the services to the members or the community rather than profit
- the autonomy of management
- the democratic decision-making process
- primacy of the people and work on the capital in the distribution of income

**Two poles:**
A pole "management of companies of social economy" which includes the whole of the countable, financial and legal operations; analysis of the needs for financing and the search for financial aids. This pole is also occupied of resumptions of companies always from the point of view of commercial social economy, of development of business plans and feasibility studies. A pole "arranges councils in social economy" whose goals are to encourage the takeoff of start-ups and to promote the social economy with the project's carriers.
3. 2004 : the network is growing

Preamble

From the 2 January 2004 Ensie has engaged a person who coordinates the network and manages the European project IRSIE, Industrial Relations in the Social Integration Economy. This person works in an office of the Terre group, a Belgian group of social economy whose Salvatore Vetro is an administrator. The address of the office is:

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At the beginning of May Ensie requires the payment of the first part of the Belgian subsidy of 25,000 Euro.

At the end of May 2003, within the framework of the Community program Leonardo da Vinci, the Faculty of Economy of Turin (Italy) represents another offer of training.

Ensie accepts the offer and engages a trainee for thirteen weeks. The trainee begins on 21st June 2004 and ends 1st October 2004.

The 15th December 2004 has began the European project answering to the budget heading 04.03.03.01: Partnership – Transfer – Innovation Developing CSR with employers of employment services. The promoting organisation is our German member BAG Arbeit.

ENSIE, SST et CESI are partners.

3.1 The principal steps of the 2004

This table tries to give an outline of the life of the network in 2004

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3.2 The projects

Project RIESI is finished the 15th December 2004 with a month of extension. Please find there enclosed the moral report and conclusions.

Projects:
- « Bundesarbeitsgemeinschaft Arbeit e.V. » presented by Bag Arbeit,
- « RIVES » presented by CoLabor,
- "Life resources - developing skills to support the older in learning to learn, to get involved and to participate" presented by CGM,
- « Geparie » presented by RES,
- « CESIPAN» presented by CoLabor,
- « ESSICA » presented by CIVIC – Iniciativa Sociales y Ocupacion,
- « FEDESI » presented by RES
- "ESI et SEE", “ReSsEl” presented by ENSIE

have not been accepted.

3.2.1 The «Santé financière et comptabilité des associations, les bases d'une gestion transparente et saine» project (Associations financial health and accountancy, the bases for a transparent and good management)

This project must help Ensie to set up a financial management. In particular, the project must be able to form a responsible person who knows very well the countable management and must be able to give more professionalism. Indeed, till now, to elaborate the annual documents, i.e., the bilan, the income/costs statement and the attachments, ENSIE has always asked to an external auditor. With this project two people of the association can attend to three moments of training and to a financial support of 1500,00 Euro by the King Roi Fundation. This support will be used to cover the costs of "kleine prins" which wrote the 2003 accountancy and to cover the expenses related on the purchase of a countable software and the training to be able to use this software.

3.2.2 The ENSIE members projects
1 Partnership – Transfer – Innovation Developing CSR with employers of employment services promoting organisation: BAG Arbeit

The aim of this project is to document outstanding Best Practice with regard to Corporate Social Responsibility Actions in companies in the social economy especially with regard to social integration enterprises with the further aim of developing recommendations for transferring and promoting future actions across Europe.

In this project Ensie works in partnership with Cecop.

The project provides two European conferences, organised by Ensie.
3.3 The Board of Directors

3.3.1 The Board of Directors of 27/03/04 (Paris)
The principal decisions of this meeting are:
- presentation of the local network Consorzio Sociale Abele Lavoro adhesion request and approval;
- within the framework of the IRSIE project, the payment of the costs will be done with the real cost method;
- within the framework of the FEDESI project:
  - each network begins to research its principal co-financing at the national or regional level;
  - the “cash” transfer (i.e. the budget justified with wages) must represent at maximum the 25% of the total budget;
- the ENSIE newsletter of Ensie: "La voie d’Ensie", Ensie voice, will be printed every two months and it should be produced in four languages: French, English, German and Spanish;
- expression of the necessity of a differentiation between the Ensie members: classification of the members in respect of their level of implication and definition of the several types of members: European, national and regional;
- expression of the necessity to start a work of coordination of the network.

3.3.2 The General Assembly of 29/06/2004 (Antwerpen)
The principal decisions of this meeting are:
- Formulation for the compliance of the statutes following the changes in the Belgian Law regarding the non profit associations (ASBL)
- Within the framework of the IRSIE project: discussion on the practical organisation of the restitution seminar in Krakow:
  - Formulation of conditions of Ensie’s participation in Krakow
  - Ensie’s newsletter: given the various opinions and the lack of time, the assembly decide to suspend the production of the newsletter.

3.3.3 The Board of Directors of 29/06/2004 (Antwerpen)
The decision taken in this meeting concerns the election of the same Bureau for the year 2005. The Bureau is in charge to manage the daily affairs.

3.3.4. The General Assembly of 30/10/2004 (Krakow)
The principal decisions of this meeting are:
- Revision of the Statutes in compliance with the Law of 2nd May 2002
- Evaluation of the IRSIE project and of the Restitution Seminar of 28th October: the financial plan of the project is also the financial plan of the network.
- Within the framework of the searching for financing for a coordinator: the president invites all members to act as Ensie members in order to look for financing from their own government, their parliamentary representatives and their future EC Commissioners.
3.4 The meetings

3.4.1 "Second Congress and 25th anniversary of the European Confederation of Workers’ Co-operatives, Social Co-operatives and Participative Enterprises (CECOP)” and “33rd Congress of the General Confederation of the SCOP”
Nantes – France    13-15/05/2004

The General Confederation of the SCOP has received our European member CECOP in the Congress of the European Confederation of Workers. This congress had the participation of CECOP and of the others institutions, partners and European networks like ENSIE, and it gave us the opportunity to make exchanges of good practices and different experiences.

ENSIE was represented by Patrizia Bussi and Paul Delaunois from Co-labor, Mr. Delaunois presented the ENSIE’s model “Territories” : The creation of quality jobs, the development of social enterprises to answer the needs of proximity services and social cohesion and the implementing of partnerships with local authorities.
He explained about the different objectives and ENSIE’s will to fight against the social exclusion and to act directly in the territory.

3.4.2. "International Meetings of Local Development and Social Economy”
Charleroi – Belgium   17-18/09/2004

The administrative services from the social economy from Charleroi, the ULB – IGEAT and SAW have organized two days of meetings and analysis about the local development and the social economy with the participation of different partners of the same sector, local representatives and researchers from Belgium and France.
We worked in different items: Local development and human capital, share capital; Local development and collective enterprising, proximity services and local development. The meetings were in Caouillet (Campus of Parentvillle) in Charleroi.

3.4.3 International Meeting of Integration Enterprises”  Quebec – Canada  18-23/10/2004

ENSIE a.s.b.l. has participated in the International Meeting of Integration Enterprises of French-speaking countries (Belgium, France, Quebec, Switzerland, etc.) we worked on the matter of social and professional insertion, with the aim of sharing our different know - How and establishing relationship in the long term.

3.4.4. 2nd European Social Economy Conference in the Central and Eastern Europe”
Krakow – Poland    27-29/10/2004

CEDAG European Council for Non-Profit Organisations organised a workshop on the issue of civil dialogue; 5 points were underlined:

- Associations and social economy enterprises are not only doing charity.
- If social economy enterprises deliver less expensive services and products, it is because they do not have to pay shareholders
- It is regrettable that the mid-term review of the Lisbon Strategy underlines competitiveness and not social cohesion social and full employment
- We should feel concerned about the way of the construction of the internal market is performed and on its consequences for our organisations.
- We should work on the strengthening or the creation of national platforms of social economy.


3.4.5. « Socially responsible consumption and finance systems: public authorities’ and citizens’ commitment for social cohesion » Strasbourg - France 4-5/11/2004

How the acts and the economic choices of the individuals can incorporate a dimension of cohesion and social responsibility? This is the main question that has been tried to respond in Forum 2004, organized by the Council of Europe in Strasbourg, 4 – 5 November 2004.

The Forum brought together politicians and actors of the economic and social sector who analyzed the initiatives of the citizens - ethical and interdependent finance, equitable trade, responsible and critical consumption -, the attitude of the public authorities in their connection and the development of their support, and the means to promote its development in the Pan-European level.

Two projects related the ethical initiatives and solidarity of the citizens in the economy were launched during the Forum:

- a European platform of political dialogue and promotion of these initiatives.

- an observation of the legal frameworks and dialogue between the authorities and citizens’ initiatives
4. **Ensie objectives from the 01/01/2004 to the 31/12/2004**

- The IRSIE project with its total financing of 87,203,00 Euro, whose 20,000,00 Euro must be paid by Ensie which uses the Belgian subsidy, has allowed Ensie to have a general secretariat from January 2, 2004. The person is engaged until November 15.
- Update of the site www.ensie.org and, in particular, of the Elexies part: www.elexies.info.
- Elaboration of a CD-ROM about Elexies with all the documents concerning the project. The CD-ROM is in two languages: English and French and it include eight directors:
  1. ABOUT ELEXIES it include the files « Introduction » and « Partners »;
  2. NATIONAL FILING CARD it include the file « Introduction » and the files about the twelve States in the project;
  3. GOOD PRACTICES it include the good practices of the twelve States;
  4. RESULTS it include the files « Transversal Report » and « Recommendations »;
  5. FINAL RAPPORT: the final report of the project;
  6. BUDGET: a summary of the project budget;
  7. MEETINGS 2002 it include the minutes of the ELEXIES project in 2002;
  8. PPT AND PAPER it include a Power Point about the situation of the Social Integration Enterprises in the Europe of 15 and the paper.
    - Elaboration of an ENSIE Power Point presentation about its structure, its members and its activities;
    - Elaboration of a paper about Ensie made to distribute during the conferences, the days of study, etc…
    - To research more professionalism in the countable and financial management of Ensie;
    - To recover the contacts in Sweden and Italy, to research new ones in the Netherlands, in Finland, in Greece, in Denmark and in the Eastern European countries;
    - Contacts with the new European members of Parliament.

We are very sorry but the report is in course of translation. We will send it to you as soon as possible.
5. Achieved objectives

5.2 Site

ELEXIES
One of the purpose for 2004 is to update the site www.ensie.org, in particular the Elexies part: www.elexies.info.
Now, on line there are all the informations about Elexies: the national filing cards, the good practices and the results of this project.
The results of this project are a transversal rapport and some recommendations.
The transversal rapport talks about the role of the Social Integration Enterprises in the European labour market. The study has identified and described their main characteristics as social enterprises, the type of work integration they provide, their numbers, and how they have developed and are supported. One outcome of the project is the development of a database on WISE in Europe, accessible on internet.

IRSIE
Structure on the site
The IRSIE project, Industrial Relations within the Social Integration Economy gathered around the same table, for a period of thirteen months, operators in the field, trade unions, employers' representatives working in the sector of the social economy, and in particular in the Social Integration Economy (SIEs). On the site there are three main sections, the first is about the project itself, the second is dedicated to the good practices of every network and the third concerns the conclusions. In the first part there is an introduction about the numbers of social economy at the European level. You can find some photos of the restitution seminar, too.
5.1 Krakow Powerpoint

You could look it at the web-page “About ENSIE” – “Presentation of the network”

5.3 Brochure

You could write to info@ensie.org and you can receive one copy of ENSIE leaflet.