

REDEN Strengthens Expansion in Italy with Strategic Co-Development Alliance

The collaboration with local partner ACN-Contract marks a milestone in REDEN's strategy, reinforcing its ambition to accelerate the roll-out of a substantial portfolio of photovoltaic and agrivoltaic projects across Italy.

Roquefort (Agen), France / Rome, January 15, 2026 – REDEN, a leading international producer of photovoltaic energy and storage solutions, recognised for its long-term investment strategy and deep expertise in photovoltaics and agrivoltaics, announces the signing of a co-development framework with ACN-Contract, part of ACN-Holding. The latter has been firmly established in the national renewable energy sector since 2007. This alliance aims to drive the deployment of solar and agrivoltaic projects across the Italian peninsula.

ACN-Contract has built a solid reputation in the design and construction of large-scale solar plants, backed by rigorous compliance practices and strong business ethics. This collaboration embodies a shared ambition: fostering the adoption of clean energy across the region while ensuring that projects are carried out with transparency and responsibility, bringing added value to communities, creating local economic opportunities, and supporting Italy's renewable energy goals.

Each project will be reviewed individually and selected by REDEN according to its value-creation criteria, with the option to withdraw if needed. This flexible approach guarantees sustainable, high-quality developments that align with REDEN's long-term international strategy.

"This partnership is highly valuable to consolidate REDEN's presence and sustain our growth momentum," stated Luca CRISI, Country Manager of REDEN in Italy. *"We are actively recruiting and strengthening our teams to reinforce our position as a key player in photovoltaics and energy storage in Italy. This alliance with ACN-Contract will create new opportunities to drive our activities."*

"We are proud to collaborate with REDEN, a trusted global player whose values and professionalism align with our own," added Fabrizio Aniello, CEO and Founder of ACN-Contract. *"Together, we aim to boost the adoption of green energy while contributing to local communities and promoting sustainable progress."*

With this agreement, REDEN takes another step in its mission to become a key driver of Europe's energy transition, combining global expertise with strong local partnerships to deliver long-term positive impact at scale.

About the REDEN Group:

REDEN is an independent producer of photovoltaic renewable energy, focused on the development, construction and operation of photovoltaic power plants and energy storage solutions in France, Spain, Portugal, Greece, Italy, Germany, Mexico, Puerto Rico and Chile.

Founded in 2008 and headquartered in southwest France, REDEN owns 1 GW of installed capacity. The company has grown steadily since its inception and now employs more than 275 people. Its core values – Benevolence, Ethics, Commitment and Professionalism – drive its long-term performance.

REDEN's solutions include: ground-mounted photovoltaic power plants, agrivoltaic sites for livestock and arable farming, agrivoltaic pergolas and greenhouses, photovoltaic car park shades and rooftops, and energy storage in stand-alone and hybrid configurations.

Since July 2022, REDEN has been supported in its growth by a long-term vision-driven consortium comprising Macquarie Asset Management (MAM), British Columbia Investment Management Corporation (BCI) and Munich Ergo Asset Management GmbH (MEAG).

About REDEN Solar Italy:

Operating in Italy since the end of 2021, REDEN Solar Italy brings together a team of 28 qualified professionals. REDEN Solar Italy manages approximately 100 MW of operational photovoltaic power plants, with additional projects under construction and a strong pipeline in development across different Italian regions.

For more information, visit <https://reden.solar/en>.

About ACN-Contract:

ACN Contract S.r.l, operating subsidiary of ACN Holding, has been established in 2006 as a developer and EPC contractor then devoting its activities and focus on consultancy and full designing and development of large PV and Agro-PV plants projects.

Over the years and thanks to the hand-on experience acquired, ACN has internalized all the professional figures needed to fully develop large PV projects from scratch, including the origination of the initiatives.

This allows ACN to be fully involved and to have direct control over any and each phase of the development of the projects, from the preliminary analysis of possible legal constraints on the sites, preliminary verification of the possibility of feasible connection to the grid (both under technical and economic points of view) and managing directly the permitting phase in order for each Project to reach the RTB status with unappealable authorisation titles.

Thanks to its commercial and sales network, built up over the years, ACN, that directly supersedes the scouting of sites opportunities, is currently individuating feasible initiatives for at least 60 MW monthly.

ACN directly employs 30 people, mainly technical professionals, in its SS. Cosma e Damiano (LT) offices and headquarter.

Along with its in-house workforce, ACN can count on the ongoing collaboration of 50+ external consultants, commercial agents, area managers, guaranteeing the constant Company's presence in the Regions of Puglia, Basilicata, Campania, Lazio, Abruzzo, Marche, Umbria, Emilia-Romagna, Toscana, Veneto, Lombardia e Piemonte.

Thanks to the know-how developed over the years, all projects carried on by ACN perfectly integrates with the specific characteristics of the different territories involved, maintaining a constant compliance with the ever-changing Italian regulation, both at National and Local levels, taking an approach of constant interaction with authorizing authorities focusing on lessening the impact of the future plants on the territory.

Such respectful approach, over time, has allowed for strong ties to be construed among the Company and the Communities where it operates, based on constant reciprocal understanding and cooperation, having as a natural consequence the obtaining of a solid important track record that makes ACN one of the preferred interlocutor in Italy for major worldwide players in the PV market, also contributing to the EU and International objectives of decarbonization.

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