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## <u>Cables segment: Tideway-Hellenic Cables consortium assigned to connect Seamade wind farm off</u> <u>the Belgian coast to grid</u>

Cenergy Holdings announces that Seamade NV has awarded the Tideway-Hellenic Cables consortium a turnkey contract with total value approx. EUR 44 mil for the supply and installation of submarine export cables for the connection of the Seamade offshore wind project to the Belgian grid.

Seamade is the name of the combined offshore wind projects Mermaid and Seastar, two offshore wind farms in the Belgian part of the North Sea. The wind farms are under development by Seamade NV, a joint venture between Otary (70%), Electrabel (17.5%), and Eneco Wind Belgium SA (12.5%), approx. 50 kilometres off the Belgian coast. The Seastar wind farm will have a capacity of approximately 246 MW, while the Mermaid offshore wind farm will have a capacity between 232-266 MW. The contract entered between the joint venture Seamade NV and the Tideway-Hellenic Cables consortium covers the design, the manufacture of approximately 30 kilometres of 220 kV cables for both wind farms, the cable installation operations, and connecting the wind farms high voltage substations to the Belgian modular offshore grid.

The submarine cables will be manufactured at the plant of Hellenic Cables subsidiary Fulgor, located at Soussaki, Corinth, Greece where the production and testing of the longest submarine cable lengths worldwide is made possible by the state-of-the-art facilities and equipment.

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