## 9. Environmental Technology Verification



Environmental Technology Verification (ETV) is an independent third-party verification of the performance of new environmental technologies arriving on the market. It helps innovative technologies reach the market by giving credibility to innovators, differentiating new technologies from competitors and reducing risks for customers and investors.

difference it makes on the market. In particular, the Forum discussed how technology users and purchasers can benefit from ETV results, both in the context of public markets and in industrial supply chains. The event also showcased companies with experience in ETV and was be the opportunity to meet representatives of several Verification

missioner for the t, Janez Potočnik, ing speech at the akeholder Forum



The ETV pilot programme currently covers three technology areas: water treatment and monitoring; materials, waste and resources; and energy.

11 Verification Bodies are already accredited to propose ETV services under the EU programme.

The ETV Stakeholder Forum was an opportunity to hear about the first results of the ETV pilot programme after one year of operation, to discover how technology performance can be verified through ETV and what

Bodies through a brokerage event. Presentations and conclusions from the 2<sup>nd</sup> ETV Stakeholder Forum are available on the ETV website at:

http://iet.jrc.ec.europa.eu/etv/events/2nd-eu-etv-stakeholder-forum-hannover

More information on ETV is available at: www.iet.irc.ec.europa.eu/etv/

