

# A Green Deal Industrial Plan for the Net-Zero Age

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### The context

- The Green Deal: EU as the world's first climate neutral continent by 2050
- Fit-for-55 and REPowerEU
- Global market for key mass-manufactured clean energy technologies in 2030 three times larger than today
- Manufacturing capacity on renewable energy technologies and components led by China
- US Inflation Reduction Act, initiatives from other jurisdictions



### Four Pillars of the Green Deal Industrial Plan



A predictable and simplified regulatory environment

Faster access to funding Enhanced skills

Open trade for resilient supply chains



### Regulatory Environment

### Net-zero Industry Act

- Industrial Capacity goals
- One-stop Shop permitting
- Supply chain projects of strategic interest
- European standards to support fast roll-out

## **Critical Raw Materials Act**

- Security of supply
- International engagement
- Circularity
- High environmental standards

### **Energy**

- Reform of the electricity market design
- EU Energy platform
- Strengthening energy infrastructure



# National Funding: simplified state aid rules to support the green transition

- Temporary Crisis and Transition Framework
  - Further simplifying aid for the roll-out of renewable energy and decarbonising industry
  - Supporting investments in the production of strategic equipment necessary for the net-zero transition
  - Common schemes to align tax incentives
- General Block Exemption Regulation
- Important projects of Common European Interest





# EU Funding to avoid Single Market fragmentation

- Existing instruments (flexibility & reinforcement)
  - NGEU, Cohesion Policies, Horizon Europe
  - REPowerEU and Guidance on RRF plans
  - InvestEU Programme
  - Innovation Fund
- European Sovereignty Fund



### **Enhancing skills**



### **Development of skills**

- Targets and indicators to monitor supply and demand
- New Skills Partnerships
  - Onshore renewable energy
  - Heat pumps
- Net-Zero Industry Academies

#### **Funding**

- Foster and align public and private funding
- EU funding available
  - European Social Fund +
  - European Regional Development Fund
  - Just Transition Mechanism
  - Recovery and Resilience Facility

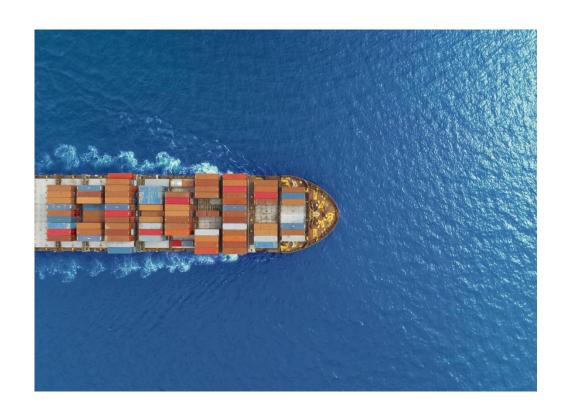
#### **Skills recognition**

- Facilitate recognition of qualifications
- "Skills first approach"
- EU talent pool



### Trade and resilient supply chains

- Fair and open trade
- Advance the EU's network of Free Trade Agreements
- Other forms of cooperation
  - Critical Raw Materials Club
  - Clean Tech/Net-zero Industrial Partnerships
- Export credits strategy
- International Procurement Instrument
- Trade defence instruments (TDI) and Regulation on Foreign subsidies





## Thank you



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