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Danish Minister for Foreign Affairs to visit Topsil and learn more about green products and sustainability measures

The Danish Minister for Foreign Affairs Mr Martin Lidegaard, followed by several social-liberal members of the national parliament as well as city councillors, plans a visit to Topsil this coming Thursday to learn more about Topsil's perspectives on green growth and most recent initiatives regarding sustainability.

In 2013 Mr Lidegard headed another team of social-liberal politicians visiting Topsil. This was while he was the national Minister for Climate. At that time, the main theme of the visit was that of sustainability, too, and a debate focusing on how politically defined framework conditions have material impact on the growth potential of the cleantech industry.

CEO in Topsil, Kalle Hvidt Nielsen, says: "We are looking forward to the upcoming visit. Such an event provides us with an opportunity to present our overall views, business strategy, the use of our products, and internal solutions, beneficial to the environment. Topsil's business is spot on in respect of green growth. Ultra-pure silicon supports energy efficiency and sustainability. It is critical to electric high performance components in which it for instance converts alternating current to direct current in the grid, or supports electricity supply and regulation of speed in hybrid vehicles and electric cars."

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Topsil in brief

Topsil is a world leading supplier of ultrapure silicon to the global semiconductor industry. Engaging in long term relations with customers, Topsil focuses on premium quality, an efficient production process and a safe delivery of products. Silicon is used in electronic components to aid conversion and control of electrical power. Topsil provides ultrapure silicon mainly for the most demanding purposes, based on extensive knowledge and significant investments in new technology, facilities and equipment. Topsil is headquartered in Copenhagen Cleantech Park, is established in Denmark, Poland and Japan, and has sales representation in Asia and the US.

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