Record Nr. UNINA9910451036703321 Autore Lampietti Julian A Titolo People and power [[electronic resource]]: electricity sector reforms and the poor in Europe and Central Asia / / Julian A. Lampietti, Sudeshna Ghosh Baneriee, Amelia Branczik Washington, DC,: World Bank, c2007 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-280-64356-0 9786610643561 0-8213-6634-3 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (260 p.) Directions in development. Energy and mining Collana Altri autori (Persone) BanerjeeSudeshna Ghosh <1973-> BranczikAmelia <1978-> Disciplina 333.793/2094 Soggetti Electric utilities - Asia, Central Electric utilities - Europe Households - Energy consumption Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia "ESMAP." Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Contents: Foreword: Acknowledgments: Abbreviations: Preface: Why Look at the Household Effects of Reform?; PART I Introduction and Methodology; Tables; Figures; PART 2 Case Studies; Boxes; PART 3 Lessons; Annexes; References; Index Empirical insights on household behavior and electricity consumption Sommario/riassunto patterns in this book reveal that, in Europe and Central Asia, the erosion of tariff based subsidies has disproportionately affected the poor, while direct transfers through social benefit systems have often been inadequately targeted. The book suggests alternative strategies for achieving cost-recovery in the electricity sector in a socially and

politically acceptable manner, providing lessons that are equally

relevant for other utilities and regions.