



BREAKING NEWS

## **For the application of the Kyoto Protocol is the battle in the U.S.: Governors against Bush**

Initiative undertaken by the U.S. states of the Northeast and the Middle Atlantic to reduce emissions of greenhouse gases. **The initiative is based on the same principles of emissions trading implemented in Europe with appropriate EU directive.**

**Press a vitriolic American Institute against the initiative of nine U.S. states that intend to limit the greenhouse gas emissions in the energy sector. The release pro-Bush comes dall'Itssd ( Institute for Trade, Sustainable Standards and Development), which, on the basis of a 'White Paper' produced by the same Institute, blames the U.S. Governors who launched the initiative to limit greenhouse gas emissions (the initiative is called RGGI) to have agreed with the EU and of plotting against the United States to create a situation conducive to the implementation of the Kyoto Protocol** and the benefits that go with all European industry to the expense of the American consumer.

What is RGGI

The RGGI (Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative) is an initiative undertaken by the U.S. states of north-east and middle Atlantic to reduce emissions of greenhouse gases. The initiative is based on the same principles of emissions trading implemented in Europe with specific EU directive (set limits on emissions, define the allocation of allowances, and to establish a market for the trading of emission allowances), and applies only to the first phase of production plants power to limit emissions of carbon dioxide. The U.S. states are currently participating: Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island and Vermont. They are, currently observers, but participants coming: Maryland, District of Columbia , Pennsylvania, the Province Eastern Canadian and New Brunswick .