

Press Release

ENTSOG Public Consultation for EU Data Exchange Harmonisation ends on 14 June 2017

(Brussels, PR0131-17) With this public consultation ENTSOG asks for feedback from stakeholders on the ENTSOG Data Exchange Usage Profiles created as Common Network Operation Tools (CNOTs). The consultation will end on 14 June 2017.

ENTSOG welcomes all stakeholders' feedback on the existing AS4 Usage Profile, the Interactive and the Integrated Data Exchange Profiles which ENTSOG has created as part of the Common Network Operation Tools (CNOTs). These documents are technical specifications that provide additional guidelines for Document Based, Interactive and Integrated Data Exchange Solutions. For interoperability and consistency, these additional guidelines are required to specify how the identified data exchange protocols are to be used in a harmonised way.

Stakeholders are invited to respond to the questions using an online response form **by 5.00 pm (CET)** on Friday, 14 June 2017.

The public consultation questionnaire is available here and all related documents are available here

ENTSOG develops (CNOTs) based on the mandate provided by the following European Regulations:

Article 8 Paragraph 3(a) of Regulation 715/2009 states, "ENTSO for Gas shall adopt common network operation tools to ensure coordination of network operation in normal and emergency conditions, including a common incidents classification scale and research plans."

Article 24 Paragraph 1 of the Regulation 2015/703 NC on Interoperability and Data Exchange Rules states that for each data exchange requirement under Article 20(2), ENTSOG shall develop a common network operation tool in accordance with Article 8(3)(a) of Regulation (EC) No 715/2009 and shall publish it on its website. A common network operation tool shall specify the common data exchange solution relevant for the respective data exchange requirement. A common network operation tool may also include business requirement specifications, release management and implementation guidelines.





In the event that you have any questions or experience any difficulty in completing the response form, please contact Jackie Manning (<u>jackie.manning@entsog.eu</u> (+32 2 894 5135)) or Jef de Keyser (<u>jef.dekeyser@entsog.eu</u>).

Editorial notes

- > ENTSOG was founded on 1 December 2009 in line with Regulation (EC) 715/2009. The current number of Members, Associated Partners and Observers can be found at this link.
- In line with Articles 6, 7 and 8 of the Regulation (EC) 715/2009, ENTSOG has the task of formulating network codes in a number of areas and of adopting various communications: a non-binding community-wide Ten-Year Network Development Plan on biennial basis; Winter and Summer Supply Outlooks; common network operation tools; recommendations relating to the coordination of technical cooperation between community and third-country-TSOs; annual work programmes and annual reports.