

Press Release

ENTSOG publishes its Annual Work Programme 2022

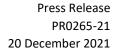
(Brussels, 20 December, PR0265-21) Today, ENTSOG published its Annual Work Programme (AWP) 2022, as required by Regulation 715 / 2009. This document outlines ENTSOG's expected activities and deliverables for the year ahead.

Addressed in the chapters 'Network Codes and Guidelines', 'Scenarios and Infrastructure' and 'Security of Supply', ENTSOG outlines its continued focus in 2022 on the development of the EU gas market – supporting network code implementation activities, including work on the ACER-ENTSOG Gas Network Codes Functionality Platform, and operating the Transparency Platform. Also included is the assessment of Europe's security of supply, through preparation of Seasonal Supply reports and the facilitation of the Regional Coordination System for Gas (ReCo System for Gas). ENTSOG will continue in 2022 to support the European Commission (EC) and the Gas Coordination Group (GCG) on the Security of Supply topic.

Additionally, ENTSOG will progress with activities associated with the Energy Transition: to strengthen the synergies between the gas and electricity sectors, and those between natural gas and low carbon gases – including hydrogen – to facilitate energy flexibility, storage, international transportation capacity and security of supply. ENTSOG will work on strategic topics, specifically those required by the recently published Hydrogen and Decarbonised Gas Markets package and the new TEN-E legislative framework.

Incoming ENTSOG General Director, Piotr Kuś, commented, "ENTSOG will continue its work as a proactive, trusted adviser on gas transmission related topics on a European level in 2022 and beyond, to support the achievement of the EU goals of competitiveness, security of supply and sustainability. Based on the expertise of its members, as well as the professional work of its Brussels team, ENTSOG will continue to play a pivotal role in the further development of the European gas markets, hydrogen agenda, and the future of gas grids."

The Annual Work Programme 2022 is available <u>here</u>.





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Editorial notes

> The European Network of Transmission System Operators for Gas (ENTSOG) was founded in line with Regulation (EC) 715/2009 and has played a key role in facilitating integration of the European gas markets, ensuring technical interoperability and providing security of supply by gas infrastructure planning. Looking forward, ENTSOG is contributing to the net-zero decarbonisation by 2050, in particular, by the integration of renewable and low carbon gases via future-proof gas transmission pipelines, in line with the EU energy and climate goals. More information on ENTSOG can be found on our website – or contact info@entsog.eu.