ENTSOG Public Consultation for EU Data Exchange Harmonisation ends on 30 September 2016

(Brussels, PR0113-16) With this public consultation ENTSOG asks for feedback from stakeholders on the proposed updates to the Business Requirements Specification (BRS) for the Nomination and Matching process and the BRS for Capacity Allocation Management & Congestion Management process. The consultation will end on 30 September 2016.

ENTSOG welcomes all stakeholders' feedback on the proposed updates. The association has provided clarification on the Common Data Exchange Solution for each Data Exchange identified in the BRS Nomination and Matching and BRS Capacity Allocation Management & Congestion Management.

Stakeholders are invited to respond to the questions using an online response form by 5.00 pm (CET) on Friday, 30 September 2016.

The public consultation and all related documents are available here.

Background
ENTSOG develops Common Network Operation Tools (CNOTs) based on the mandate provided by the following European Regulations:

Article 8 Paragraph 3(a) of Regulation 715/2009 states that 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 stakeholders have any questions or experience any difficulty in completing the response form, they should contact Jackie Manning (jackie.manning@entsog.eu +32 2 894 5135) or Jef de Keyser (jef.dekeyser@entsog.eu).

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.