

Press Release

ENTSOG submits to ACER

- **Network Code on Harmonised Transmission Tariff Structures for Gas and**
- **Amendment Proposal to the Network Code on Capacity Allocations Mechanisms on Incremental Capacity**

(Brussels 26 December 2014, PR078-14) The European Network of Transmission System Operators for Gas (ENTSOG) today submits the drafted Network Code on Harmonised Transmission Tariff Structures for Gas (TAR NC) and the drafted Amendment Proposal to the Network Code on Capacity Allocations Mechanisms (CAM NC) on the matter of Incremental Capacity to the Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators (ACER) as required by the respective invitation letters from the European Commission (EC) received by ENTSOG on 19 December 2013.

The TAR NC is the fourth network code that has been developed by ENTSOG in accordance with the process set out in Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 715/2009 and aims at, among other things, contributing to market integration, promoting competition and cross-border trade and ensuring non-discriminatory and cost-reflective transmission tariffs. The Amendment Proposal to the CAM NC has been prepared by ENTSOG in accordance with the invitation letter from the EC and provides the framework for the offer of incremental capacity to satisfy demand beyond the offer of existing capacity in a market-based manner, and ensure the necessary investments are efficient and financially viable.

ENTSOG has used an extensive and transparent process for the drafting of both the TAR NC and the Amendment Proposal to the CAM NC which included a number of public consultations, Stakeholder Joint Working Sessions and Workshops Prime Mover Meetings and other bi- and multi-lateral meetings.

The following documents have been published on the ENTSOG website:

For the TAR NC:

- Drafted Network Code on Harmonised Transmission Tariff Structures for Gas ([link](#))
- Accompanying Document for the Network Code on Harmonised Transmission Tariff Structures for Gas ([link](#))
- Impact Assessment: Harmonisation of the Tariff Setting Year ([link](#))
- Cover Letter for the submission of the Network Code on Harmonised Transmission Tariff Structures for Gas ([link](#))

For the Amendment Proposal to the CAM NC:

- Drafted Amendment Proposal to Commission Regulation (EU) No 984/2013 ([link](#))
- Accompanying Document for the Incremental Proposal ([link](#))
- Contrast document reflecting the full Incremental Proposal ([link](#))
- Cover Letter for the submission of the Incremental Proposal ([link](#))

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Editorial notes

- > ENTSOG was founded on 1 December 2009 in line with Regulation (EC) No 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 Regulation (EC) No 715/2009, ENTSOG has the task of elaborating 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; summer and winter 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.