

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### ACER-ELE-2026-001

The EU Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators (ACER) initiates the procedure ref. ACER-ELE-2026-001 on amending the long term capacity calculation methodology of the Core capacity calculation region (Core LT CCM) developed by the Core transmission system operators (Core TSOs) according to Article 10 of [Commission Regulation \(EU\) 2016/1719](#) establishing a guideline on forward capacity allocation (FCA Regulation).

On 4 February 2026, the national regulatory authorities of the Core region (Core NRAs) referred to ACER a proposal by Core TSOs to amend the Core LT CCM, pursuant to Article 4, paragraphs (7)(a), (10) and (12), of the FCA Regulation.

ACER shall reach a decision based on Articles 5(3) and 6(10) of [Regulation \(EU\) 2019/942](#) as well as Article 4, paragraphs (5), (7)(a), (10) and (12) of the FCA Regulation and intends to issue its decision within 6 months (i.e. by 4 August 2026).

To inform its assessment, ACER is holding a [public consultation](#) from 27 February 2026 to 27 March 2026.