

# **ACER GRI SSE Working plan 2019 - 2020**

## **EU Network Code implementation on IPs between SSE EU and EnC TSOs**

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# Transmission systems in SSE



# NC on IPs between EU and EnC TSOs

- Why this topic?
  - Significant natural gas flow on these IPs
  - Some long term transmission contracts on IPs will expire soon
  - New IPs between EU and EnC TSOs will start with work
- Legal framework and implementation
  - NC are implemented in EU countries - IPs between EU TSOs
  - 4 NC are adopted in EnC
  - NC BAL should be adopted in 2019
  - NC implementation in EnC ONLY on IPs between EnC TSOs
  - NC Implementation will probably be delayed in EnC
  - Legal gap for implementation on IPs between EU and EnC TSOs
  - Voluntary approach
  - Declaration signed by NRAs of PL, HU, RO, BG and GR

# Task and inputs

- Informal information's on IPs between EU and EnC TSOs
  - Different rules on different IPs
  - Different rules on different sides of the same IP
  - Different rules on the same side of the IP for different flow directions
- Task of the project
  - Determine actual practise on IPs between EU and EnC TSOs
  - Make recommendations about implementation of NC on IPs between EU and EnC TSOs
- Inputs
  - Data collection via questionnaire
  - Information will be required from NRA
  - EU - Poland, Slovakia, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria, Greece, Italy
  - EnC – Ukraine, Moldova, Serbia, North Macedonia, Albania

# The content of the questionnaire - 1

- NC INT
  - Is IA content in line with NC INT and define the difference if any?
  - Applicable units
  - Gas quality and odourisation
  - Data exchange
- Annex I to Regulation 715/2009
  - Transparency - Commission decision 10 November 2010 amending Annex I Chapter 3
  - CMP - Commission decision 24 August 2012 amending Annex I
- NC BAL
  - Nomination, rejection of nomination and re-nomination at IPs

# The content of the questionnaire - 2

- NC CAM
  - TSOs cooperation (maintenance, communication, capacity calculation, exchange of information)
  - Allocation of firm capacity (methodology, products, timeframe, auction algorithms)
  - Incremental capacity process
  - Interruptible capacity
  - Capacity booking platform
- NC TAR
  - Calculation of reserve prices
  - Price of bundled capacity and capacity at virtual IPs
  - Clearing price and payable price

# The questionnaire and the Report timeline

- Timeline for the questionnaire

- The first version - June 2019 will be sent to ACER for a review
- The second version - July 2019 will be send to NRA for comments
- Should we send a questionnaire to other SH for comments?
- The final version will be sent to NRA – September 2019
- NRA will collect data from TSOs and sent fullfield questionnaires - November 2019
- Project promoter will check tha data - December 2019

- Timeline for the Report

- The first version – February 2020 will be sent to ACER for a review
- The second version – spring 2020 will be presented to SH on the GRI SSE meeting
- The final Report about NC implementation on IPs between EU and EnC TSOs – June 2020

# Sources and content of the Report

- Sources for the Report
  - The questionnaire for practice on IPs between EU and EnC TSOs and
  - ACER reports about NC implementation on IPs between EU TSOs
  - ECRB reports about practice on IPs between EnC TSOs
- Report content
  - Practice on IPs between EU TSOs – on which the NC implementation on IPs between EU and EnC TSOs should be based
  - Practice on IPs in EnC TSOs, to see what should be changed on these IPs
  - Report recommendation for IPs between EU and EnC TSOs
    - steps for implementation
    - to define activities for simultaneous implementations on both sides of IP
    - the same solutions( when more solutions is possible) on both sides of IP
    - the same solutions on all IPs in one country, if possible



# Expectation from NC implementation

- Can NC implementation on EU-EnC IPs help?
- NC implementation on EU-EnC IPs in EnC TSOs
  - To simplify shippers entrance on EnC countries gas markets
  - Will help in development of wholesale gas market in EnC countries
  - Competition will reduce gas prices for final customers
- NC implementation on EU-EnC IPs in EU TSOs
  - Better wholesale gas market in EU countries
  - Promotion of the regional gas market