

On 1 May 2014, the Agency shall receive from ENTSO-E the Network Code on High Voltage Direct Current Connections and DC-connected Power Park Modules, including its supporting documents. Pursuant to Article 6(7) of Regulation (EC) No 714/2009, the Agency shall provide a reasoned opinion on the network code within a period of three months. This opinion shall assess the compliance of the network code with the Framework Guidelines on Electricity Grid Connections adopted by the Agency on 20 July 2011.

In order to ensure transparency and appropriate involvement of stakeholders, the Agency organises a workshop in Ljubljana on 19 May 2014, from 12.30 to 16.30, to collect stakeholders' views on the Network Code on High Voltage Direct Current Connections and DC-connected Power Park Modules and its supporting documents.

This workshop shall give the opportunity for European-wide associations representing members who have a direct stake in the context of the Network Code on High Voltage Direct Current Connections and DC-connected Power Park Modules to present their views on this network code and its supporting document.

Considering the limited time available, 10 time slots of 10 minutes for presentation and discussions shall be given to participating European-wide associations to briefly present their main views.

A draft workshop programme will be available online as soon as possible. Please consult the Agency web page from time to time to get the latest updates.

European-wide associations wishing to participate to the workshop and provide a presentation are kindly requested to send us an email for participation to NC-HVDC@acer.europa.eu as soon as possible and not later than 8 May 2014.