

Dear Stakeholder,

On 29 March 2013, the Agency received ENTSO-E Network Code on Operational Planning and Scheduling, including its supporting document.

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 System Operation adopted by the Agency on 2 December 2011.

In order to ensure transparency and full involvement of stakeholders as early as possible in the process, the Agency organises on 26 April 2013 a workshop in Ljubljana, from 12.00 to 16.30, to collect stakeholders' views on the Network Code on Operational Planning and Scheduling and its supporting document.

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 Operational Planning and Scheduling to present their views on this network code and its supporting document.

Considering the limited time available, eight time slots of 15 minutes for presentation and discussions shall be given to participating European-wide associations to briefly present their main views.

A 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 (<u>Operational Planning and Scheduling NC@acer.europa.eu</u>) as soon as possible and no later than noon, 18 April 2013.

Best regards,

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