

Workshop on the Network Code on Demand Connection

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Network Code Development Process



FG/NC Process

General timeline as set out in Regulation (EC) No 714/2009 6 Months 12 Months 3 Months **ENTSO** prepares **Agency prepares** Agency network codes reviews Framework network **Guidelines** EC requests codes **ENTSO** ENTSO to submits submit Agency submits network network network code code to code EC defines to EC when Agency priorities for satisfied NC EC requests network meets FG, Agency to codes recommending submit approval via framework Comitology

guidelines



Demand connection Timeline

20/7/2011 Framework Guidelines on Electricity Grid Connection published by ACER

04/01/2013 Network Code submitted by ENTSO-E with extensive supporting documentation

04/01/13 to 19/03/13 ACER preparing draft opinion

23/01/13 ACER Stakeholder workshop

Today

By 04/04/13 ACER opinion finalised by BoR on

whether the Network Code is in line with the FG and 3rd Energy Package

Time



ACER Role and Process

The European Network Codes aim to contribute to the objectives of the 3rd Energy Package, in particular, non-discrimination, effective competition and the efficient functioning of the market.

ACER's role as set out in Regulation (EC) No 714/2009, Art 6(7)-(9):

- Provide a reasoned opinion to ENTSO-E on the compliance of the Network Code with the Framework Guidelines.
- When the Agency is satisfied that the Network Code is in line with the Framework Guidelines, the Agency shall submit it to the Commission and may recommend that it be adopted.

Process:

 ACER collects comments from EU NRAs assessing the implications of the Network Code at a national level.



Purpose of the workshop

- Consult with stakeholders to hear their views on:
 - i) Changes to the Network Code and its supporting documents after public consultation, notably following the last ENTSO-E Users Group Meeting of 13/11/12 and the last ENTSO-E information session on 12/12/12;
 - ii) how and where the Network Code meets or deviates from the Framework Guidelines.



Thank you for your attention!



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