ACER
Agency for the Cooperation
of Energy Regulators

ACER Board of Regulators

7th Public Debriefing

ACER Director and BoR Chair

10 June 2015, 16.00 - 16.30
Brussels

Outline of the Presentation

- **Update on key ACER activities and BoR outcomes since the previous public debriefing (25 February 2015):**

  - ACER Acts

  - Recent developments

  - Status update (Work Programme, Network Codes and REMIT)

  - Stakeholder engagement

  - Relations with institutions

  - Today's BoR agenda

ACER Acts (Mar to Jun)

Gas
- Opinion on the Network Code for Harmonised Transmission Tariff Structures for Gas, 30 March 2015

Electricity
- Decision on Investment Request for PCI 4.5.1-LitPol, 27 April 2015

Other
- Recommendation on the regime applying to wholesale derivative energy products that must be physically settled (physical forwards) in MIFID II, 20 March 2015

✓ **Lord Mogg and Walter Boltz reappointed as Chairman and vice-Chairman of ACER Board of Regulators**

● New term of office of two and a half years starting in May 2015

✓ **ACER and ENTSO-E announce stakeholder committees for effective engagement in the Network Code implementation process**

● Three committees, one per family of codes - Market Codes, Operational Codes and Connection Codes

● The committees, chaired by the Agency, will engage interested parties. Relevant European associations are envisaged to play an active role

✓ **ACER gathers stakeholders' input for the Agency's 2016 work programme**

- Outline of the Work Programme for 2016 presented at a **workshop in Ljubljana on 3 June 2015**

- Interested parties invited to express views in writing by 19 June

- Presentation of the 2016 WP outline to the EP ITRE Committee on 16 June

- Work Programme finalised and submitted by the Director to the European Parliament, the Commission and the Board of Regulators by 30 June

- To be approved by the Board of Regulators and **adopted by the Administrative Board by 30 September**

✓ **ACER IV Annual Conference: An Energy Union for Consumers**

- On Thursday 9th July 2015 at the Brdo Congress Centre near Kranj, Slovenia

- The conference will aim to identify the benefits that the Energy Union will deliver to EU energy consumers

- Sign up for the Conference on the ACER website before **29 of June 2015 at:**

- http://www.acer.europa.eu/annualconference/

ACER has delivered **all 8 Framework Guidelines** and recommended **11 (of 14) Network Codes** for adoption

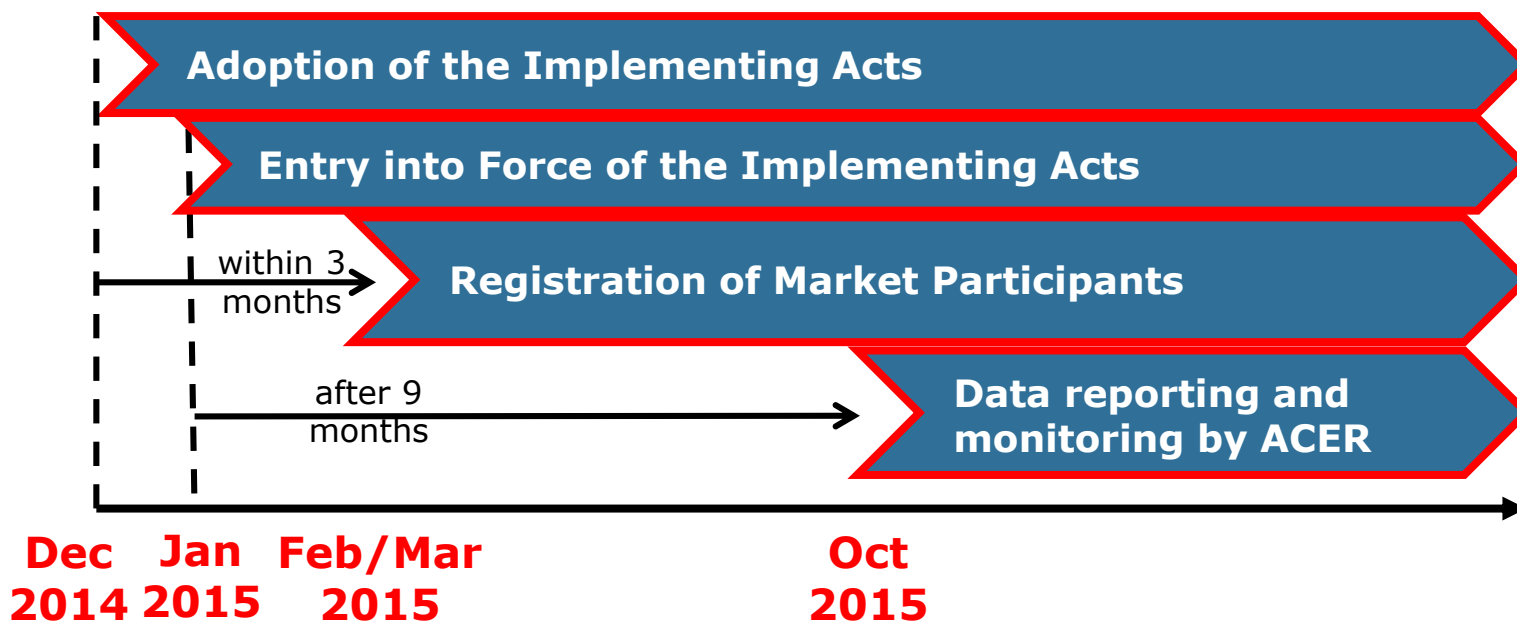|	FG adopted by the Agency	NC Status
Electricity		
Grid Connection	20.07.2011	**3 NCs recommended for adoption** **With the EC - expected vote in Ctte in June-August**
Capacity Allocation & Cong. Management **Forwards**	29.07.2011	**1 NCs recommended - approved in Ctte** **1 NCs recommended - with EC - expected vote in Cttee in September**
System Operation	02.12.2011	**3 NCs recommended for adoption** **1 NC being considered by ACER** **Merged in one code by end of June**
Balancing	18.09.2012	**1 NC: ACER recommendation expected in June**
Gas		
Capacity Allocation	03.08.2011	**OJ: 14.10.2013 EiF: 1.11.2015**
Balancing	18.10.2011	**OJ: 26.03.2014 EiF: 1.10.2015**
Interop. & Data Exch.	26.07.2012	**Adopted on 30 April**
Harm. Tariff Struct.	29.11.2013	**ACER Opinion issued on 30.03.2015 - Recommendation pending**

4 months to go!
Trade data reporting obligation will start applying in October 2015

Adoption of the Implementing Acts

Entry into Force of the Implementing Acts

within 3 months → Registration of Market Participants

after 9 months → Data reporting and monitoring by ACER

Dec 2014   Jan 2015   Feb/Mar 2015   Oct 2015

31 March 2015

- Workshop on electricity transmission tariff harmonisation

31 March 2015

- ACER launches 'REMIT Quarterly' guidance for reporting

1 April 2015

- Session on harmonised gas transmission tariff structures

1 April 2015

- Call for views on the Emergency and Restoration NC

3 June 2015

- Stakeholder workshop on draft Work Programme for 2016

Our work fits within a broader EU context which has an increasing momentum:

Energy Union Communication (adopted 25 Feb 2015) and upcoming Electricity Market Design

EU Energy Security Strategy

Commission review of the Security of Gas Supply Regulation

Retail energy market Communication

Juncker Investment Plan

Cross-Sectoral

- ACER annual activity report (section on regulatory activities)

Electricity

- Update on the FGs and NCs

- ACER Opinion and Qualified Recommendation on Emergency and Restoration NC

- ACER Opinion on the ENTSO-E winter outlook report 2014/15 and summer review 2014

Gas

- Update on FGs and NCs

- ACER "Peer review" Opinion on NCC's decision on Lithuanian gas transmission tariffs

Market Integrity and Transparency

- REMIT implementation update

- ACER annual report on its activities under REMIT in 2014

Infrastructure Challenge

- Update on 2nd PCI selection and preparation of the ACER PCI Monitoring Report

Agendas and minutes from the BoR, as well as its opinions and decisions, are published on our website:

● http://www.acer.europa.eu/Events/BoR/BoRmeetings/Pages/Previous-meetings.aspx

BoR	Date	Time	Public debriefing	Location
BoR 49	16 July	09.00-16.00		Luxembourg
BoR 50	16 Sep	09.00-16.00		Ljubljana
BoR 51	13 Oct	14.00-19.00		Madrid
BoR 52	17 Nov	14.00-19.00		Florence
BoR 53	**16 Dec**	**09.00-16.00**	**16.00-17.00**	**Ljubljana**

Save the day!

9 July 2015: IV ACER Annual Conference (Kranj, Slovenia)

24 September: Bridge to 2025 anniversary event (Brussels)

16 December 2015: 8th ACER BoR Public debrief (Ljubljana)

Thank you for your attention!

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