

DECISION

OF THE MINISTERIAL COUNCIL OF THE ENERGY COMMUNITY

D/ 2020/xx//MC-EnC: On the implementation of the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/803 of 17 May 2019 concerning the technical requirements regarding the content of quality reports on European statistics on natural gas and electricity prices pursuant to Regulation (EU) 2016/1952 of the European Parliament and of the Council

THE MINISTERIAL COUNCIL OF THE ENERGY COMMUNITY,

Having regard to the Treaty Establishing the Energy Community and in particular Articles 24, 25, 79 and 100(i) and (ii) thereof;

Having regard to Decision 2018/01/MC-EnC of the Ministerial Council of 3 January 2018 on adopting Regulation (EU) 2016/1952 of 26 October 2016 on European statistics on natural gas and electricity prices and repealing Directive 2008/92/EC, and in particular Article 7(5) thereof;

Whereas the Regulation (EU) 2016/1952 sets out the framework for producing comparable European statistics on natural gas and electricity prices,

Whereas the implementations of the obligations for quality reporting are stipulated in the Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 2019/803 ensuring observation of technical quality requirements,

Whereas the Permanent High Level Group, at its meeting of [date] proposed to adopt the present Decision,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Each Contracting Party shall implement Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) 2019/803 of 17 May 2019 concerning the technical requirements regarding the content of quality reports on European statistics on natural gas and electricity prices pursuant to Regulation (EU) 2016/1952 of the European Parliament and of the Council not later than 15 June 2022.

The first quality reports shall cover the reference years from 2019 to 2021.

Article 2

The text of the act referred to in Article 1 shall be adapted to the Energy Community in a way that the term 'Member States' in the text of the act referred to in Article 1 shall be replaced by

'Contracting Parties' and references to EU law shall be replaced by references to the equivalent provisions under the Energy Community Treaty, if any, or shall not be applicable, as appropriate.

Article 3

This Decision enters into force on the day of its adoption and is addressed to the Contracting Parties.

Done in

For the Ministerial Council:

Presidency