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Gas Working Group Activities 2017

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- **Report from GWG meetings:**
- **2017 activities-current status:**
 - ***TF1 Gas Transmission Tariffs***
 - ***TF2 Regulatory treatment of network losses***
 - ***TF3 Transparency***

Report from GWG meetings:

- **The 39-th GWG meeting 17th May 2017, in Budapest**
back to back with:
 - ACER GRI SSE Regulatory Committee and Stakeholder Group meetings;
 - Training course on Gas transmission tariff setting in the EU (Budapest, 18-19 May 2017).
- **The 40-th GWG meeting from 19th September 2017, in Ljubljana,**
back to back with the EnC Gas Forum (20th September).

At the 39-th GWG meeting from 17th May 2017,

- *GWG members stated that the analysis of TSO transparency, as required by Regulation 715, should be monitored by NRAs on regular basis.*
- *Agreed to establish a new TF on Transparency and include such an amendment to the WP2017. Ms. Stratulat took over the role of the leader of the new task force.*
- *Proposal: ECRB Section to amend the ECRB Work program 2017 and to include new TF on Transparency and **forward to the ECRB for approval.***

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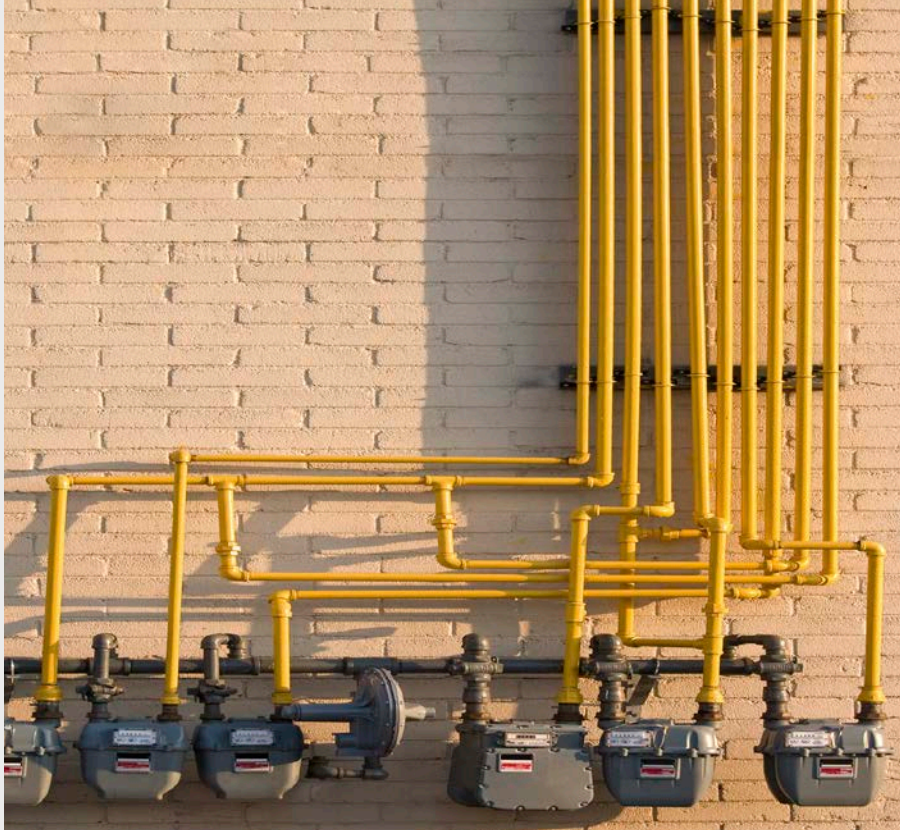
- *Presentations from ACER, REKK on Tariff Network Code Introduction;*
- *Lecture on establishing entry-exit tariffs, Case: the EU Tariff NC;*
- *Overview of Entry-Exit tariff regulation and its comparison with post stamp and distance related transmission tariffs;*
- *Capacity / Commodity charges;*
- *Cost Allocation Assessment;*
- *Reference Price Methodologies;*
- *Multipliers & seasonal factors,*
- *Examples of entry- exit tariffs in EU countries.*

- ***TF1 Co- Leaders, Mr. Ischia and Mr. Cioffo, presented the final report performed in the framework of the ECRB TF1 and ACER GRI SSE Pilot Project XIII.***

The participants discussed the results and provided several updates.

The results of the survey were presented at the EnC Gas Forum 2017.

ENTSOG made a presentation on some important elements of the EU Network Code on Harmonized Transmission Tariff Structures- tariffs allowed by TAR NC as well as the rules and principles for calculating reserve price.



Following a 2016 survey, GWG continued the knowledge exchange as regards the regulatory treatment of losses.

- *The representative of Croatia Mr. N. Vistica delivered a presentation on Procedure of losses determination in Croatia.*
- *Discussions on the effects of incentive measures for losses reduction in countries where such measures are adopted and applied.*

- ***Data and analysis of the information on compliance of gas market stakeholders of the EnC CP with the transparency requirements of Directive 2009/73 EC and Regulation 715/2009.***
- ***Links to the relevant publications***
- ***The report will cover the Contracting Parties where a gas market is operational (namely Bosnia and Herzegovina (Republika Srpska entity), Georgia FYR of Macedonia, Moldova, Serbia and Ukraine).***
- ***In general, primary and secondary legislation setting the rules for gas market functioning in Serbia and Ukraine fulfill transparency requirements of both Directive 73/2009 and Regulation 715/2009. Moldova increased the results, after the adoption of the Regulation on CAM and CMP;***
- ***Next steps: TF Leader to present the draft report for comments.***

TF. Balancing.

Balancing rules should be analyzed and relevant recommendations provided, in order to bring CP NRAs closer to implementation of EU BAL NC.

**TF. Storage and LNG regulatory frameworks in the context of ACER GRI SSE
Regulatory Committee**

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