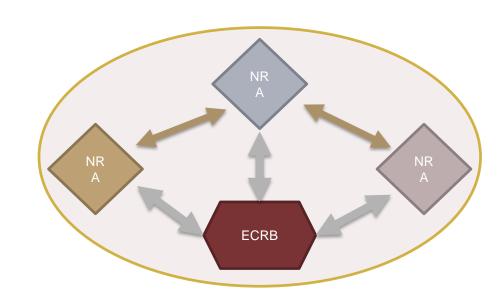


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## Template for the registration of MP: REMIT Article 9

#### **REMIT Article 9 (1)**

Market participants entering into transactions with wholesale energy products or expressing interest to enter into such transactions through orders to trade <...> shall register with the national regulatory authority in the Contracting Party where the delivery of the wholesale energy products takes or will take place.

#### REMIT Article 9 (2)

Not later than 6 months after the deadline for national transposition of this Regulation [i.e. 29.6.2020], national regulatory authorities shall establish national registers of market participants which they shall keep up to date.

The register shall give each market participant a unique identifier and shall contain sufficient information to identify the market participant, including relevant details relating to its value added tax number, its place of establishment, the persons responsible for its operational and trading decisions, and the ultimate controller or beneficiary of the market participant's trading activities.

National regulatory authorities shall apply the register format developed by the Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators under Article 9(3) of Regulation No 1227/2011.

#### **REMIT Article 9 (3)**

National regulatory authorities shall transmit the information in their national registers to the Energy Community Regulatory Board <...>. Based on the information provided by national regulatory authorities the Energy Community Regulatory Board shall establish a central register of market participants.



## Template for the registration of MP: necessary information

General Info	Company Registration Info	Company ownership Info	Inside Information Disclosure	Contacts for registration issues	Contacts for legal issues	Contacts for commercial issues	Contacts for other issues
Registration Authority	Company Legal Name	Legal Person type		Name of reference person for registration issues	Name of reference person for legal issues	Name of reference person for commercial issues	Name of reference person for general issues
Country	Company Address (Headquarter)	Director/Owner Name		Surname of reference person for registration issues	Surname of reference person for legal issues	Surname of reference person for commercial issues	Surname of reference person for general issues
Date of Submission	Company City	Director/Owner Surname		Email of reference person for registration issues	Email of reference person for legal issues	Email of reference person for commercial issues	Email of reference person for general issues
	Company ZIP Code	Director/Owner E-mail		Phone Number of reference person for registration issues	Phone Number of reference person for legal issues	Phone Number of reference person for commercial issues	Phone Number of reference person for general issues
	Company Country	Confirm the E-mail					
	Company VAT Number	Director/Owner Telephone					
	Company Website						
	Are you a company employee?						



## Proposal

User Form	
Registration Authority	
Country	
Date of Submission	
Company Registration Info	
Company Legal Name	
Company Address (Headquarter)	
Company City	
Company ZIP Code	
Company Country	
Company VAT Number	
Company Website	
Are you a company employee?	
Company ownership Info	
Legal Person type	
Director/Owner Name	
Director/Owner Surname	
Director/Owner E-mail	
Confirm the E-mail	
Director/Owner Telephone	
Inside Information Disclosure	
Webpage where inside information are disclosed: 1	
Webpage where inside information are disclosed: 2 (if any)	
Webpage where inside information are disclosed: 3 (if any)	
Contacts of Reference Person for registration issues	
Name of reference person for registration issues	
Surname of reference person for registration issues	
Email of reference person for registration issues	
Phone Number of reference person for registration issues	
Contacts of Reference Person for legal issues	
Name of reference person for legal issues	
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? National adjustments needed



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#### a) Notify transactions to cover the immediate physical loss (Article 3(4)(b) of REMIT).

relevant information.

Details of the notifying party

Art. 3 of REMIT (Prohibition of Insider trading) is not applied to transactions entered into by electricity and natural gas producers, operators of natural gas storage facilities or operators of LNG import facilities the sole purpose of which is to cover the immediate physical loss resulting from unplanned outages, where not to do so would result in the market participant not being able to meet existing contractual obligations or where such action is undertaken in agreement with the transmission system operator(s) concerned in order to ensure safe and secure operation of the system.

In such a situation, the relevant information relating to the transactions shall be reported to the national regulatory authority.

This reporting obligation is without prejudice to the obligation set out in Article 4(1);

Name of the market participant	
	-
Contact person	
Surname, forename	
E-Mail	
Retype E-mail	
Address	
Phone/Fax	
Type of Market Participant entering into transa	ction
Chose between one of the following:	
Electricity Producer	
Natural Gas Producer	
Operator of natural gas storage facility	
Operator of LNG import facility	
Other	
	•
Competent Authority	
Type here	
If necessary, provide other information for the National	
Regulatory Authority	
Identification of the inside information concern	ed
Name of the facility	
Installed capacity of the facility	
Unavailable capacity	
Dates of the unplanned outage	
Other details	
Identification of the transaction concerned	
Contract ID	
Contract ID  Transaction ID	
Haiisaction ID	
Other Details	

The information reported in the section "Other details" shall include the precise identification of the wholesale energy products bought and sold, the price and quantity agreed, the dates and times of execution, the parties to the transaction and the beneficiaries of the transaction and any other



## b) Notify exceptional delay in the public disclosure of inside information (Article 4(2) REMIT)

A market participant may under its own responsibility exceptionally delay the public disclosure of inside information so as not to prejudice its legitimate interests provided that such omission is not likely to mislead the public and provided that the market participant is able to ensure the confidentiality of that information and does not make decisions relating to trading in wholesale energy products based upon that information.

In such a situation the market participant shall without delay provide that information, together with a justification for the delay of the public disclosure, to the relevant national regulatory authority.

Details of the notifying party			
Name of the market participant*			
Contact person			
Surname, forename *			
E-Mail *			
Retype E-mail *			
Address *			
Phone/Fax *			
Competent Authority			
Type here*			
If necessary, provide other information for the National Regulatory			
Authority			
Identification of the inside information concerned			
Installed capacity of the facility			
Unavailable capacity			
Identification of the inside information*			
Date and time of the event concerned			
Other details/Related transactions			
Publication			
Justification for delayed publication*			
	<u> </u>		
When and where the inside information will be published			
Time of public disclosure			
Place/Address			
Additional information			
,			



## c)...and possible Subcategories

		Sub-category Disclosure of inside information	Sub-category Registration	Sub Category PPAT
Sub-category Insider Trading	Sub-category Market Manipulation	obligation	obligation	Obligation
Using inside information to trade/try to trade	False/misleading transactions	1. Obligation to disclose in an effective and timely manner	Failure to update the registration	Notification obligation
1.1. Front running	1.1. Wash trades	1.1. Inside information not published	Failure to register	1.1. Potential Article 3 breach not notified
			3. Registration with the wrong regulatory	1.2. Potential Article 4 breach not
1.2. Other	1.1.1.Wash trades A to A	1.2. Inside information not published properly	authority	notified
2. Disclosing inside information to third parties	1.1.2.Wash trades A to B to A	1.3. Other	4. Art.9 -> Other	2. Effective arrangements
3. Recommending third parties to trade based on				
inside information	1.2. Improper matched orders	Reporting of delay to publish inside information		3. Art.15 -> Other
	1.3. Placing orders with no intention to execute them	2.1. Delay not reported to Energy Community and the NRA		
	1.3.1.Layering	2.2. Delay improperly reported		
	1.3.2.Quote stuffing	2.3. Other		
	1.3.3.Other orders placed with no intention to execute	2.0. Othor		
	them			
	2. Price positioning			
	2.1. Ramping/Painting the tape			
	2.2. Marking the reference period			
	2.2.1.Marking the close			
	2.2.2.Marking other relevant reference periods			
	2.3. Market cornering			
	2.4. Cross-market manipulation			
	2.5. Capacity withholding			
	2.5.1.Economic withholding			
	2.5.2.Physical withholding			
	Transactions involving fictitious devices/deception			
	3.1. Scalping			
	3.2. Pump and dump			
	3.3. Circular trading			
	3.4. Pre-arranged trading			
	Dissemination of false/misleading information			
	4.1. Spreading false/misleading information through the			
	media			
	4.2. Other behaviour designed to spread			
	false/misleading information			



## d) Additional information required

- PPATs
- NRAs Art 16(2)
- Other

Reasons for suspecting that the events may constitute a REMIT breach*			

By sending this report the selected authority or authorities and Energy Community will be informed about this notification and the provided information in a secure and confidential manner.



## e) Additional information required

• NRAs Art 16(3)

Please specificy is there is any potential MAR breaches:	
Insider dealing (Art.14)	
Market Manipulation (Art.15)	
No	
Not applicable	
Not identified yet	
Please Specify also:	
Member State affected	
Responsible NRA*	
Commodity.* Select one of the list.	
Notifying PersonContacts	
Name of the person submitting the notification*	
Job title	
Organisation of the person submitting the notification*	
Business Address*	
Business Phone*	
Business E-mail*	
Parties involved in the potential breach	
Name of the legal/natural person(s) involved in the potential breach	
Code of the legal/natural person(s) involved in the potential breach (Insert the	
unique identification code.)	
Name of any other legal/natural person(s) associated to the potential breach	
Other details of the legal/natural person(s) involved in the potential breach	
Description of the potential Breach	
Number of product(s) involved*	
Reasons for suspecting that the events may constitute a REMIT breach*	

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#### **Questions**

#### 1. Comments on the proposal?

• Forms can be simplify for teh start / industry needs gradual education. Notification can include ,free text email/narrative on the potential breach/suspisson'

## 2. National notification platform or regional notification platform on EnC website?

- Subject to financing agreement by ECS Director!
- For national, it can be as simple as a link to send an email to NRA REMIT team

#### 3. In case of a regional notification platform on EnC website:

- Transfer of notifications by ECS to NRAs
  - Confidentiality requirements needed? E.g. signature of confidentiality agreements?
  - Nomination of 1 central receipiant per CP NRA?



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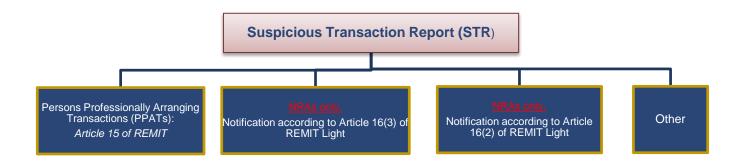


## Article 16 of REMIT: Cooperation at Energy Community and national level

16(4) [...] where [...] the Energy Community Regulatory Board suspects that there has been a breach of this Regulation, it shall be entitled:

- (a) to request one or more national regulatory authorities to **supply any information** related to the suspected breach;
- (b) to request one or more national regulatory authorities to **commence an investigation of the suspected breach**, and to take appropriate action to remedy any breach found. Any decision as regards the appropriate action to be taken to remedy any breach found shall be the responsibility of the national regulatory authority concerned;
- (c) where it considers that the possible breach has, or has had, a cross-border impact, to **establish and coordinate an investigatory group** consisting of representatives of concerned national regulatory authorities to investigate whether this Regulation has been breached and in which Contracting Party the breach took place. Where appropriate, the Energy Community Regulatory Board may also seek the participation of representatives of the Agency or other relevant authority of one or more Contracting Party and/or Member States in the investigatory group.
- 5. National regulatory authority receiving a request for information under point (a) of paragraph 4, or receiving a request to commence an investigation of a suspected breach under point (b) of paragraph 4, shall immediately take the necessary measures in order to comply with that request. If that national regulatory authority is not able to supply the required information immediately, it shall without further delay notify the Energy Community Regulatory Board of the reasons.





## Possible categories of REMIT breach:

- 1. Insider Trading (Art. 3)
- 2. Market Manipulation (Art. 5)
- 3. Disclosure of inside information obligation (Art. 4)
- 4. Registration obligation (Art. 9)
- 5. PPAT Obligation (Art.15)



#### **Questions**

#### 1. Definition of ECRB procedures

- Article 16(4) lit (a) and (b): request of the ECRB REMIT WG to the relevant CP NRA directly based on a WG decision?
- Article 16(4) lit (c): proposal of the ECRB REMIT WG to ECRB Board for approval establish and coordinate an investigation
  - Members of the investigation cooridnation group: who are the ,,concerned CPs"? = bi-/multi-lateral or all members of the ECRB REMIT WG?
- Result of the group coordinating the investigation: for ECRB Board approval?

### 2. Confidentiality requirements?



#### **4** Others

#### *Article 16(1)*

- National regulatory authorities <...> and the national competition authority in a Contracting Party may establish appropriate forms of cooperation in order to ensure effective and efficient investigation and enforcement and to contribute to a coherent and consistent approach to investigation, judicial proceedings and to the enforcement of this Regulation and relevant financial and competition law.
- Template cooperation agreements needed ?



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