

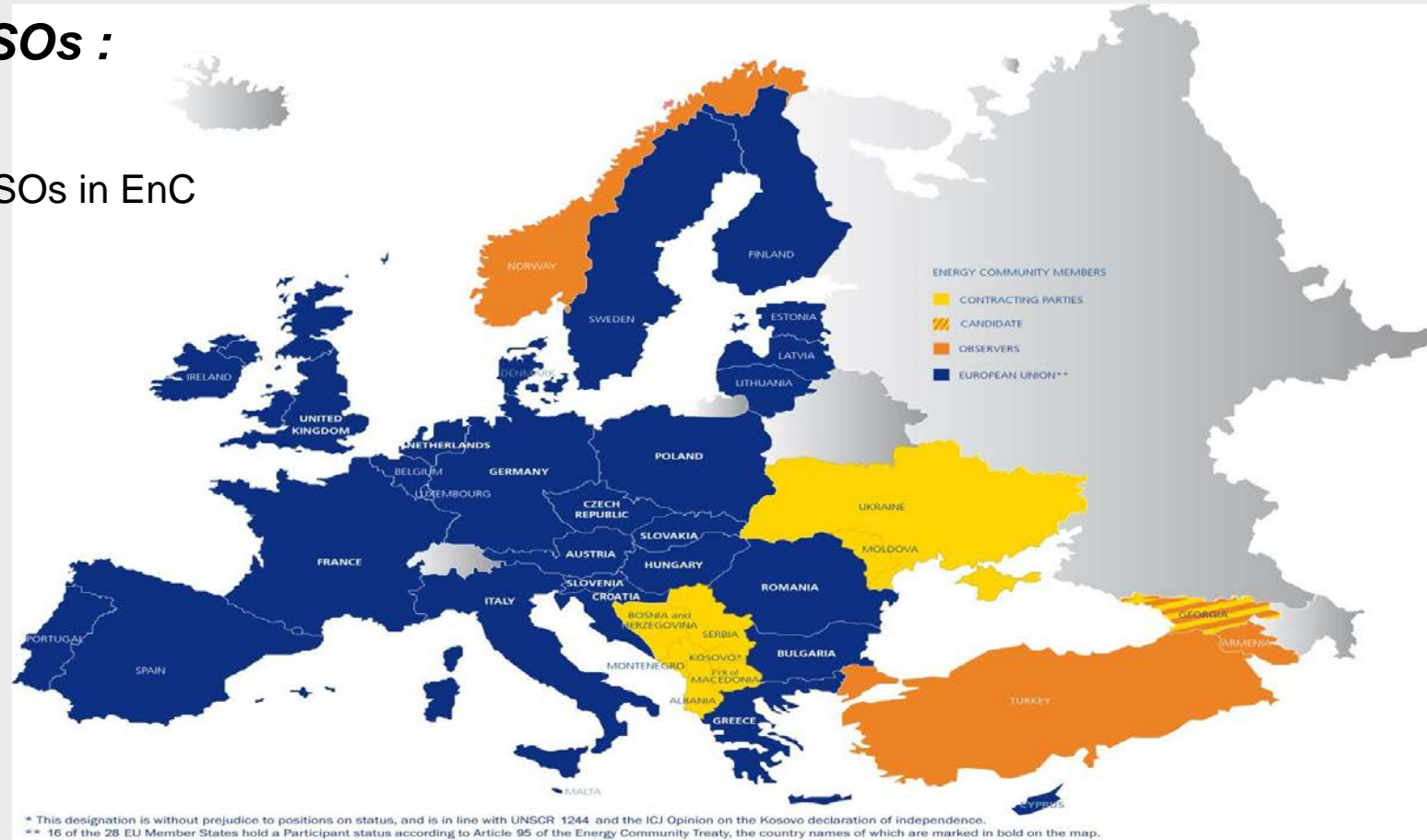
The background is a satellite-style image of Europe at night, with city lights visible. Overlaid on this are numerous glowing blue lines that represent energy transmission paths, connecting various points across the continent and extending into the surrounding regions.

ECDSO-E

2014-2018 outlook

Licensed DSOs :

more than 60 DSOs in EnC



Establishment of ECDSO-E

https://www.energy-community.org/events/2014/03/WS_EL.html

- *The participants agreed to establish a coordination platform for electricity DSOs in the Energy Community. Participation shall be open to all interested DSOs and in particular also to DSOs of neighbouring EU member countries.*
- *The Secretariat to facilitate and technically support such coordination by providing web-based tool but underlined that coordination activity should be with the DSOs.*

Cooperation format

- *The participants agreed on start their cooperation via the web-based discussion platform (‘Forum’) accessible via the Energy Community website;*
- *the Secretariat will organize the technical set up.*
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Logistic

- *The Secretariat will include the participants in the communication on the initiative for establishing regional balancing in the Energy Community and the invitation list to the Energy Community Electricity Forum.*

Topics

- *Participants identified the following topics of interest for further coordination*
 - ***smart meters,***
 - ***integration of renewables,***
 - ***unbundling,***
 - ***cost reflectivity of tariffs and prices,***
 - ***investment incentives,***
 - ***treatment of losses and thefts,***
 - ***load profiles.***



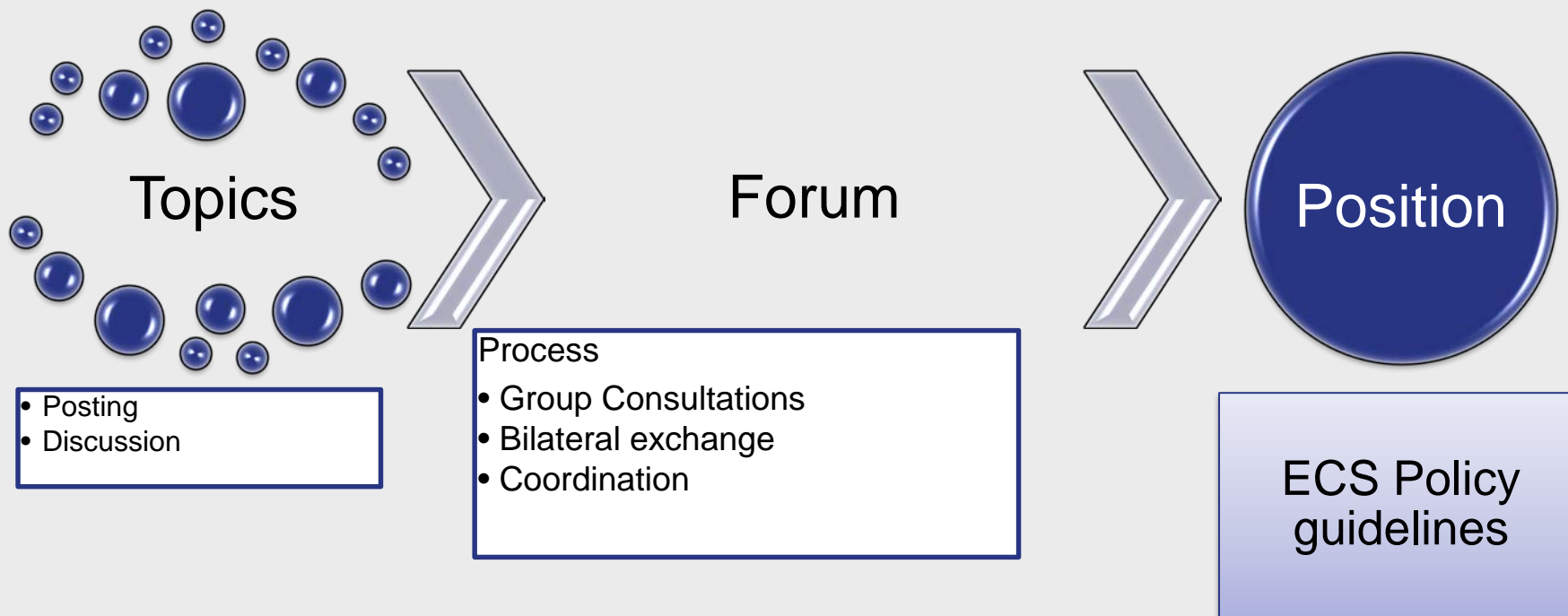
POLICY GUIDELINES
by the Energy Community Secretariat

on the distribution network tariffs

PG 02/2018 / 3 April 2018



- ❑ *Guidelines and toolbox for DSO unbundling*
- ❑ *Position paper on connection cost*
- ❑ *Network security and risk preparedness (within OSCE Handbook)*
- ❑ *Distributed generation: position paper on self consumption for discussion → Policy Guidelines*
- ❑ *Study to develop policy guidelines for network tariffs → Policy Guidelines*



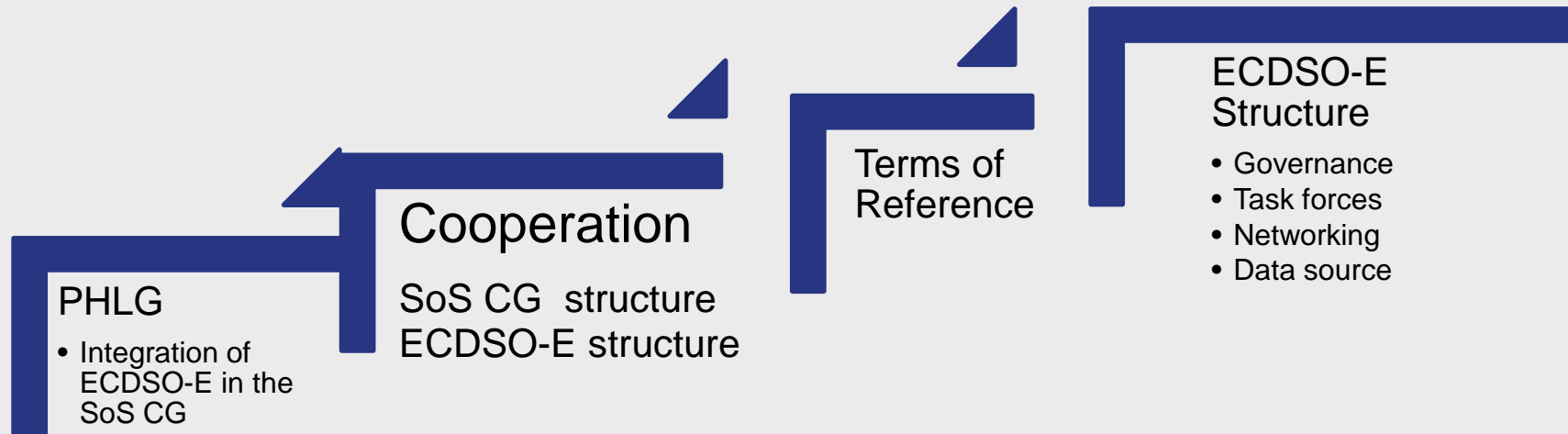
44th Athens Forum: Cooperation among DSOs under ECDSO-E should have a more structured format

Platform of Distribution System Operators

18. The PHLG took note of the effective cooperation between the Energy Community distribution system operators for electricity in the past years and supported the establishment of cooperation format within the Energy Community bodies. To that end, PHLG recommended to integrate the existing structure of Energy Community Distribution System Operators for Electricity (ECDSO-E) into the Security of Supply Coordination Group (SoS CG) as a specific Subgroup.

19. The Secretariat is invited to provide support as may be required in the form of technical assistance, consultations and logistics and to propose the structure of ECDSO-E Subgroup, and its integration and forms of cooperation within the SoS Coordination Group, as well as to facilitate establishing and functioning of a communication platform and network of compliance officers.

20. The PHLG tasked the Secretariat to draft the amendment of the Procedural Act on establishing Security of Supply Coordination Group and submit the proposal to the PHLG as a proposal for next Ministerial Council. The terms of reference defining ECDSO-E role, structure, forms of cooperation and scope of activities should be defined in the Annex to the Procedural Act.





Format, structure, cooperation:

Draft Annex to Procedural Act on establishing SoS CG

Tasks ahead:

- TSO2DSO activities

- Security
- Smart grid
- Planning

- DSO activities

- Quality of service
- Market facilitating
- TEP Compliance issues
- Benchmarking (data collection and sharing)



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