

# Update on ongoing EWG activities: December 2019 – June 2020

Milica Knežević, ECRB EWG Chair

45<sup>th</sup> ECRB Meeting
WEBEX-online, 9<sup>th</sup> June 2020



#### **ELECTRICITY** Chair: Mrs Milica Knežević (REGAGEN) - Deputy: Mr Zviad Gachechiladze (GNERC) Task Force Deliverable Due Leader Scope Deliverables 1-3 Effective wholesale market opening is central for Joint workshops of ACER and ECRB on the electricity Up to twice p.a. Wholesale Mrs Milica establishing a competitive regional Energy Community market Guideline Regulations for discussion of Market Knežević electricity market and its integration with the European methodologies Integration (REGAGEN) market. A harmonized regulatory approach is necessary n 2. Identification of possible 12/2020 this context. With a view to support wholesale market implementation of elements of the electricity market Deliverables 4 opening, the activities of this Task Force will focus on Guideline Regulations to support the realization of early Mr Salvatore regulatory support to forward market, day-ahead and implementation pilot projects I anza and Mr Upon receipt by intraday market integration in South East Europe. This will 3. Harmonized regulatory review of SEE CAO rules: ad-Stefano Rossi SEE CAO hoc commenting or preparing harmonized and joint include the identifications of possible areas for early (ARERA) implementation of elements of the the electricity market proposals for ECRB approval Guideline Regulations before they become legally binding in 4. Regular updates on actual EU wholesale market Regularly at the Energy Community. Integration processes related to electricity market Guideline EWG meetings Regulations II. [tbd] Providing a stable and predictable regulatory framework is a Joint analysis of the regulatory investment framework in ECRB, 12/2020 central precondition for attracting investments. ECRB, [CEER and MedReg] countries.7 Regulatory investment [CEER and MedReq]7 will analyse the regulatory investment climate framework in ECRB, CEER and MedReg countries and discuss possible areas of improvement. This activity will be performed in cooperation with the mirroring activities of the ECRB gas working group.

- √ 1<sup>st</sup> Joint ACER-ECRB workshop in 2020: webinar as an option
- ✓ NEMO designation process in North Macedonia ongoing



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Task Force	Leader	Scope	Deliverable	Due
l. Wholesale Market Integration	Deliverables 1-3 Mrs Milica Knežević (REGAGEN)	Effective wholesale market opening is central for establishing a competitive regional Energy Community electricity market and its integration with the European market. A harmonized regulatory approach is necessary in	Joint workshops of ACER and ECRB on the electricity market Guideline Regulations for discussion of methodologies  Identification of possible areas voluntary	Up to twice p.a.
	Deliverables 4 Mr Salvatore Lanza and Mr. Stefano Rossi (ARERA)	this context. With a view to support wholesale market opening, the activities of this Task Force will focus on regulatory support to forward market, day-ahead and intraday market integration in South East Europe. This will include the identifications of possible areas for early implementation of elements of the the electricity market Guideline Regulations before they become legally binding in the Energy Community.	implementation of elements of the electricity market Guideline Regulations to support the realization of early implementation pilot projects  Harmonized regulatory review of SEE CAO rules: adhoc commenting or preparing harmonized and joint proposals for ECRB approval  Regular updates on actual EU wholesale market Integration processes related to electricity market Guideline Regulations	Upon receipt by SEE CAO Regularly at EWG meetings
II. Regulatory investment climate	[tbd]	Providing a stable and predictable regulatory framework is a central precondition for attracting investments. ECRB, [CEER and MedReg] <sup>7</sup> will analyse the regulatory investment framework in ECRB, CEER and MedReg countries and discuss possible areas of improvement. This activity will be performed in cooperation with the mirroring activities of the ECRB gas working group.	nt <b>analysis</b> of the regulatory investment framework in ECRB, EER and MedReg] countries. <sup>7</sup>	12/2020

- ✓ Preparatory activities ongoing:
  - identification of ECRB EWG activities in 2020
  - coordnation with CEER and MEDREG for 2021



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III. Wholesale Market Monitoring	Mr Zviad Gachechiladze (GNERC)	Market monitoring is a core element of regulator responsibilities. Only in-depth knowledge of market performance, stakeholder activities and development outlooks allow regulators to create an effective market framework that balances the needs of market players and is able to promote competition, customer protection, energy efficiency, investments and security of supply at the same time.  Dedicated monitoring efforts will be also put on compliance of Contracting Parties with the transparency requirements of	SEE Market Monitoring annual report based on SEEAMMS Data     Monitoring report on the development of electricity wholesale markets in the Contracting Parties based on the indicators used by ACER for its annual market monitoring report	Quarterly 12/2020 12/2020 Regular updates
		the Energy Community law in electricity	Community law in electricity	
IV. Renewables integration and balancing	Mrs Milica Knežević (REGAGEN)	Integration of renewable energy sources into the energy systems gains more and more importance but also entails a number of regulatory challenges. The workshop will look into these aspects including the balancing responsibility of producers from renewable energy sources.	sources in this context <sup>9</sup>	2020

- ✓ Annual report replaced with online monitoring spread sheet
- √ The spread sheed to be updated three times a year (linked with ECRB EWG)

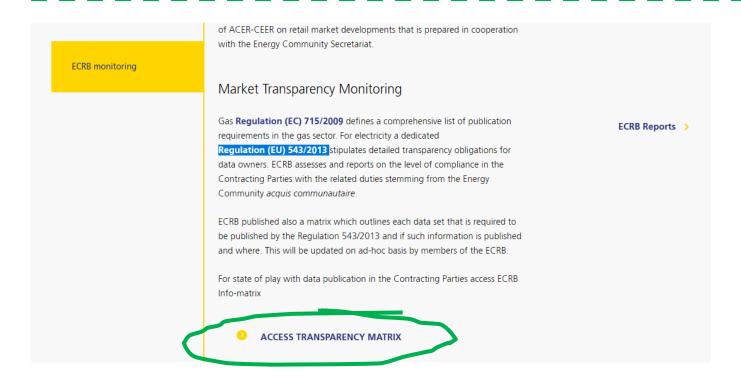
https://energy-community.org/aboutus/institutions/ECRB.html Energy Community Regulatory Board / ECRB Monitoring





√ Transparency matrix: Regulation (EU) 543/2013

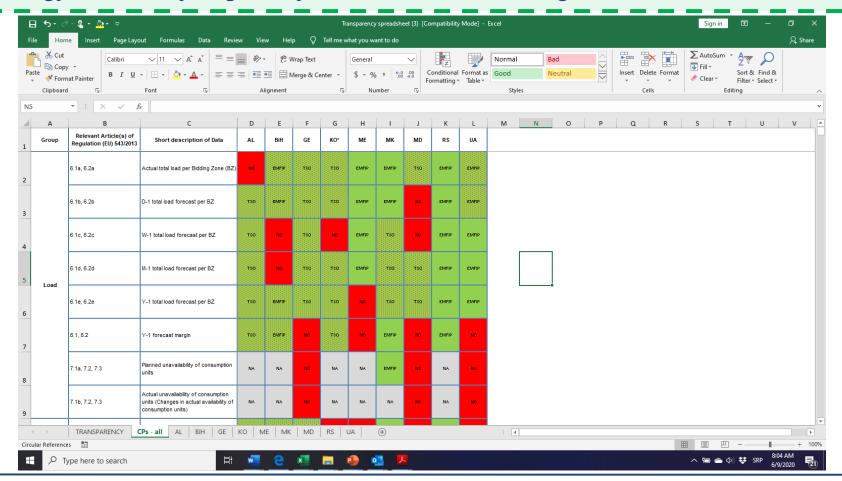
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			Monitoring spread sheet on compliance of Contracting     Parties with the transparency requirements of the Energy     Community have in executions.	Regular updates
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Originaly scheduled for 1 April 2020 – postponed due to COVID-19



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