61st ECRB Meeting

1. Meeting Details

Date: 04.06.2025.
Time: 09:00 – 12:00 EET (08:00 – 11:00 CET)
Location/Platform: Wyndham Grand Athens Hotel, Meg. Alexandrou 2, Athina 104 37, Greece and online

2. Attendance

Name	Institution
ANICIC, Jelena	REGAGEN
ANTONOVA, Olena	ECS
BILEN, Yuriy	RAAEY
BUCAJ, Gani	ERO
CHEBOTAREV, Aleksandar	ERC
FEJZULLAHU, Ymer	ECRB President, ERO
GEITONA, Fay	ACER
HUJBER, Andras	DG ENER
JURIS, Andrej	ECS
KEREKGYARTO, Reka	MEKH
KLLOKOQI, Arben	ECS
LUKIC, Sasa	SERC
MARSENIC, Branislava	ECS
MILEKIC, Branislava	SERC
NIKOLI, Eleni-Pinelopi	RAAEY
PARUNASHVILI, Tamar	EWG Chair, GNERC
SLOBODIAN, Ruslan	NEURC
STEFANOVIC, Nenad	AERS
STRATULAT, Elena	GWG Chair, ANRE
SUMBADZE, Nikoloz	GNERC
TARAN, Alexei	ANRE

VILIC, Daniela	E-Control
Online participants	
GALANTE, Maria Teresa	ARERA
GVAZAVA, Lia	GNERC
RADHESHI, Elton	REMIT WG Chair, ERE

3. Opening

The ECRB President, Mr. Ymer Fejzullahu, opened the meeting and confirmed the quorum. The agenda of 61st and the minutes of 60th ECRB meeting were approved without amendments.

4. ACER developments

[Ref. presentation by Ms. Geitona]

Ms. Geitona updated the participants on recent ACER developments, the relevant presentation is available on the Energy Community web page, restricted meeting materials.

Conclusions / Action Points: no conclusion required, agenda item for information.

5. Regulatory developments in the Contracting Parties

[Ref. presentations by SERC, ERO, ANRE, REGAGEN, ERC, NEURC]

The regulatory authorities of all Contracting Parties updated on energy sector and regulatory developments in their jurisdictions. The presentations of six NRAs are available on the Energy Community web page, restricted meeting folder. The following updates were provided without the slides:

ERE: draft law transposing the EIP not finalized due to elections in May, it is planned to adopt it in September; ERE adopted the act transposing the CACM regulation and launched consultations on FCA and Balancing Regulations, whose adoption is envisaged for July.

ERC: new Energy Law transposing the EIP adopted and in force as of 29th May; ERC started issuing guarantees of origin.

AERS: two new Council members were appointed and the procedure for appointing another two members should be finalized soon; AERS approved the 2024 Annual Report; work on transposition of regulations stemming from the EIP and the new Energy Law ongoing; electricity grid code is also being amended.

Conclusions / Action Points: no conclusion required, agenda item for information.

6. Recent Energy Community developments

[Ref. presentation by ECRB Unit]

Mr. Juris, Mr. Kllokoqi and Ms. Marsenic informed participants on the Energy Community developments since the last ECRB meeting. The relevant presentation is available on the Energy Community web page- restricted meeting materials.

Conclusions / Action Points: no conclusion required, agenda item for information.

7. Market coupling operation integration plan

[Ref. presentation by Ms. Parunashvili]

Ms. Parunashvili informed participants about the activities taken within the EWG on the MCO IP, highlighting that seven NRAs of the Contracting Parties agreed on the consolidated NRA position. She also said that AERS did not support sending the consolidated position and that SERC abstained from providing the feedback. The EWG Chair provided the main findings of the consolidate opinion and informed the participants about the next steps.

Conclusions / Action Points: for information only.

8. Customers and Retail Markets Working Group

[Ref. presentation by Ms. Marsenic]

On behalf of the CRM WG Chair, who was absent due to medical treatment, Ms. Marsenic provided an overview of the CRM WG activities. The relevant presentation is available on the Energy Community web page- restricted meeting materials.

Conclusions / Action Points: no action required, for information only.

9. Electricity Working Group

[Ref. presentation by Ms. Parunashvili]

Ms. Parunashvili provided the information on the status regarding preparation of the EWG deliverables under the Work Program 2025. The relevant presentation is available on the Energy Community web page- restricted meeting materials.

Conclusions / Action Points: no action required, for information only.

10. Gas Working Group

[Ref. presentation by Ms. Stratulat]

Ms. Stratulat shared an update on the current progress in preparing the GWG deliverables. Taking into account the need for ANRE to adopt the gas transmission tariffs before the auctions on 1st July, she invited the ECRB to adopt the Analysis of tariff consultation document of ANRE in a shorted period i.e. in one week. The relevant presentation is available on the Energy Community web page- restricted meeting materials.

Conclusions / Action Points: ECRB to adopt the Analysis of tariff consultation document of ANRE in one week upon its reception.

11. REMIT Working Group

[Ref. presentation by Mr. Radheshi]

Mr. Radheshi provided the information on the REMIT WG activities. The relevant presentation is available on the Energy Community web page- restricted meeting materials.

Conclusions / Action Points: no action required, for information only.

12. AOB

Mr. Radheshi informed participants about the 30-years anniversary of ERE.

Ms. Vilic said that the Trilateral CEER-ECRB-MEDREG workshop on renewable gases would be organized on 24th September in the premises of E-Control, back-to-back with the Energy Community Gas Forum.

13. Closing

The ECRB President informed participants that the next ECRB meeting would be organized on 30th September.