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Definition of System Operation Regions

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ENTSO E, taking into account the following,

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- (1) This document definesENTSO E is mandated to develop a proposal defining the system operation regions (hereafter referred to as "SORsSOR Proposal") in accordance with Article 36 of Commission Regulation (EU) 2019/943 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the internal market for electricity (hereafter referred to as "Regulation 2019/943").
- (2) This document The SOR Proposal takes into account the general principles and goals set out in the Electricity Regulation 2019/943 as well as in:
 - a. the Directive (EU) 2019/944 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 June 2019
 on common rules for the internal market for electricity (hereafter referred to as "Directive
 2019/944").
 - b. all the applicable Network Codes and Guidelines referred to in the Regulation 2019/943, adopted on the basis of Article 18(5) of Regulation (EC) No 714/2009 such as the Regulation (EU) 2017/1485 establishing a guideline on electricity transmission system operation (hereafter referred to as "SO RegulationGL"), Regulation (EU) 2015/1222 establishing a guideline on capacity allocation and congestion management (hereafter referred to as "CACM RegulationGL"), Regulation (EU) 2016/1719 establishing a guideline on forward capacity allocation (hereafter referred to as "FCA RegulationGL"), Regulation (EU) 2017/2196 establishing a network code on electricity emergency and restoration (hereafter referred to as 'ER Regulation'NC') and Regulation (EU) 2017/2195 establishing a guideline on electricity balancing (hereafter referred to as 'EB Regulation'GL').
- (3) This document specifies The SOR Proposal intends to specify the geographical scope in which technical processes need to be coordinated in a harmonised way in an SOR, by specifying which transmission system operators (between TSOs), bidding zones, bidding zone borders, capacity calculation regions, while preserving a smooth and outage coordination regions are covered by each secure operation of electricity exchanges with third countries, which safeguards the SORs. security of operation for the European electricity system.
- (4) Regulation 2019/943 recognises, in its recitals 42 and 53, that an effective progress towards the optimal management of the electricity transmission network can be achieved by establishing the regional geographical scope for which harmonisationharmonization.org of the cooperative operational processes should take place. This documentThe SOR Proposal clarifies the regional scope for optimising processes, and consequently contributes to the general objectives of the Regulation 2019/943 to the benefit of all market participants and electricity end consumers and to contribute effectively to enhance system security and market efficiency.
- (5) TSOs of an SOR shall establish a flexible RCC organisational structure that allows for regional desks to tackle sub-regional specificities, where relevant.
- (6) In accordance with Article 36(2) of Regulation 2019/943, this document also specifies the coordination between regional coordination centres for the borders adjacent to SORs.
- (5) The SOR Proposal should clarify Article 36(2) requirement on the coordination between regional coordination centres for the borders adjacent to SOR without prejudice of the creation of Regional Coordination Centres (hereafter referred to as "RCC(s)") in line with Article 35(1) of the Electricity Regulation. The SOR Proposal cannot be interpreted as direct or indirect TSOs' intention to create a specific RCC. Consequently, when establishing RCCs, TSOs should be

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(9)(12) ENTSO-E structures and regional agreements, provisions and methodologies listed in Article 6(2) and 6(3) of the SO RegulationGL and in particular the synchronous area agreements implemented in line with Article 118 of SO Regulation (GL including as applicable the agreements with TSOs not bound by the SO Regulation, implementing the SO GL Article 13 of the SO Regulation), and the ER NC Article 10 of the ER Regulation, will be tools for TSOs to ascertain and clarify operational coordination.

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SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING SOR PROPOSAL TO ACER:

Article 1 Subject matter and scope

- This document specifies, in Article 3, According to Article 36(1) of Regulation 2019/943, Article 3
 of this SOR Proposal specifies which transmission system operators, bidding zone, bidding zone
 borders, capacity calculation regions and outage coordination regions are covered by each of the
 system operation regions, taking into account the grid topology, including the degree of
 interconnection and interdependency of the electricity system in terms of flows.
- This document specifies, in Article 4, According to Article 36(2) of Regulation 2019/943, Article 4
 of this SOR Proposal specifies how the coordination between regional coordination centres is to take
 place for bidding zone borders adjacent to SORsSOR.

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Article 2 Definitions and interpretation

- For the purposes of this document, the SOR Proposal, terms used in this document shall have the meaning of the definitions included in Article 2 of the Regulation 2019/943, in the Directive 2019/944, in the SO RegulationGL and CACM RegulationGL.
- 2. The In this SOR Proposal, the following acronyms are used in this document:

 a-(a)CCR means capacity calculation region as determined pursuant to Article 15 of the CACM
 RegulationCapacity Calculation Region;

b.(b) OCR means outage coordination regionOutage Coordination Region;

e.(c)BZ means bidding zone;Bidding Zone.

(d) APG means Austrian Power Grid AG;

- (e) VUEN means Vorarlberger Übertragungsnetz GmbH;
- (f) Elia means Elia System Operator SA;
- (g) ESO means Electroenergien Sistemen Operator EAD;
- (h) ČEPS means ČEPS a.s.;
- (i) TransnetBW means TransnetBW GmbH;
- (j) TenneT DE means TenneT TSO GmbH;
- (k) Amprion means Amprion GmbH;
- (1) 50Hertz means 50Hertz Transmission GmbH;
- (m) Energinet means Energinet Electricity System Operator;

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Community OJ L 29, 31.1.2020, p. 7–187 (https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:02020W/TXT-20201218&from=EN).

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- (n) Elering means Elering AS;
- (o) REE means Red Eléctrica de España S.A.;
- (p) Fingrid means Fingrid Oyj;
- (q) Kraftnät Åland means Kraftnät Åland Ab;
- (r) RTE means Réseau de Transport d'Electricité;
- (s) SONI means System Operator for Northern Ireland Ltd;
- (t) IPTO means Independent Power Transmission Operator S.A.;
- (u) HOPS means HOPS d.o.o.;
- MAVIR ZRt. Means MAVIR Magyar Villamosenergia-ipari Átviteli Rendszerirányító Zártkörűen Működő Részvénytársaság;
- (w) EirGrid means EirGrid plc;
- (x) TERNA means Terna Rete Elettrica Nazionale SpA;
- (y) Litgrid means Litgrid AB;
- (z) Creos means Creos Luxembourg S.A.;
- (aa) AST means AS Augstsprieguma tīkls;
- (bb) TenneT NL means TenneT TSO B.V.;
- (cc) PSE means Polskie Sieci Elektroenergetyczne S.A.;
- (dd) REN means Rede Eléctrica Nacional, S.A.;
- (ee) Transelectrica means C.N. Transelectrica S.A
- (ff) Svenska Kraftnät means Svenska Kraftnät;
- (gg) ELES means ELES, d.o.o.; and
- (hh) SEPS means Slovenská elektrizačná prenosová sústava, a.s.
- 3. <u>Unless In this SOR Proposal, unless</u> the context requires otherwise:
 - e-(a) the table of contents and headings are inserted for convenience only and do not affect the interpretation of this document SOR Proposal; and
 - b.(b) any reference to legislation, regulations, directive, order, instrument, code or any other enactment shall include any modification, extension or re-enactment of it then in force.

Article 3 Proposal for System Operation Regions (SORsSOR)

- 1. System operation regions include Only TSOs that have been designated or assigned with responsibilities which obligations that are relevant for system operation operations, such as, but not limited to: calculation of capacity, assessment of needed remedial actions to ensure security of the whole system, coordination of all the outages to ensure security and efficiency, adequacy assessment and tasks related to the provision of system balancing, shall be included in the relevant SOR,
- Where more than one TSO exists in a Member State, the list of TSOs contained in this Article shall be without prejudice to the Member States' ability to designate2 or assign3, or the regulatory authorities' ability to assign⁴, one or several responsibilities to other TSOs in accordance with the Electricity Directive.

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² In accordance with Article 43 of Directive (EU) 2019/944 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 5 June 2019 on common rules for the internal market for electricity and amending Directive 2012/27/EU (the Electricity

In accordance with Article 40 (2) of the Electricity Directive

⁴ In accordance with Article 59 (6) (h) of the Electricity Directive

- 3. TSOs included in a CCR but not incorporated in the SOR of the mentioned CCR are considered relevant stakeholders for the purpose of the SOR definition and shall be properly consulted by the TSOs of each SOR. When consulting the relevant stakeholders, the TSOs of each SOR shall take the utmost account of the views expressed by the TSOs included in a CCR but not incorporated in the SOR of the mentioned CCR. Proposal and shall be properly consulted.
- 4. In case of amendments to the Determination of CCRs pursuant to Article 15 of the CACM Regulation and until such amendments are incorporated in this document, the list of bidding zones, bidding zone borders and TSOs in SORs defined pursuant to paragraph 5 shall be understood as reflecting the changes to the Determination of CCRs. This is without prejudice to the relevant TSOs' right under Article 36(4) of Regulation 2019/943 to submit a proposal to ACER for amendments.

5. The SORs shall be defined as follows:

Within 18 months after the approval of this proposal, all TSOs of a System Operation Region neighbouring third country TSOs shall endeavour to conclude with the third country TSOs not bound by the Regulation EU 2019/943 agreements setting the basis for their cooperation concerning secure system operation and setting out arrangements for the compliance of the third country TSOs with the obligations set in this Regulation EU 2019/943.

1.(a) Baltic SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ borders
Baltic CCR	Baltic (1)	Litgrid	LT	Baltic CCR borders
		AST	LV	
		Elering	EE	

- (1) The Baltic OCR equals the Baltic CCR.
- i. When developing procedures for the adoption and revision of coordinated actions and recommendations, in line with Article 42 of the Regulation 2019/943, TSOs of Baltic SOR shall consult relevant TSOs of Nordic SOR and relevant TSOs of Central Europe SOR. When consulting the relevant TSOs of Nordic SOR and Central Europe SOR, the TSOs of the Baltic SOR shall take the utmost account of the views expressed by the relevant TSOs of Nordic SOR and Central Europe SOR.
- ii. When the respective regulatory authorities of the TSOs of the Baltic SOR approve the procedures referred to in paragraph i., as a result of the implementation of requirements in Article 35(1)(e) of the Regulation 2019/943, they should do so in consultation with the respective regulatory authorities of the relevant TSOs of Nordic SOR and Central Europe SOR, upon individual request by these regulatory authorities.

2.(b) Nordic SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ borders
Nordic	Nordic (2)	Energinet	DK1, DK2	Nordic CCR
		Fingrid	FI	borders
			SE1, SE2, SE3,	
			SE4	

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(2) The Nordic OCR encompasses the Nordic assets relevant for outage coordination in accordance with the Nordic System Operation Agreement.

3. IU SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	8 Z	BZ borders
₩	IU (3)	SONI	SEM	GB-SEM
Channel	Channel (4)	<u>EirGrid</u>		Channel CCR
		NGESO	GB	borders

- (3) The IU OCR is the Outage Co-ordination Region associated with the IU CCR.
- (4) The Channel OCR is the Outage Co-ordination Region associated with the Channel CCR.

4.(c) Central Europe SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ borders
<u>Core</u> Italy North	OCR based on Core OCR based on Italy North (5)	SONI EirGridRTE ELIA TenneT NL Amprion TransnetBW TenneT DE 50Hertz Creos	EE NL DE/LU	Core CCR borders
		PSE ČEPS APG VUEN MAVIR ELES	PL CZ AT SI	Italy North CCRborders
<u>SWE</u>	<u>SWE (6)</u>	SEPS HOPS Transelectrica TERNA REE REN	SK HR RO IT NORD ES PT	SWE CCR borders

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(5)(3) The Outage Coordination Regions involving the TSOs of the Synchronous Area Continental Europe are defined in the Synchronous Area Framework Agreement for RG CE – Annex 4: Policy on Coordinated Operational Planning, Article C-2-1.

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The SWE OCR is equal to the SWE CCR.

(4) EirGrid and SONI participate in the Central Europe SOR, however their obligations pertaining to the RCCs' tasks shall become effective only upon the start of operation of the Celtic Interconnector ⁵.

5.(d) SEE SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ borders
SEE	OCR based	ESO	BG	SEE CCR
	on SEE (<u>7)</u>	IPTO	GR	borders
GRIT	OCR based	- TEDAM	<u>IT CNOR</u>	GRIT CCR
	on GRIT6)		<u>JT CSUD</u>	<u>borders</u> _ = = = = .
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			IT SUD	
			<u>IT CALA</u>	
			<u>IT SICI</u>	

(6)(5) The Outage Coordination Regions involving the TSOs of the Synchronous Area Continental Europe are defined in the Synchronous Area Framework Agreement for RG CE – Annex 4: Policy on Coordinated Operational Planning, Article C-2-1.

Concerning the BG-RO bidding zone border, when developing procedures for the adoption and revision of coordinated actions and recommendations, in line with Article 42 of the Regulation 2019/943, TSOs of SEE SOR shall consult with the relevant TSOs of Central Europe SOR. In doing so, the TSOs of the SEE SOR shall take the utmost account of the views expressed by the relevant TSOs of Central Europe SOR.

When the respective regulatory authorities of the TSOs of the SEE SOR approve the procedures referred to in paragraph i., as a result of the implementation of requirements in Article 35(1)(e)

⁵ The Celtic interconnector is a Project of Common Interest for a planned undersea link (HVDC) to allow the exchange of electricity between Ireland and France (700 MW). The total length of the HVDC interconnector between the two countries would be about 575 km.

 $\underline{See\ https://ec.europa.eu/energy/sites/ener/files/documents/pci\underline{factsheet_celtic_interconnector_2017_0.pdf\ and \ http://www.eirgridgroup.com/site-files/library/EirGrid/Celtic-Interconnector-Project-PCI-Information-Brochure.pdf.}$

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> of the Regulation 2019/943, they should do so in consultation with the respective regulatory authorities of the relevant TSOs of Central Europe SOR, upon individual request by these regulatory authorities.

6. GRIT SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ borders
GRIT	GRIT (7)	TERNA	IT NORD	GRIT CCR borders
			IT CNOR	
			IT CSUD	
			IT SUD	
			IT SICI	
			IT SARD	
		IPTO	IT ROSN	

(7) The GRIT OCR is equal to the GRIT CCR.

SWE SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	82	BZ borders
SWE	SWE (8)	RTE REE REN	ES PT	SWE CCR borders

(8) The SWE OCR is equal to the SWE CCR.

Article 4

Coordination of the bidding zone borders adjacent to SORs

- 1. Bidding Zone borders adjacent to Baltic SOR and Nordic SOR
 - 4.a. The bidding zone borders adjacent to Baltic SOR and Nordic SOR are-
 - a.i. Estonia Finland (EE FI)
 - Lithuania Sweden fourth bidding zone (LT-SE4)
 - 2.b. The RCC established by the TSOs of the Baltic SOR shall coordinate these bidding zone borders in accordance with applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia the:
 - Baltic capacity calculation methodologies Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM RegulationGL and ArticleArticles 21 10 of the FCA RegulationGL
 - Baltic common methodology for coordinated redispatching and countertrading pursuant to Articles 35 of the CACM Regulation and Baltic common methodology for redispatching and countertrading cost sharing, pursuant to 74 of the CACM Regulation, if relevant,
 - Baltic common provisions for regional operational security coordination Coordination Security Analysis Methodology, pursuant to Article 76 of the SO Regulation GL,

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- e-iv. Common grid model methodology Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO Regulation GL.
- d.v. Baltic Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO

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- e.vi. cooperative processes established pursuant to Article 38 of Regulation 2019/943.
- 3-c. The RCC established by the TSOs of the Baltic SOR shall allow Svenska Kraftnät and Fingrid to participate in the coordination of the borders through the RCC established by Nordic TSOs, which will have an agreement with the RCC established by Baltic TSOs.

2. Bidding Zone borders adjacent to Baltic SOR and Central Europe SOR

- La. The bidding zone border adjacent to Baltic SOR and Central Europe SOR is Lithuania- Poland (LT-PL).
- 2-<u>b.</u> The RCC established by the TSOs in the Baltic SOR shall coordinate the LT-PL bidding zone border in accordance with applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia the:
 - a-i. Baltic Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM RegulationGL and ArticleArticles 21, 10 of the FCA RegulationGL.
 - Baltic common methodology for coordinated redispatching and countertrading and Baltic common methodology for redispatching and countertrading cost sharing, pursuant to Articles 35 and 74 of the CACM Regulation.
 - b-iii. Baltic Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO-
 - e-<u>iv.</u> Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO RegulationGL.
- <u>i-a.</u> Baltic Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO RegulationGL, <u>c) of the Regulation 2019/943,</u>
- c. Moreover the RCC established by TSOs in the Baltic SOR shall coordinate:
 - 3-i. the tasks of regional relevance for the Baltie SOR with regards to this border, in */
 cooperation with PSE, which will have a contractual relationship with the RCC
 established by Baltic TSOs, and
 - ii. the tasks of cross-regional relevance together with the RCC(s) established by the TSOs of Central Europe SOR, as necessary.

3. Bidding Zone borders adjacent to Nordic SOR and Central Europe SOR

La. The bidding zone borders adjacent to Nordic SOR and Central Europe SOR are the bidding zone borders of Hansa CCR.

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- 2-b. RCC established by the TSOs in the Nordic SOR and the concerned RCC established by the TSOs in the Central Europe SOR shall coordinate those bidding zone borders in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia the:
 - a-i. Hansa Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM RegulationGL and ArticleArticles 21, 10 of the FCA RegulationGL.

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 ii. Common methodology for coordinated redispatching and countertrading and common methodology for redispatching and countertrading cost sharing, pursuant to Articles 35 and 74 of the CACM Regulation,

b-iii. Hansa Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO

iv. Hansa Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO Regulation,

- e.v. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO-Regulation GL.
- d.vi. the cooperative processes established for the interface between the Nordic SOR and the Central Europe SOR pursuant to Article 38 of the Regulation 2019/943.

4. Bidding Zone borders adjacent to SEEIU SOR and Central Europe SOR

- The bidding zone borders adjacent to IU SOR and Central Europe SOR are the bidding zone borders of Channel CCR.
- 2. The RCC established by the TSOs in the IU SOR and the RCC established by the TSOs in Central Europe shall coordinate those three bidding zone borders in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - a. Channel Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 et 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 21-10 of the FCA GL.
 - b. Channel Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 et 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. Channel Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - e. the cooperative processes established for the interface between the IU SOR and the Central Europe SOR pursuant to Article 38 of the Regulation 2019/943.

2. Bidding zone borders adajcent to GRIT SOR and Central Europe SOR

- Taking into account that bidding zone IT NORD is part of both SOR, the bidding zone borders
 adjacent to GRIT SOR and Central Europe SOR are the bidding zone borders of Italy North CCR,
 which are integrated in the Central Europe SOR, and the border Italy NORD Italy CNORD (IT
 NORD- IT CNORD), which is integrated in the GRIT SOR.
- The RCC established by the TSOs in Central Europe SOR shall coordinate the bidding zone borders of Italy North CCR in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - a. Italy North Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 21-10 of the FCA GL.
 - b. Italy North Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology applicable pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL
 - c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the Central Europe SOR with regards to this border.

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- The RCC established by TSOs in the GRIT SOR shall coordinate the IT NORD-IT CNORD bidding zone border in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - a. GRIT Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 21-10 of the FCA GL,
 - GRIT Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. GRIT Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - e. cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the GRIT SOR with regards to this border.
- 4. The RCCs established by the TSOs in the Central Europe SOR and by the TSOs in the GRIT SOR shall coordinate the bidding zone Italy NORD in accordance with the cooperative processes pursuant to Article 38 of Regulation (EU) 2019/943.

3. Bidding zone borders adjacent to SEE SOR and GRIT SOR

- 1-a. The bidding zone borders adjacent to SEE SOR and Central Europe GRIT SOR are: is the border IT SUD GR.
- 2. The RCC established by the TSOs in the GRIT SOR shall coordinate the bidding zone border in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - GRIT Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 21_10 of the FCA GL
 - b. GRIT Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - e. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. GRIT Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - e. cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the GRIT SOR, and in line with other applicable cooperative processes developed in line with Article 38 of Regulation 2019/943.
- 5. Bidding Zone borders adjacent to SWE SOR and Central Europe SOR
 - Taking into account that the BZ France is part of both SOR, the bidding zone borders adjacent to SWE SOR and Central Europe SOR are:
 - a. France Spain (FR ES), which is integrated in the SWE SOR, and
 - b. France-Belgium (FR-BE)
 - c. France-Germany/Luxembourg (FR-DE/LU)
 - d. Italy NORD France (IT NORD FR), which are integrated in the Central Europe SOR.
 - The RCC established by the TSOs in SWE SOR shall coordinate the FR ES bidding zone border in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - SWE Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 et 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 2110 of the FCA GL.
 - b. SWE Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,

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- Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
- cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the SWE SOR, and in line with other applicable cooperative processes developed in line with Article 38 of Regulation 2019/943.
- The RCC established by TSOs in Central Europe shall coordinate the FR-BE, FR-DE/LU, FR-CH and IT NORD FR bidding zone borders in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - CORE and North Italy Calculation Methodologies pursuant to Articles 20 et 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 2110 of the FCA GL and applicable agreements with Swissgrid,
 - b. CORE and North Italy Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL and applicable agreements with Swissgrid,
 - Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the Central SOR, integrating applicable description of the arrangements pursuant to Article 35(1)(g), and in line with other applicable cooperative processes developed in line with Article 38 of Regulation 2019/943.
- 4. The RCCs established by the TSOs in the Central Europe SOR and by the TSOs in the SWE SOR shall coordinate the bidding zone France in accordance with the cooperative processes pursuant to Article 38 of Regulation (EU) 2019/943.
- Bidding Zone borders adjacent to SEE SOR and Central Europe SOR
 - 1. The bidding zone borders adjacent to SEE SOR and Central Europe SOR is:
 - a-i.__Bulgaria-Romania (BG-RO), and which is integrated in the SEE SOR. ii. IT NORD - IT CNOR,
 - 2.b. The RCC established by the TSOs in the SEE SOR shall coordinate the BG-RO bidding zone border in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter
 - SEE Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 andet 21 of the CACM Regulation GL, and Article Articles 21, 10 of the FCA Regulation GL,
 - SEE methodology for coordinated redispatching and countertrading and SEE methodology for redispatching and countertrading cost sharing, pursuant to Articles 35 and 74 of the CACM Regulation,
 - SEE Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO RegulationGL,
 - Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO RegulationGL,
 - SEE Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO Regulation GL.
 - e.vi. cooperative processes established pursuant to Article for the tasks of regional relevance for the SEE SOR, and in line with other applicable cooperative processes developed in line with Article 38 of Regulation 2019/943.

Concerning the BG-RO bidding zone border and considering the related tasks listed in Article 37(1) of the Regulation 2019/943, the

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c. The RCC established by the TSOs in the SEE SOR shall coordinate:

- 3-i. the BG RO bidding zone border in accordance with the tasks of regional relevances for the SEE SOR pursuant to Article 35(1)(b) of Regulation (EU) 2019/943 and in cooperation with Transelectrica, which will have a through contractual relationship with the RCC established by TSOs in the SEE SOR, and
- The interface between SEE and the tasks Central SOR will be further clarified by cooperation between
 the RCCs established in both regions and by making best use of cross the regional agreements and
 structures within ENTSO-E.

Article 5

relevance together Consultation, with the RCCNRAs and relevant stakeholders

- <u>where the SOR definition includes BZ borders and transmission assets that span into a TSO(s) established by control area of a different SOR, the TSOs of Central Europe SOR, as necessary.</u>
- Concerning the IT NORD IT CNOR bidding zone border, the RCCthat SOR shall consult in the
 development of the applicable co-operative processes with all relevant stakeholders which will include,
 where required, the NRA(s) established byin the other TSOs in the SEE SOR shall coordinate crossregional aspects of the tasks listed in Article 37(1)centrol area.
 - 2.d. When clarifying cooperative processes in accordance with Article 38 of the Regulation 2019/943+ with the relevant RCC established by the TSOs of Central Europe SOR, as necessary the SOR shall describe the operational procedures to be applied for the existing grid. These procedures can describe also the foreseen evolution applicable in line with network or other legal developments. Otherwise, TSOs shall send updated coordination procedures to the affected NRAs when the network is developed or when there is a change of the regional applicable methodologies.
 - e. Where the tasks listed in Article 37(1) of the Regulation 2019/943 are relevant to the entire control area of Terna, the RCC established by the TSOs in the Central Europe SOR or the RCC established by the TSOs in the SEE SOR shall coordinate with Terna the execution of these tasks.

Article 6

Article 5 Implementation of the SORs Proposal

No later than ten months after the approval by ACER of this document, all TSOs of an SOR that is
neighbouring to a third country TSOs shall endeavour to conclude with the third country TSOs not
bound by the Regulation 2019/943 agreements setting the basis for their cooperation concerning
secure system operation and setting out arrangements for the compliance of the third country TSOs
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The SORs, as defined in this document,

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2. The TSOs shall apply the SORs as described in Article 3 as soon as the decision has been taken and published by ACER on its webpage, in accordance with Article 36(3) of the Regulation 2019/943 and published on ACER website.

Article <u>6</u>7 Language

The reference language for the document this Proposal, shall be English. For the avoidance of doubt, where TSOs need to translate this document Proposal, into their national language(s), in the event of inconsistencies between the English version published by ACER in accordance with Article 36(3) of the Electricity Regulation 2019/943 and any version in another language, the relevant TSOs shall, in accordance with national legislation, provide the relevant national regulatory authorities with an updated translation of the Proposal.

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Annex 1

Full list of TSOs, BZ and BZ borders in SOR defined in article 3

Where a SOR encompasses the European Economic Area, reference is made to the EEA Agreement.

Where a SOR neighbours both Union TSOs and Energy Community TSOs, all Union TSOs in that SOR shall endeavour to conclude with the Energy Community TSOs not bound by Regulation (EU) 2019/943 agreements setting forth the agreements for their compliance with, including but not limited to, all necessary technical procedures, governance structures and cost sharing obligations with the obligations set out in the aforementioned Regulation. These agreements shall be subject to NRAs' approval of the respective SOR.

1. Baltie SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ borders		
Baltic CCR	Baltic	LITGRID AB	L T	LT-PL		
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				LV EE		
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2. Nordic SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ borders
Nordic	Nordic	Energinet	DK1	DK1 SE3
			DK2	DK2-SE4
				DK1-DK2
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		Fingrid		SE1 FI
			SE1	SE3 FI
		Svenska Kraftnät	SE2	SE4 SE3
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3. IU SOR

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CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ borders
IU Channel	IU (3) Channel (4)	NGESO SONI EirGrid	GB SEM	GB-FR GB-NL GB-SEM GB-BE

4. Central Europe SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ-borders
Core	OCR based on	RTE	FR	FR-BE
	Core			BE NL
		ELIA	BE	FR DE/LU
Italy North	OCR based on	TenneT NL	NL	NL DE/LU
	Italy North	Territe TVE		BE DE/LU
		A	DE/LU	DE/LU-PL
		Amprion TranspetBW		DE/LU-CZ
		TenneT-DE		AT-CZ
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SEE	OCR based on SEE (6)	ESO IPTO OST NOS BIH CGES MEPSO EMS	BG GR AL BA ME MK RS	GR-BG BG-RO GR-AL GR-MK AL-ME AL-RS ME-BA ME-RS RS-BA GR-AL GR-MK BA-HR RS-HR RS-HU RS-RO RS-BG RS-MK
				BG-MK

6. GRIT SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ borders
GRIT	GRIT (7)	TERNA	IT NORD	IT NORD-IT CNOR
		IPTO	IT CNOR	IT CNOR IT CSUD
			IT CSUD	IT CNOR IT SARD
			IT SUD	IT SARD IT CUSD
			IT SICI	IT CSUD IT SUD
			IT SARD	IT SUD IT ROSN
			IT ROSN	IT ROSN IT SICI
				IT SUD-GR

7. SWE SOR

CCR	OCR	TSOs	BZ	BZ borders
SWE	SWE	RTE	FR	FR-ES
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Coordination of the bidding zone borders adjacent to SORs with full list of TSOs, BZ and BZ borders in SOR defined in article 4

Where a SOR encompasses the European Economic Area, reference is made to the EEA Agreement.

Where a SOR encompasses both Union TSOs and Energy Community TSOs, all Union TSOs in that SOR shall endeavour to conclude with the Energy Community TSOs not bound by Regulation (EU) 2019/943 agreements setting forth the agreements for their compliance with, including but not limited to, all necessary governance structures and cost sharing obligations with the obligations set out in the aforementioned Regulation. These agreements shall be subject to NRAs' approval of the respective SOR.

- 1. Bidding Zone borders adjacent to Baltic SOR and Nordic SOR
 - The bidding zone borders adjacent to Baltic SOR and Nordic SOR are:
 - a) Estonia Finland (EE FI)
 - b) Lithuania Sweden fourth bidding zone (LT-SE4)
 - 2. The RCC established by the TSOs of the Baltic SOR shall coordinate these bidding zone borders in ordance with applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - a) Baltic Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 21-10 of the FCA GL,
 - b) Baltic Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - e) Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d) Baltic Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - e) Cooperative processes established pursuant to Article 38 of Regulation 2019/943.
 - 3. The RCC established by the TSOs of the Baltic SOR shall allow Svenska Kraftnät and Fingrid to ticipate in the coordination of the borders through the RCC established by Nordic TSOs, which will have an agreement with the RCC established by Baltic TSOs.
- Bidding Zone borders adjacent to Baltic SOR and Central Europe SOR
 - The bidding zone border adjacent to Baltic SOR and Central Europe SOR is Lithuania Poland (LT PL).
 - The RCC established by the TSOs in the Baltic SOR shall coordinate the LT-PL bidding zone border in accordance with applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - a. Baltic Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 2110 of the FCA GL,
 - b. Baltic Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. Baltic Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - Moreover the RCC established by TSOs in the Baltic SOR shall coordinate the tasks of regional relevance for the Baltic SOR with regards to this border, in cooperation with PSE, which will have a contractual relationship with the RCC established by Baltic TSOs.
- 3. Bidding Zone borders adjacent to Nordic SOR and Central Europe SOR

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- 1. The bidding zone borders adjacent to Nordie SOR and Central Europe SOR are the bidding zone borders of Hansa CCR and
 - a. Norway 2 Netherlands (NO2-NL)
 - b. Norway 2 Germany/Luxembourg (NO2 DE/LU)
 - c. Sweden 4 Germany/Luxembourg (SE4 DE/LU)
- RCC established by the TSOs in Nordic SOR and RCC established by the TSOs in Central Europe SOR shall coordinate those bidding zone borders in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - Hansa Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 2110 of the FCA GL;
 - b. Hansa Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - e. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. the cooperative processes established for the interface between the Nordic SOR and the Central Europe SOR pursuant to Article 38 of the Regulation 2019/943.

4. Bidding Zone borders adjacent to IU SOR and Central Europe SOR

- The bidding zone borders adjacent to IU SOR and Central Europe SOR are the bidding zone borders
 of Channel CCR.
- The RCC established by the TSOs in the IU SOR and the RCC established by the TSOs in Central
 Europe shall coordinate those three bidding zone borders in accordance with the applicable terms,
 conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - a. Channel Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 et 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 21:10 of the FCA GL;
 - b. Channel Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - e. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. Channel Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - e. the cooperative processes established for the interface between the IU SOR and the Central Europe SOR pursuant to Article 38 of the Regulation 2019/943.

5. Bidding zone borders adajcent to GRIT SOR and Central Europe SOR

- Taking into account that bidding zone IT NORD is part of both SOR, the bidding zone borders
 adjacent to GRIT SOR and Central Europe SOR are:
 - a. the bidding zone borders of Italy North CCR, and the border Italy NORD Switzerland (IT NORD-CH), which are integrated in the Central Europe SOR, and
 - b. the border Italy NORD Italy CNORD (IT NORD-IT CNORD), which is integrated in the GRIT SOR.
- 2. The RCC established by the TSOs in Central Europe SOR shall coordinate the the bidding zone borders of Italy North CCR in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - a. Italy North Capacity Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 2110 of the FCA GL,
 - b. Italy North Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology applicable pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL
 - c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,

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- e. cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the Central Europe SOR with regards to this border.
- The RCC established by TSOs in the GRIT SOR shall coordinate the IT NORD-IT CNORD bidding
 zone border in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter
 alia:
 - a. GRIT Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 and 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 2110 of the FCA GL,
 - b. GRIT Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. GRIT Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - e. cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the GRIT SOR with regards to this border.
- The RCCs established by the TSOs in the Central Europe SOR and by the TSOs in the GRIT SOR shall coordinate the bidding zone Italy NORD in accordance with the cooperative processes pursuant to Article 38 of Regulation (EU) 2019/943.

6. Bidding zone borders adjacent to SEE SOR and GRIT SOR

- 1. The bidding zone borders adjacent to SEE SOR and GRIT SOR is the border IT SUD—GR and the border Italy Centre Sud—Montenegro (IT CSUD-ME) between Balkans countries and GRIT SOR.
- The RCC established by the TSOs in the GRIT SOR shall coordinate the adjacent bidding zone border
 in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - a. GRIT Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 et 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 2110 of the FCA GL,
 - b. GRIT Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. GRIT Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the GRIT SOR, and
 in line with other applicable cooperative processes developed in line with Article 38 of
 Regulation 2019/943.
- 3. As an interim solution, the interconnection between IT CSUD and ME is not assigned to any SORs. The coordination of the border shall be ensured through bilateral agreements between Terna and CGES. This proposal shall be reviewed at the latest when Montenegro will accommodate in its national law the rights and obligations in the electricity sector common to and binding on the Member States of the European Union.

7. Bidding Zone borders adjacent to SWE SOR and Central Europe SOR

- Taking into account that the BZ France is part of both SOR, the bidding zone borders adjacent to SWE SOR and Central Europe SOR are:
 - a. France Spain (FR ES), which is integrated in the SWE SOR, and

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- France Belgium (FR BE)
 - b. France Germany/Luxembourg (FR DE/LU)
 - c. France-Switzerland (FR-CH)
 - d. Italy NORD France (IT NORD FR), which are integrated in the Central Europe SOR.
- The RCC established by the TSOs in SWE SOR shall coordinate the FR ES bidding zone border in ordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies, covering inter alia:
 - a. SWE Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 et 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 2110 of the FCA GL,
 - b. SWE Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
 - c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
 - d. Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the SWE SOR, and in line with other applicable cooperative processes developed in line with Article 38 of Regulation 2019/943.
- 3. The RCC established by TSOs in Central Europe shall coordinate the FR-BE, FR-DE/LU, FR-CH and IT-NORD-FR bidding zone borders in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies covering inter alia:
 - a. CORE and North Italy Calculation Methodologies pursuant to Articles 20 et 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 2110 of the FCA GL and applicable agreements with Swissgrid,
 - b. CORE and North Italy Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL and applicable agreements with Swissgrid,
 - c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL [tbd FCA
 - d. Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
 - cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the Central SOR, and in line with other applicable cooperative processes pursuant to Article 35(1)(g) of Regulation 2019/943 or developed in line with Article 38 of Regulation 2019/943.
- The RCCs established by the TSOs in the Central Europe SOR and by the TSOs in the SWE SOR shall coordinate the bidding zone France in accordance with the cooperative processes pursuant to Article 38 of Regulation (EU) 2019/943.
- 8. Bidding Zone borders adjacent to SEE SOR and Central Europe SOR
 - 1. The bidding zone borders adjacent to SEE SOR and Central Europe SOR are :
 - a. Bulgaria-Romania (BG-RO), which is integrated in the SEE SOR.
 - The bidding zone borders between the Balkan countries and the Central Europe SOR are:
 - i. Croatia-Bosnia (HR-BA)
 - ii. Croatia-Serbia (HR-RS)
 - iii. Hungary Serbia (HU RS)
 - iv. Romania Serbia (RO RS)
 - The RCC established by the EU TSOs in the SEE SOR shall coordinate the BG RO bidding zone border in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies covering inter alia:

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- a. SEE Calculation Methodology pursuant to Articles 20 et 21 of the CACM GL and Articles 21 10 of the FCA GL,
- b. SEE Coordinated Security Analysis Methodology pursuant to Article 76 of the SO GL,
- c. Common Grid Model Methodology pursuant to Articles 67 and 70 of the SO GL,
- d. Regional Outage Coordination according to Article 80 of the SO GL,
- cooperative processes established for the tasks of regional relevance for the SEE SOR, and in line with other applicable cooperative processes developed in line with Article 38 of Regulation 2019/943.
- The RCC established by the EU TSOs in the SEE SOR shall coordinate the BG RO bidding zone
 border in accordance with the tasks of regional relevance for the SEE SOR pursuant to Article
 35(1)(b) of Regulation (EU) 2019/943 and in cooperation with Transelectrica through contractual
 relationship.
- 4. The RCC established by the EU TSOs in the SEE SOR and the RCC established by TSOs in the Central Europe SOR shall coordinate their proposals in line with the cooperative processes established in line with Article 38 Regulation 2019/943.
- 5. The interface between SEE and the Central SOR will be further clarified by cooperation between the RCCs established in both regions and by making best use of the regional agreements and structures within ENTSO-E.
- 9. Bidding zone border adjacent to IU SOR and Nordic SOR future definition

This interface will relate to a HVDC link between Norway (NO2) and GB, currently under construction. Such interface is subject to a future CCR and SOR allocation. The interface will be managed in accordance with the applicable terms, conditions and methodologies.

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Annex 3 List of acronynms

APG Austrian Power Grid AG

Vorarlberger Übertragungsnetz GmbH **VUEN**

OST OST sh.a - Albanian Transmission System Operator

Nezavisni operator sustava u Bosni i Hercegovini **NOS BIH**

Elia System Operator SA

ESO Electroenergien Sistemen Operator EAD

Swissgrid Swissgrid ag

ČEPS ČEPS a.s.

TransnetBW TransnetBW GmbH

TenneT DE TenneT TSO GmbH

Amprion Amprion GmbH

50Hertz **50Hertz Transmission GmbH**

Energinet Energinet

Elering Elering AS

Red Eléctrica de España S.A. REE

Fingrid Fingrid Oyj

Réseau de Transport d'Electricité RTE

NG-ESO **National Grid ESO**

System Operator for Northern Ireland Ltd SONI

IPTO Independent Power Transmission Operator S.A.

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HOPS HOPS d.o.o.

MAVIR Magyar Villamosenergia-ipari Átviteli Rendszerirányító Zártkörűen Működő-Részvénytársaság MAVIR ZRt.

EirGrid EirGrid plc

Landsnet Landsnet hf

Terna Rete Elettrica Nazionale SpA

Litgrid Litgrid AB

Creos Luxembourg S.A. Creos

AS Augstsprieguma tīkls AST

Crnogorski elektroprenosni sistem AD

Transmission System Operator of the Republic of North Macedonia **MEPSO**

TenneT NL TenneT TSO B.V.

Statnett Statnett SF

Polskie Sieci Elektroenergetyczne S.A.

REN Rede Eléctrica Nacional, S.A.

Transelectrica C.N. Transelectrica S.A.

Akcionarsko društvo Elektromreža Srbije **EMS**

Svenska Svenska Kraftnät Kraftnät

ELES ELES, d.o.o.

SEDS Slovenská elektrizačná prenosová sústava, a.s.

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