



COMMUNICATION TOWARDS MARKET PARTIES

WORKSHOP 01/09 - Launch of the new Belgian-French & Belgian-Dutch Intraday solution

As communicated on the 1st August 2016, Elia, RTE and TenneT will offer capacities through the M7 intraday trading platform. « M7¹ » is today used for the EPEX SPOT intraday markets in Germany, France, Austria and Switzerland and is planned to be extended to the Netherlands and Belgium during the second half of September 2016, subject to successful testing and regulatory approval. This market coupling project is referred to as the “Intraday Quick-Wins”. In respect of this intraday solution we are holding a workshop to ensure a smooth transition and provide market parties the opportunity to ask questions.

Workshop

As announced on the 1st August 2016, the Project Parties invite you to join us on the 1st September 2016 for a workshop on the launch of this new Intraday solution. This joint workshop aims to ensure a smooth transition and provide market parties with the opportunity to ask questions with regards to the introduction of the new Intraday solution on the Belgian-Dutch and Belgian-French bidding zone borders.

Location: Elia Headquarters, Boulevard de l'Empereur 20, 1000 Brussels, Belgium

Date: 1st of September 2016

Time: 10:00 – 16:00

Agenda:

1. Introduction [10:00 – 10:15]
2. Changes TSO side – switch to ICS [10:15 – 10:45]
3. Changes PX side – switch to M7 [10:45 – 12:30]
4. Lunch break [12:30 – 13:15]
5. Changes Clearing House side [13:15 – 13:45]
6. Go – live [13:45 – 14:30]
7. Fallback on the BE-FR border [14:30 – 15:00]
8. Contacts and documentation [15:00 – 15:15]
9. Questions [15:15 – 16:00]

Please confirm your attendance to the following email address by Wednesday 31st of August 2016 – noon : Rebecca.Lannau@elia.be

Please note that it is important for us to have a clear idea on attendance numbers.

Information on Intraday solution

Amsterdam / Brussels / Paris – The transmission system operators, Elia in Belgium, RTE in France and TenneT BV in The Netherlands, together with the Power Exchanges APX in The Netherlands, Belpex in Belgium and EPEX SPOT in France, launch the implicit Intraday cross-border capacity allocation through the allocation platform on the bidding zone borders

¹ “M7” (ex-“ComXerv”) trading platform, connected to the “Intraday capacity service” (ICS) platform from Deutsche Börse AG (DBAG) used by TSOs for the intraday capacity allocation.



Belgium-France and Belgium-The Netherlands starting at the end of September 2016 (target date to be confirmed in late August).

From this date on, the intraday capacity for the Belgian-French and Belgian-Dutch bidding zone border will be allocated implicitly via 24 gates per day through the M7 trading platform on both bidding zone borders, with 1 hour of neutralization lead-time, for which the market participants can request the available capacity.

After the launch of the new Belgian-French and Belgian-Dutch Intraday solution, the Dutch and Belgian markets will be implicitly connected to the French and German, Swiss and Austrian intraday markets to further improve liquidity in the intraday market.

From the launch of the new Belgian-French and Belgian-Dutch Intraday solution, the explicit intraday capacity allocation existing on the Belgian-French bidding zone border will no longer be available during normal allocation. An explicit intraday allocation will remain available as fall back for the Belgian-French bidding zone border. This fallback solution will be operated by ELIA, on behalf ELIA and RTE.

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