Annex 4: Policy on Coordinated Operational Planning

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# Introduction

This document is part of the Synchronous Area Framework Agreement for the Synchronous Area CE, constituting the Synchronous Area Operational Agreement as defined in SO GL Article 118.

This Policy makes reference in its Part A to the requirements set up in:

* Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/1485 of 02 August 2017 establishing a guideline on electricity transmission system operation (SO GL);
* the coordinated security analysis methodology developed pursuant to Article 75 and the relevance of asset for outage coordination methodology developed pursuant to Article 84 of the SO GL, expected to be approved first semester of 2019 by all NRAs;
* the methodology for the building of individual and common grid models developed pursuant to Article 67(1) and 70(1), approved by all NRAs.

It additionally introduces some additional operational requirements in Part C.

CGM MVS contract (signed in 2017) provides for the development of the governance framework for the building process, and for data quality monitoring of individual and common grid models.

# Methodologies, conditions and values subject to all regulatory authorities approval

The following section includes all methodologies, conditions and values jointly developed by all TSOs from the CE SA or at pan-EU level relative to coordination of operational planning activities and which are subject to approval by all regulatory authorities according to Article 6(3) of the SO GL.

## Common grid model methodology

The Parties agree that the document “*All TSOs’ proposal for a common grid model methodology in accordance with Articles 67(1) and 70(1) of Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/1485 of 02 August 2017 establishing a guideline on electricity transmission system operation*” that has been approved according to Article 5 of SO GL on 22 February 2018, submitted for approval to the NRAs in accordance with Article 6 (2) of SO GL and that all NRAs have agreed to approve on 11 June 2018 in accordance with Article 6 (7) of SO GL is accepted by all Parties.

## Coordinated security analysis methodology

The Parties agree that the document “*All TSOs’ proposal for a methodology for coordinating operational security analysis in accordance with Article 75 of Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/1485 of 2 August 2017 establishing a guideline on electricity transmission system operation*” that has been approved by ACER with decisions 07/2019 of 19 June 2019 and 07/2021 of 14 June 2021, is accepted by all Parties and is an integral part of this Agreement.

## Relevance of assets for outage coordination methodology

The Parties agree that the document “*All TSOs’ proposal for a methodology for assessing the relevance of assets for outage coordination in accordance with Article 84 of Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/1485 of 2 August 2017 establishing a guideline on electricity transmission system operation*” that has been approved by ACER with decision 08/2019 of 19 June 2019, is accepted by all Parties and is an integral part of this Agreement.

# Methodologies, conditions and values subject to approval by all TSOs

The Parties acknowledge that at the moment of entry into force of the Agreement there is no obligation arising from the SO GL to develop Part B within the subject scope of Policy on Coordinated Operational Planning.