

CEER and ACER Perspectives on Integration of Renewables

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- CEER work on RES support schemes and integration of wind over several years (pre-ACER and ongoing)
- Focus at Forence Forum welcome
- Key findings of our work include:
 - bring RES closer to market arrangements (meaning active participation, level playing field, not necessarily particular structure e.g. premium FIT scheme)
 - predictability key to investment
 - welcome exploration of joint support arrangements
 - alignment of connection arrangements and charging as well as market issues such as gate closure, not just support schemes
 - market integration, increased interconnection, smarter grids and responsive demand can all help integrate renewables

- ACER coordinates NRAs whose objectives include facilitating renewables integration and access Electricity Directive, Article 36(d) and (e)
- ACER monitoring of renewables access to network and opinion on TYNDP
- ACER's work and Framework Guideline objectives* recognise importance of renewable integration
- Early Framework Guidelines address key market and technical areas – e.g. including intraday and now balancing, FG on grid connection and system operation

*The network code(s) developed according to these Framework Guidelines will be evaluated by ACER, taking into account their degree of compliance with these Guidelines and the fulfilment of the following objectives: maintaining security of supply, supporting the completion and functioning of the internal market in electricity and cross-border trade, including delivering benefits to the customers and facilitating the EU's targets for penetration of renewable generation.

Thank you for your attention.