



GEODE COMMENTS ON ERGEG EUROPEAN REGULATORS 2010 WORK PROGRAMME

GEODE, the European association representing the interest of energy distribution companies welcomes **ERGEG European Regulators 2010 Work Programme**.

GEODE supports **ERGEG's** 2010 Work Programme and manifests its will to contribute in the European Regulators work. **GEODE** offers information exchange and advice to **ERGEG** in whatever way is necessary to pursue their objectives.

GEODE will be following with especial interest the **ERGEG Advice on intelligent energy networks (smart grids) (EWG)** and will actively participate if there is a public consultation, workshop or hearing toward this subject in 2010. **GEODE** considers intelligent energy networks, networks designing and the regulatory framework as one of its priorities.

GEODE will follow as well with especial concerns the **ERGEG Guidelines of Good Practice on regulatory aspects of smart metering for electricity and gas (CWG)**, to find guidance for the industry on intelligent meters, the smart meter system requirements for consumer active participation on electricity and gas retail markets, and EU legislations requirements in terms of frequency and interoperability.

GEODE is very actively working on Smart Metering issues, and is going to publish a report on Smart Metering System at the end of November this year.

Other subjects of interest will be among others:

- Pilot Framework Guideline on electricity grid connection (EWG).
- Input to the Framework Guideline on capacity allocation and congestions management (EWG).
- Input to the Framework Guideline on operational security (EWG).
- ERGEG Advice on the 10 –Year electricity network development plan (EWG).
- Input of the Framework Guideline on transparency in electricity (EWG).
- CEER Guideline of Good Practice on harmonised surveys on quality of electricity supply (EWG).
- Pilot Framework Guideline on CAM & CMP and Draft Comitology Guideline (GWG)
- ERGEG Guideline of Good Practice on CAM & CMP to storage facilities (GWG)
- Input to the Framework Guideline on gas balancing rules (GWG)
- ERGEG Advice on best practice applied in all types of LNG terminals regarding congestions management procedures, anti-hoarding measures and notices periods (GWG).
- ERGEG Response to GTE+'s 10-year network development plan based on CEER model-based analysis (GWG).
- ERGEG Guideline of Good Practice on retail market monitoring (CWG)
- Status Review on the ERGEG Regional Initiatives.

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