

CEER hearing on the draft advice on the take-off of a demand response electricity market with smart meters

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Introduction

Intelligent metering systems promoted in the 3rd Package;

- to promote energy efficiency and demand-side management measures,
- to ensure active participation of customers in the market,
- and in line with the aim of promoting the development of smart grids and the increased use of renewable energy sources.

To reach active participation the customers must be able to react and adjust their consumption or to be able to inject electricity.

Demand response is the tool for adjusting consumption and injection.

Timetable

- **11th February:** CEER Workshop
- **February – April:** Drafting consultation document
- **4th May – 21st June:** Public Consultation
- **2nd September:** CEER hearing
- **October:** Publication of final document & presentation of final advice at London Forum

Consultation Paper

- 21 questions relating to:
 - Key stakeholders
 - Definition of demand response
 - Customer protection
 - Offers reflecting actual consumption
 - Interface with the home
 - National point of contact
 - Privacy & security

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Consultation Respondents

A total of 45 respondents provided comments and these can be divided into the following groups;

- 1 response from consumer associations,
- 10 responses from energy companies,
- 10 responses from grid operators,
- 12 responses from industry associations,
- 5 responses from metering equipment & IT-providers,
- 7 responses from research and consultancy firms.

Consultation Responses

Format of responses: Agree, Disagree & Comment.

Summary of responses

- Broad agreement with the proposals set out in the consultation paper.
- Some areas where respondents disagreed with the CEER proposals.

Issues Raised

- 1) Question 3 - Market Monitoring
- 2) Question 7 - DSOs role regarding offers reflecting actual consumption patterns
- 3) Question 18 & 19 - National Point of Contact

Thank you for your attention!

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