



- Institutional Aspects of Legislation under the 3rd Energy Package

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Overview

- **New Institutional Framework**
 - » National Regulatory Authorities
 - » ACER
 - » ENTSOs
 - » EU Commission
- **More Cooperation**
 - » Cooperation Inside EU
 - » Cooperation Outside EU
- **Harmonisation**
 - » Framework Guidelines
 - » Network Codes
 - » Priority setting



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● **New Institutional Framework**

- » National Regulatory Authorities
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● National Regulatory Authorities (NRAs)

- **More Independence**
- **Tasks and duties**
- **Coordination between NRA's**

● Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators (ACER)

- **Tasks as regards NRA's**
- **Tasks as regards ENTSOs**
- **Own decision Making Powers**
- **Key Role in Legislative Process (Framework Guidelines, Opinions on Network codes)**

- **European Networks for Transmission System Operators (ENTSOs)**
 - **Elaboration of Network Codes**
 - **Adoption of Common Network Tools for coordination of network operation**
 - **10 Year network Development Plan**

● The EU Commission

- **Guardian of the Treaty**
- **Role regarding ACER , ENTSO and NRAs**
- **Role regarding « legislative process »**
- **Own guidelines (e.g. ITC)**
- **Exemptions for Cross Border Infrastructure: verification**

Exemptions New Infrastructure

- **Purpose**
- **Role of ACER and COM**
- **Substantive Conditions**
In particular:
 - **Investment must enhance competition;**
 - **Level of risk;**
 - **At least legal infrastructure separation;**
 - **Exemption not detrimental to competition or effective functioning of Internal Market.**



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● More Cooperation

- » Cooperation inside EU
- » Cooperation outside EU

● Cooperation within EU

- Cooperation between Member States: see also new Gas SoS Regulation
- Cooperation between NRAs
- Cooperation between TSOs
- ACER

● Cooperation outside EU

- The Internal Market and Third Countries
 - » Energy Community
 - » European Economic Area
 - » Bilateral EU Agreements

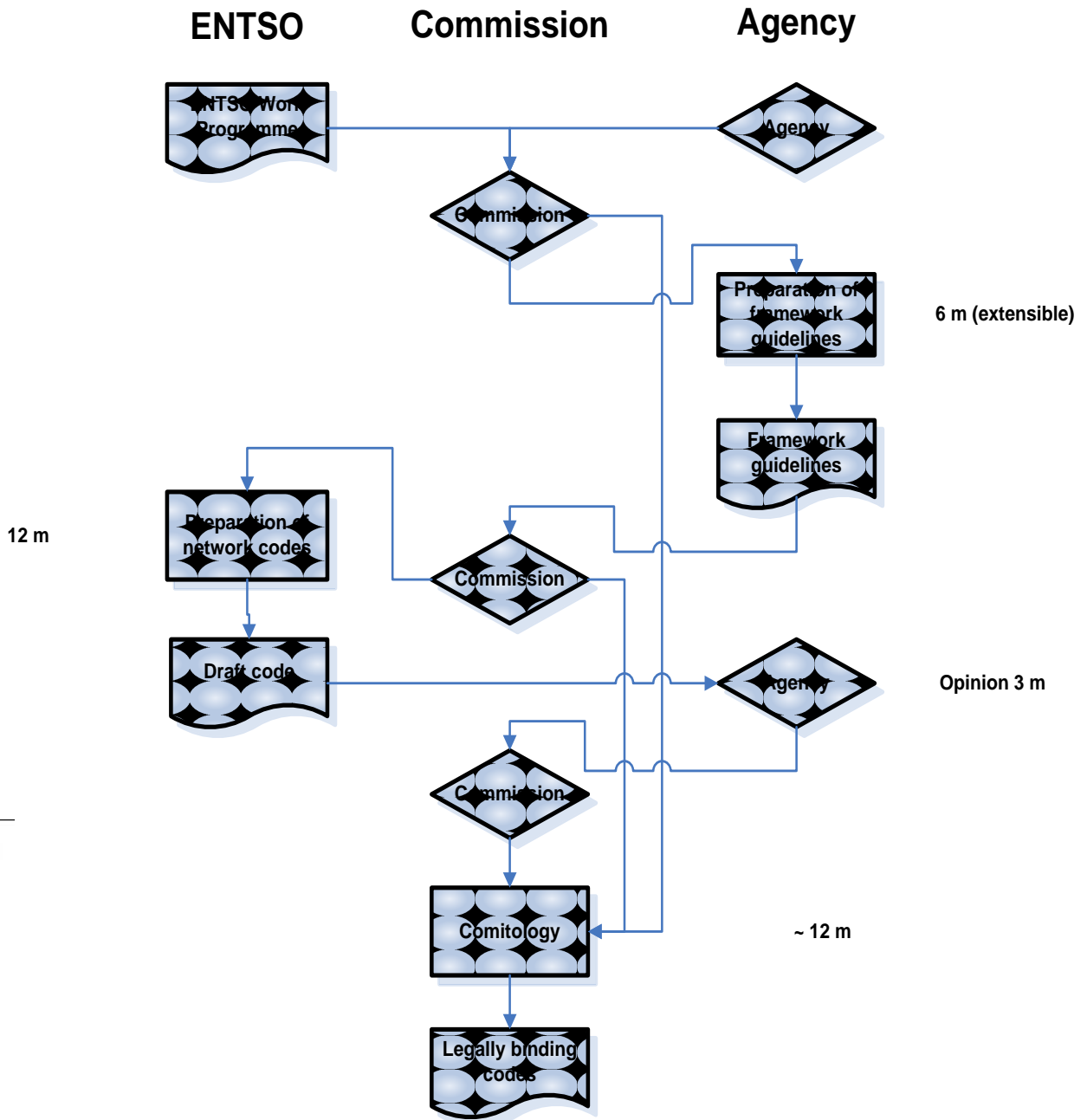


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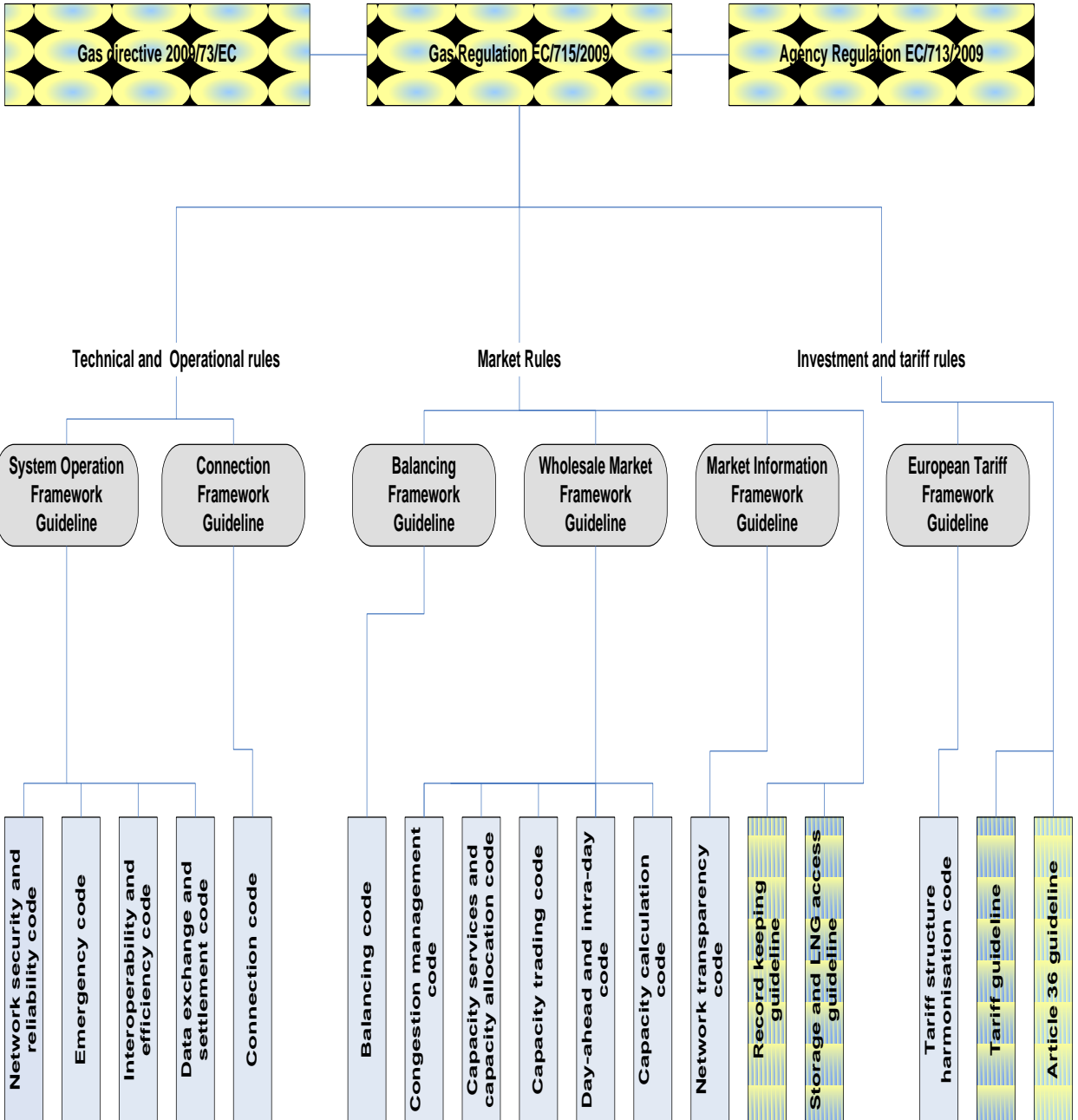
● **Development of EU Grid Code**

- » Framework Guidelines
- » Network Codes
- » 3 Year Plan

Framework Guidelines and Network Codes



European Gas Rules



European Electricity Rules

