



Trading and Settlement Code Modifications Committee C/O Marie-Therese Campbell SMO Modifications Committee Secretariat The Oval 160 Shelbourne Rd Dublin 4

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SEM Committee Decision for the Regulatory Authorities in relation to Mod_14_09 (Recommendation Report FRR_14_09)

Dear Marie-Therese,

On 1 May 2009, the Modifications Committee submitted its Modification Recommendation Report with regard to a Modification Proposal, Mod_14_09 (Use of Forecast Demand), in accordance with paragraph 2.231 of the SEM Trading and Settlement Code (the Code).

This Modification Proposal, raised by the System Operators, seeks to clarify the use of the Four Day Load Forecast Data in the Ex Ante Indicative MSP Software Runs.

The SEM Committee notes that the Modifications Committee determines that this modification will better facilitate the Code Objective 'to provide transparency in the operation of the Single Electricity Market' and that it voted unanimously to recommend the Modification to the Regulatory Authorities (RAs). The SEM Committee further notes that the Modifications Committee recommends that Mod_14_09 should be implemented on a Trading Day basis on the next Working Day after the decision is made.

Considering the above, and in accordance with paragraph 2.218 of the Code, the SEM Committee decides that a modification be made in accordance with the Final Recommendation Report of the Modifications Committee (FRR_14_09), for the avoidance of doubt, based upon the legal drafting set out in Appendix 1 of that report. The Regulatory Authorities therefore direct that the modification as set out in FRR_14_09 be made on a Trading Day basis with effect from the next Working Day after the date of this letter.

Yours sincerely.

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