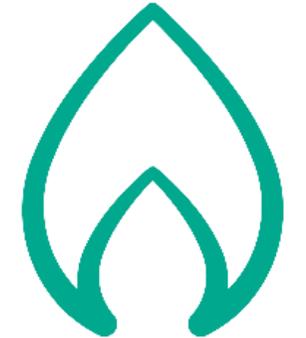
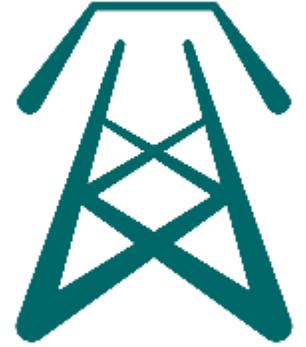


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# MNA Changes in Balancing Market

Presentation to the Modifications Committee



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## Overview

As part of the Strategic Markets Programme (SMP) the Balancing Market is being adapted to facilitate the introduction of Multi -Nemo Arrangements (MNAs) in the coupled day ahead and intraday markets (SDAC and SIDC). This will drive changes to the existing Balancing Market systems; Market Management System (MMS) and the Counterparty Settlement and Billing Platform (CSB). Ex-Ante market coupling-will also require the accession of the SEM-FR border to the Core Capacity Calculation Region to support cross border capacity allocation on the Celtic Interconnector by the NEMOs.

## Balancing Market Changes

- The Market Management system will require changes to the integration platform to enable multiple NEMOs to submit the local nominations and Cross border nominations for the Ex-Ante markets
- Registration in the MMS will be adapted to enable participating parties to register for one or more NEMOs
- The CSB system will be adapted to receive local and cross border nominations for multiple NEMOs
- The QEX calculation will be updated to enable one or many NEMOs nominations to be included in the calculation
- Screens and displays will be added to enable the operator to view trades for Day ahead and intraday

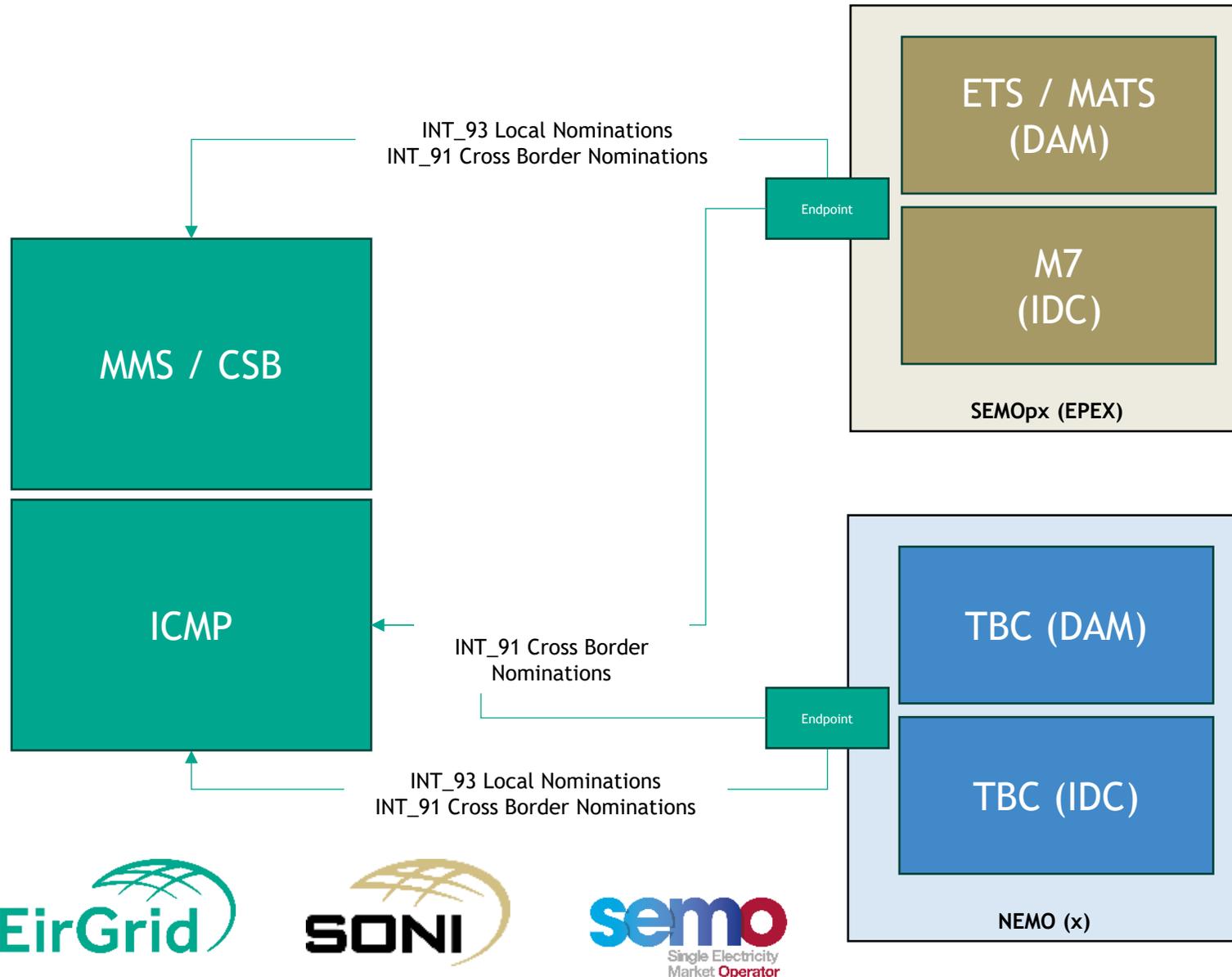
## Delivery of Change

The required changes are being delivered in conjunction with relevant vendors:

Release	System	Vendor	Delivery Timeline	Vendor Effort	Comment
R1C	MMS / CSB	Hitachi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Build &amp; FAT: Q3 &amp; Q4 2025</li> <li>• SAT &gt; UAT: Q1 &amp; Q2 2026</li> </ul>	Medium	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Delivery timeline &amp; effort shared here reflect only the TSO changes for MNA. After this phase there will be a phase of testing with NEMOs.</li> </ul>
R1D	ICMP	Unicorn	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Build &amp; FAT: Q3 &amp; Q4 2025</li> <li>• SAT &gt; UAT: Q1 &amp; Q2 2026</li> </ul>	Medium	



# NEMO integration changes to the Balancing Market



## Summary

- MMS will be configured to receive local and cross border nominations for multiple NEMOs
- A REST API service will be developed to enable connection between NEMOS and downstream systems
- Cross border nominations will be required in the ICMP platform to support the dispatch and scheduling of the Celtic IC

