

IDC_OTH_02: Internal and External Communications

Remarks

As a general principle, all the Internal and External Communication messages are originally sent by the MC Service Provider to the NEMO.

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1. Introduction

This procedure aims at describing the principles, the content and the parties involved in the joint IDC messages that need to be sent when the Market Coupling Results publication is delayed or during some particular market situations or technical incidents.

All the timings included in this procedure are expressed as CET timings.

In all messages (internal (ALPEX_InC) and external (ALPEX_ExC)).

1.1. Governed / Regulated by

- Intraday Auction Coupling Operations Agreement (IDCOA)
- NEMO -MC Service Provider Procedures

1.2. Tools and Communication protocols

- Emails

1.3. Associated procedures

- IDC_FAL_01: Incident Management
- IDC_FAL_02: Full Decoupling

2. Procedure

2.1. NEMO – MC Service Provider Communications

2.1.1. Communication principles

Formal written communication common to IDC is based on the NEMO – MC Service Provider procedure.

Therefore, the common content of these official messages is part of the NEMO – MC Service Provider Procedure, while the specific details that can be added by the NEMO part of the relevant provision.

Official communications are initiated by the MC Service Provider and may be adapted and forwarded by the NEMO according to NEMO - MC Service Provider Procedure.

Formal written communication consists of two general types of email messages, as described below:

○ “Internal Communication messages” (ALPEX_InC):

Internal messages define the communication flow from the MC Service Provider via the NEMO towards the corresponding TSOs and other relevant stakeholders that have been duly appointed by the IDC Parties.

These messages are for internal use only and shall not be forwarded to the Exchange Members.

○ “External Communication messages” [ALPEX_ExC]:

External messages define the communication flow from the MC Service Provider via the NEMO towards the corresponding TSOs, Exchange Members, and other relevant stakeholders that have been duly appointed by the IDC Parties.

Before forwarding these messages received from the MC Service Provider, NEMO may adapt them according to their relevant provision.

2.1.2. Distribution list

NEMO will forward the external and internal communication messages according to the local distribution lists and procedures.

2.1.3. NEMO – MC Service Provider Messages overview

The following tables provide a list of all the internal and external messages that will be forwarded by the NEMO during a Market Coupling incident as well as the times they are expected to be sent. The forwarding of the messages from the MC Service Provider to NEMO and subsequently from NEMO to the TSOs and Exchange Members will be done on a best effort basis, as soon as possible, but not later than ■ minutes after the corresponding Sending Time.

Table 1 - NEMO – MC Service Provider Internal Communication messages forwarded by NEMO to their TSOs

Market Segment	Message ID	Internal message name	Sending time	Procedures involved
CRIDA 1	ALPEX_InC_01	Join in IC	■	IDC_Fal_01 IDC_Fal_02
CRIDA 2			■	
CRIDA 3			■	
CRIDA 1	ALPEX_InC_01	Join in IC	■	IDC_Fal_01 IDC_Fal_02
CRIDA 2			■	
CRIDA 3			■	

2.1.4. External Communication between NEMO – MC Service Provider

Table 2 - NEMO – MC Service Provider External Communication messages forwarded by NEMO to their TSOs.

Market Segment	Message ID	External message name	Deadline	Procedures involved
CRIDA 1	ALPEX_Exc_02	Delay in Market Coupling Results publication	■	IDC_FAL_02
CRIDA 2				
CRIDA 3				
CRIDA 1	ALPEX_Exc_03b	Further delay of the Market Coupling Session and the risk of Full Decoupling	■	IDC_FAL_02
CRIDA 2		Further delay of the Market Coupling Session and the risk of Full Decoupling	■	IDC_FAL_02
CRIDA 3		Further delay of the Market Coupling Session and the risk of Full Decoupling	■	IDC_FAL_02
CRIDA 1	ALPEX_Exc_04b	Full Decoupling	■	IDC_FAL_02
CRIDA 2		Full Decoupling	■	IDC_FAL_02
CRIDA 3		Full Decoupling	■	IDC_FAL_02
CRIDA 1	ALPEX_Exc_05b	Full Decoupling known in advance	■	IDC_FAL_02
CRIDA 2		Full Decoupling known in advance	■	IDC_FAL_02
CRIDA 3		Full Decoupling known in advance	■	IDC_FAL_02
CRIDA 1	ALPEX_Exc_06b	Cancellation	■	IDC_FAL_02

ALPEX_Exc_02: Delay in Market Coupling Results publication

If the positive Preliminary Global Confirmation has not been generated by [REDACTED] for CRIDA-1, by [REDACTED] for CRIDA-2 and by [REDACTED] (D) for CRIDA-3, the MC Service Provider will send the external message *ALPEX_Exc_02* to NEMOs in order to communicate the possible delay.

This message shall **never be forwarded** to the Exchange Members before [REDACTED] for CRIDA 1, by [REDACTED] for CRIDA 2 and by [REDACTED] (D)

If the positive Preliminary Global Confirmation is generated between [REDACTED] for CRIDA 1, between [REDACTED] for CRIDA 2 and between [REDACTED] (D), NEMO will **not** forward this message and the Market Coupling Session continues as normal.

If the positive Preliminary Global Confirmation is still not generated by [REDACTED] for CRIDA 1, by [REDACTED] for CRIDA 2 and by [REDACTED] (D) for CRIDA 3, NEMO may adapt and forward this message to their Exchange Members, TSOs or other relevant stakeholders.

ALPEX_Exc_03b: Further delay of the Market Coupling Session

If the final Market Coupling Results are still not published due to technical problems [REDACTED] minutes before (the deadline for the Full Decoupling Case 1) or if the issue that might trigger a Full Decoupling in advance has not yet been solved by [REDACTED] minutes before (the deadline for the Full Decoupling Case 3), the MC Service Provider will send the external message *ALPEX_Exc_03b* to NEMO in order to communicate the risk of a Full Decoupling.

The same message will be sent for both Full Decoupling cases, before the corresponding deadline indicated in Table 2 in the Messages Overview section.

NEMOs may adapt and forward this message to their Exchange Members, TSOs or other relevant stakeholders.

Message title:

[ALPEX_Exc_03b]: Further delay of the Market Coupling Session

Sending time:

The message *ALPEX_Exc_03b* should be sent by the MC Service Provider and NEMO may forward it [REDACTED] minutes before the relevant Full Decoupling case, as follows.

- in case of risk of Full Decoupling Case 1

ALPEX_Exc_04b: Full Decoupling related to Market Coupling Results

If the final Market Coupling Results are still not published by [REDACTED] for CRIDA 1, by [REDACTED] for CRIDA 2 and by [REDACTED] (D) for CRIDA 3 (the Full Decoupling Deadline of Case [REDACTED]), the IC will declare Full Decoupling and the MC Service Provider will send the external message *ALPEX_Exc_04b* to NEMO in order to communicate the Full Decoupling.

NEMO may adapt and forward this message to their exchange members, TSOs, ~~CAO~~.

Message title:

[ALPEX_Exc_04b]: Full Decoupling

Sending time:

MC Service Provider will send and NEMO will forward this message by [REDACTED] for CRIDA-1, by [REDACTED] for CRIDA-2 and by [REDACTED] (D) for CRIDA-3 (Full Decoupling Deadline Case [REDACTED]).

Message content:

Due to technical reasons or market issues, the whole price coupled area is fully decoupled.

Please follow the local auction rules of NEMO.

ALPEX_Exc_04b: Full Decoupling related to late submission of cross-zonal capacities.

If the cross-zonal capacities are still not submitted by [REDACTED] for CRIDA-2 and by [REDACTED] (D) for CRIDA-3 (the Full Decoupling Deadline of Case [REDACTED]), the IC will declare Full Decoupling and the MC Service Provider will send the external message ALPEX_Exc_04b to NEMO in order to communicate the Full Decoupling.

NEMO may adapt and forward this message to their exchange members, TSOs, CAO.

Message title:

[ALPEX_Exc_04b]: Full Decoupling

Sending time:

MC Service Provider will send, and NEMO will forward this message by [REDACTED] for CRIDA-2 and by [REDACTED] (D) for CRIDA-3 (Full Decoupling Deadline Case [REDACTED]).

Message content:

Due to technical reasons or market issues, the whole price coupled area is fully decoupled.

Please follow the local auction rules of NEMO.

ALPEX_Exc_05b: Full Decoupling known in advance

In order to communicate consistently to the relevant stakeholders (NRAs, TSOs, CAO and Exchange Members) and on a common press release regarding the full decoupling.

As soon as the IC declares the Full Decoupling known in advance, MC Service Provider will send external message ALPEX_Exc_05b to NEMO.

This message may be forwarded by NEMO to exchange members, TSOs, CAO.

Message title:

[ALPEX_Exc_05b]: Full Decoupling known in advance

Sending time:

The *Full Decoupling known in advance* message is sent by MC Service Provider and forwarded by NEMO as soon as the IC declares the Full Decoupling known in advance but by no later than [REDACTED].

Message content:

Due to severe issues that persist after the Full Decoupling of the previous Market Coupling Session, the **entire price coupled area will remain fully decoupled for delivery day DD.MM.YYYY as well.**

Please follow the local auction rules of each NEMO

Note:

MC Service Provider will replace the timing in the text of the communication as follows:

DD.MM.YYYY with the corresponding delivery day (e.g. 20.05.2024)

ALPEX_Exc_06b: Cancellation of CRIDA 1, related to late submission of cross-zonal capacities.

If the cross-zonal capacities are still not submitted at [REDACTED] for CRIDA 1 (the Cancellation of Case [REDACTED]), the IC will declare Cancellation and the NEMO will send the external message ALPEX_Exc_06b, to TSO in order to communicate the Cancellation.

NEMO may adapt and forward this message to their exchange members.

Message title:

[ALPEX_Exc_06b]: Cancellation of CRIDA 1

Sending time:

NEMO will send this message by [REDACTED] for CRIDA-1 Cancellation.

Message content:

Due to technical reasons or market issues, the CRIDA-1 is cancelled.