

Technical Rule no. 22 MGAS

(under Article 4 of the Natural-Gas Market Rules, approved with the Decree of the Ministry of Economic Development of 6 March 2013, as subsequently amended and supplemented)

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| Title | Communication of the ACER code |
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| Reference Legislation | Article 18, para. 18.7 of the Natural-Gas Market Rules (MGAS Rules) |
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1. FOREWORD

Article 18, para. 18.7 of the MGAS Rules provides that, with a view to submitting bids/offers into the market, Market Participants shall communicate the data and information referred to in Article 17, para. 17.2 l) of the same Rules (i.e. the ACER code), in accordance with the provisions of the Technical Rules. If such data has already been communicated to GME, Market Participants shall be exempted from communicating it, as indicated in the Technical Rules.

2. OBLIGATION TO COMMUNICATE THE ACER CODE

The ACER code shall be communicated by filling in the appropriate webform available at <https://ompr.ipex.it/OmprWa/ContractForm/Index> on the Organised Marketplace Reporting Platform (hereafter OMPR Platform). Through this Platform, GME fulfils the obligation of reporting to ACER the data and information concerning the operations carried out by Market Participants on the markets, as set forth in REMIT.

In particular, in the webform, the Market Participant shall specify:

- his/her/its ACER code;
- the name and details of his/her/its OMPR contact person, i.e. the person designated for OMPR communications;
- the names and details of his/her/its OMPR users (max 3 users), i.e. the persons authorised to access the OMPR Platform on his/her/its behalf.

After completing the webform, the Market Participant shall print it, have it signed by the legal representative, and send it to GME's certified e-mail address gme@pec.mercatoelettrico.org or, only for foreign Market Participants not having a certified e-mail address, to GME's e-mail address posta.gme@mercatoelettrico.org.

After receiving such communication and verifying its regularity, GME shall send to each OMPR user the login details for access to the OMPR Platform, under the procedure indicated in the OMPR User Manual, available in the OMPR section of GME's website (www.mercatoelettrico.org).

In addition to the procedure for the first access to the OMPR Platform, the OMPR User Manual provides indications on how to query the data and information reported by GME to ACER, and describes the other features available on the OMPR Platform.

3. EXEMPTION FROM THE OBLIGATION TO COMMUNICATE THE ACER CODE

If Market Participants have already communicated their ACER code to GME with a view to submitting bids/offers into markets/platforms other than the Natural Gas Market and for which they are required, under REMIT, to report data and information about the operations made therein/thereon, they shall be exempted from the obligation to communicate the ACER code.

4. CHANGE OF PREVIOUSLY COMMUNICATED DATA AND INFORMATION

Under article 20, para. 20.1 of the MGAS Rules, if Market Participants wish to change the ACER code and/or the data and information concerning their OMPR contact person and/or OMPR users, previously notified in accordance with paras. 2 and 3 above, they shall submit to GME an appropriate request (in the format of *Modulo OMPR per variazione dati* – OMPR data change form – available in the “Markets Access > Gas > M-GAS > How to Participate > Forms” section of GME’s website (www.mercatoelettrico.org)). The request, duly signed by the legal representative, must be sent to GME’s certified email address gme@pec.mercatoelettrico.org or, only for foreign Market Participants not having a certified e-mail address, to GME’s e-mail address posta.gme@mercatoelettrico.org.