

Technical Rule no. 04 P-GAS

(under article 4 of the Regulations of the platform for the trading of bids/offers of natural gas, approved by the Ministry of Economic Development on 23 April 2010, as subsequently amended and supplemented)

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| Title | Notifications about the procedure of admission to/exclusion from the P-GAS |
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| Reference Legislation | Article 14, Article 16, paras. 16.1 and 16.3 and Article 21, para. 21.1, Regulations of the platform for the trading of bids/offers of natural gas (P-GAS Regulations) |
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1. Foreword

Article 14, para. 14.1 provides that a party intending to participate in the P-GAS shall submit to GME (under the procedures and within the time limits established in the Technical Rules): i) the P-GAS participation application in the format of Annex 1 to the P-GAS Regulations, together with the documents indicated in Article 15 thereof; and ii) the P-GAS participation agreement in the format of Annex 2 to the P-GAS Regulations.

Article 16, para. 16.1 provides that, after verifying the applicant's fulfilment of the requirements and the regularity of the documents submitted in view of participating in the P-GAS, GME shall - within 15 calendar days from the date of receipt of the application - notify the applicant of his/her admission or of the rejection of his/her application, under the procedures and within the time limits established in the Technical Rules.

Article 16, para. 16.3 stipulates that, where the documents submitted in view of participating in the P-GAS are incomplete or irregular, GME shall - under the modalities and within the time limits defined in the Technical Rules – notify the applicant of the steps necessary to complete or regularise such documents, as well as the date by which he/she shall do so.

Article 21, para. 21.1 provides that, for the purposes of exclusion from the P-GAS, Participants shall – under the modalities and within the time limits defined in the Technical Rules – submit an appropriate written request to GME, specifying the data from which the exclusion is requested.

2. Procedure and time limits for GME's notifications

GME will notify by registered letter with return receipt or by CEM:

- ↗ the admission of the applicant to the P-GAS or the rejection of his/her participation application within 15 calendar days from the date of receipt of such application (article 16, para. 16.1);
- ↗ in the case of incomplete or irregular documents, the steps necessary to complete or regularise such documents, as well as the time limit by which the applicant shall do so (article 16, para. 16.3).

3. Procedure and time limits for the applicant's/Market Participant's notifications (admission to/exclusion from the P-GAS)

A party applying for admission to/exclusion from the P-GAS must send to GME by ordinary mail or courier or by CEM:

- one original copy of the P-GAS participation application, in the format of Annex 1 to the P-GAS Regulations, signed by the individual (natural person) or by the legal representative of the organisation (legal person) (article 14, para. 14.1 a));
- original copies of the documents referred to in article 15, paras. 15.1 and 15.2 of the P-GAS Regulations, signed by the individual or by the legal representative of the organisation (article 14, para. 14.1 a));
- one original copy of the P-GAS participation agreement, in the format of Annex 2 to the P-GAS Regulations, initialled on each page and signed at the foot by the individual or by the legal representative of the organisation (article 14, para. 14.1 b));
- one original copy of the request for exclusion from the P-GAS, signed by the legal representative of the organisation (article 21, para. 21.1).