

# Bidding Zones Review: Information on the delay of the LMP results from Continental Europe, Nordics and Ireland

*All TSOs shall provide to ACER the final results of the analysis resulting from the Locational Marginal Pricing (LMP) simulation in line with Article 11 of Annex I to ACER Decision No 29/2020 “on the methodology and assumptions that are to be used in the bidding zone review process and for the alternative bidding zone configurations to be considered”. The final results are to be delivered by 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021, according to Annex II “Technical specifications and timeline of the data request for LMP analysis” to the above decision.*

*Due to the complexity of the calculations, the methodology requirements and data formatting challenges, additional time will be needed to finalize the delivery of the LMP results. All TSOs estimate the delivery time to be February 2022, noting that this timeline contains risks related to unforeseen events mainly linked to the size of the models and related to the methodological requirements, that cannot be discarded. All TSOs are working on ensuring the new timeline. In the meantime, ENTSO-E and All TSOs will continue the close cooperation with ACER at technical level and provide frequent updates of the progress made.*