

Technical rule no. 15 MPE

(under Article 4 of the Integrated Text of the Electricity Market Rules, approved by the Decree of the Minister for Productive Activities of December 19, 2003, as subsequently amended and supplemented)

Title	Non-performance of the Market Coupling
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Reference Legislation	Article 42, Paragraph 42.3 <i>bis</i> , Integrated Text of the Electricity Market Rules
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1. Foreword

Article 42, Paragraph 42.3 *bis*, of the Electricity Market Rules states that, in case of risk of nonperformance of the *Market Coupling* (*decoupling*), or if *decoupling* is confirmed with one or more energy markets involved in the Market Coupling, the GME informs the operators of that fact, as specified in the Technical Rules.

2. Notice in case of non-performance of the Market Coupling

If there is a risk of *decoupling* or if the *decoupling* is not confirmed, the GME shall notify this situation to the operators by publication of a notice on SIME¹ and by e-mail to be sent to the address shown in Section 5) *bis*, Subparagraph a) of the Application Form or, failing that, to the email address of the entities referred to in Section 6) of the Application Form. It is understood that the GME is not responsible in case of non-receipt of the notice by e-mail as per above.

¹ SIME: "Sistema Informatico del Mercato Elettrico", i.e. the system through which GME gathers demand bids and supply offers, defines market results and makes preliminary information and results available.