**APPENDIX 10** 

Gas Market Message Agreement

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between Energinet and the Market Participant on the wholesale or retail energy markets

### **CLAUSE PARAMOUNT**

### 1. Parties to the Agreement

This Gas Market Message Agreement (the "Agreement") has been entered into between:

#### Energinet

Name: Energinet GAS TSO A/S Address: Tonne Kjærsvej 65 Postal code and city: DK- 7000 Fredericia CVR no.: 39 31 50 84 GLN: 579 800 981 366 4

and

the Market Participant on the wholesale or retail energy markets (the "Market Participant") Name: Address:

Postal code and city: CVR (VAT) no.: ACER Code:

#### 2. Purpose and scope

Under the Regulation on Wholesale Energy Market Integrity and Transparency ("REMIT") (Regulation (EU) No. 1227/2011) all Market Participants shall publicly disclose in an effective and timely manner inside information which, if it was made public, would be likely to significantly affect the prices of wholesale energy products ("REMIT Messages"), cf. Article 4(1). REMIT Messages shall include information relevant to the capacity and use of facilities for production, storage, consumption or transmission of natural gas.

Wholesale energy products shall mean the following contracts and derivates, irrespective of where and how they are traded, cf. Article 2(4) of the regulation:ET

- a) Contracts for the supply of natural gas where delivery is in the EU.
- b) Derivates relating to natural gas produced, traded or delivered in the EU.
- c) Contracts relating to the transportation of natural gas in the EU.

d) Derivates relating to the transportation of natural gas in the EU.

Contracts for the supply and distribution of natural gas for the use of final customers are not wholesale energy products. However, contracts for the supply and distribution of natural gas to final consumers with a consumption capacity greater than 600 GWh per year shall be treated as wholesale energy products.

Energinet is not required to act as a connector between the Market Participants in relation to REMIT Messages. However, to meet the Market Participants' request for a fast and simple way to publicly disclose REMIT Messages, Energinet has as a service to the Danish natural gas market agreed to facilitate an information platform for the disclosing and receiving of REMIT Messages and other gas market messages (see clause 3) at https://gasmarketmessage.dk.

Market Participants at the retail energy markets may also use the information platform at https://gasmarketmessage.dk, regardless of whether or not they have entered into contracts for the supply and distribution of natural gas to final consumers with a consumption capacity greater than 600 GWh per year.

Likewise, the energy regulatory authorities may use https://gasmarketmessage.dk for monitoring the Danish energy markets.

For further information on the REMIT regulation, see the guidelines of the Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators (ACER) at www.acer.europa.eu.

# 3. Use of https://gasmarketmessage.dk

The Market Participant may use https://gasmarketmessage.dk for public disclosure and receiving of REMIT Messages.

Please note that information on (i) delayed publication of inside information, cf. Article 3(4)(b) and Article 4(2) of the REMIT regulation, and (ii) suspicious transactions, cf. Article 15 of the REMIT regulation, shall be reported directly to ACER and the Danish Energy Regulatory Authority.

The Market Participant may also disclose and receive other gas market messages of commercial relevance to the Market Participants in general at https://gasmarketmessage.dk, e.g. Energinet's declaration of a supply crisis, information on mergers and acquisitions as well as change of address. Please note that the disclosure of such other gas market messages at https://gasmarketmessage.dk does not substitute any registration and updating obligations in the Register of Players or elsewhere.

After entering into this Agreement those of the Market Participant's employees who may disclose REMIT Messages and other gas market messages on behalf of the Market Participant, may register at https://gasmarketmessage.dk. Energinet will give access to the information platform within two business days after registration.

The REMIT Messages will be publicly disclosed at https://gasmarketmessage.dk's front page and sent to all subscribers without the need of log-in.

### 4. Default Procedure in case https://gasmarketmessage.dk is unavailable

In case the Market Participant is unable to disclose a REMIT Message at https://gasmarketmessage.dk, e.g. if the information platform is not available due to system failures, the Market Participant may send the REMIT Message to kontrolcentergas@energinet.dk. Energinet will then forward the REMIT Message to the other Market Participants registered at https://gasmarketmessage.dk by email.

Please note that this procedure may only be used as a default procedure.

Thus, Energinet will only forward REMIT Messages sent to kontrolcentergas@energinet.dk in case https://gasmarketmessage.dk is not available.

Other gas market messages than REMIT Messages may not be sent to kontrolcentergas@energinet.dk, and Energinet will not forward such information.

# 5. Disclaimer

Please note that Energinet acts merely as forwarder of the REMIT Messages and other gas market messages of commercial relevance to the Market Participants. Thus, Energinet assumes no responsibility for any errors, omissions or inaccuracies that may occur in the REMIT Messages or other gas market messages by use of https://gasmarketmessage.dk (see clause 3) or by use of the default procedure in case https://gasmarketmessage.dk is not available (see clause 4).

Likewise, Energinet assumes no responsibility for the Market Participant's compliance with the REMIT regulation, including that the REMIT Messages are disclosed to all the relevant Market Participants etc. in an effective and timely manner.

# 6. Declaration

The Market Participant hereby declares that he/the company enters into transactions in one or more wholesale energy markets as defined in Article 2(4) of the REMIT regulation (see clause 2), or in one or more retail energy markets.

Date: Place: Date: Place:

Energinet

Market Participant