# **European Network of Transmission System Operators for Electricity (ENTSO-E)**

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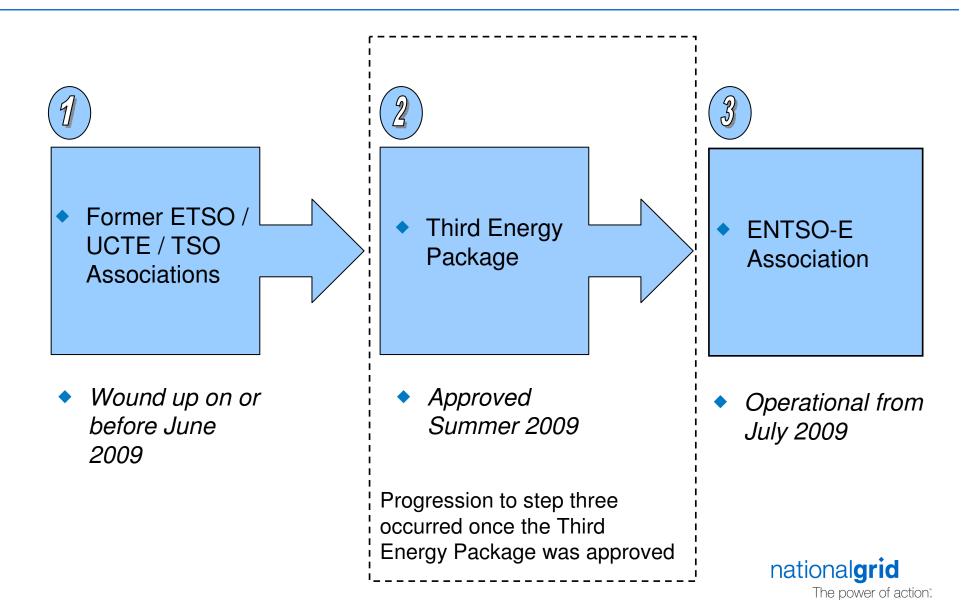


## **Introducing ENTSO-E**

- New electricity association representing TSO member interests throughout Europe, based in Brussels
- Formal Legal Advisory body to the European Commission
- Fairly wide remit, including the responsibility for developing EU-wide Network Codes
- Mandatory TSO participation, with 42 members

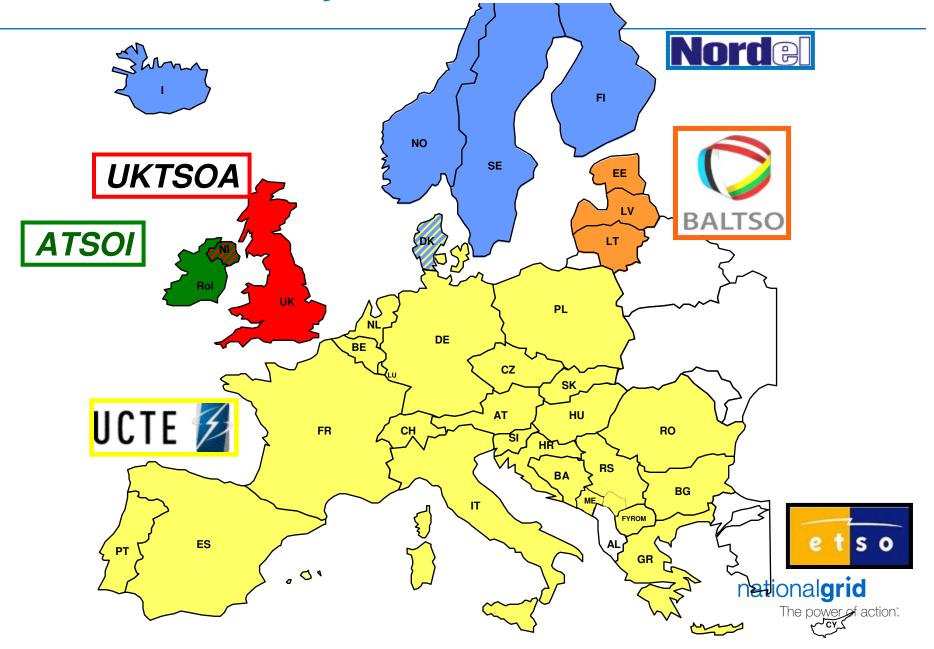


## **Background – Evolutionary Process**



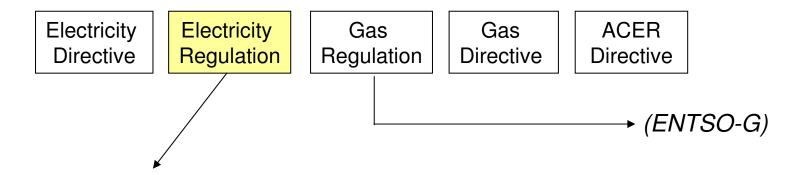


**Former Electricity Associations** 



## **Third Energy Package**

 The Third Energy package was introduced to further enhance the progression of a European liberalised energy market, and in doing so proposed five pieces of legislation



- Amendement to 1228/2003 requires:
  - \* "All Transmission system operators shall cooperate at Community level through establishing the European Network of Transmission System Operators for Electricity in order to promote the completion of the internal market for electricity and to ensure the optimal management and sound technical evolution of the European electricity transmission network.."
  - Includes developing network codes which may become binding



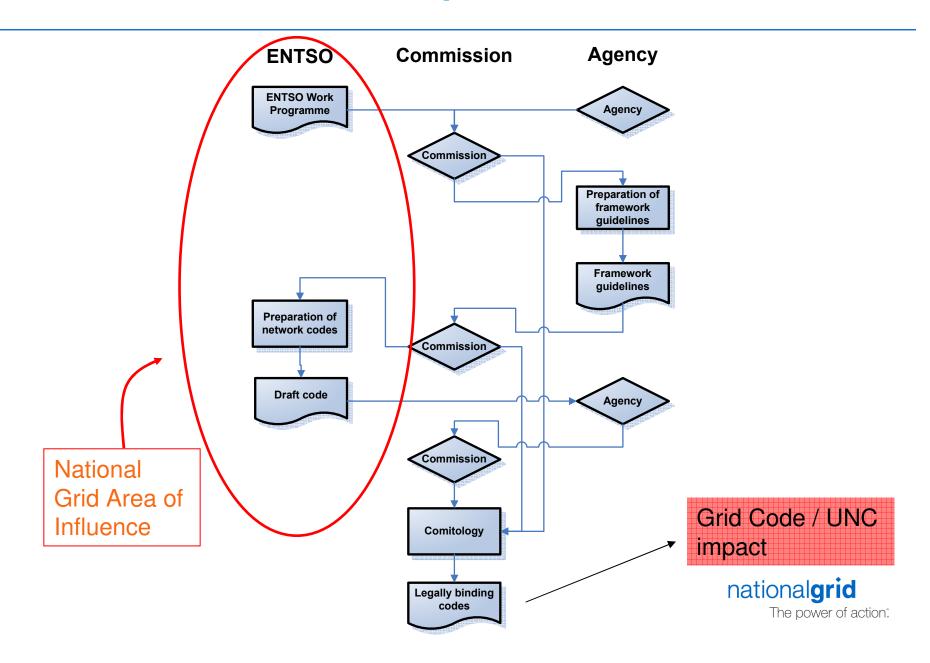
## **Legislative Requirements**

- ENTSO-E are requirement to develop:
  - Common network operation tools and research plans
  - 10-year network development plan, every 2 years
  - Annual work programme
  - Annual report
  - Annual summer and winter supply outlooks (supply/adequacy)
- In addition, there are twelve code areas which it will be asked to develop over the coming years.

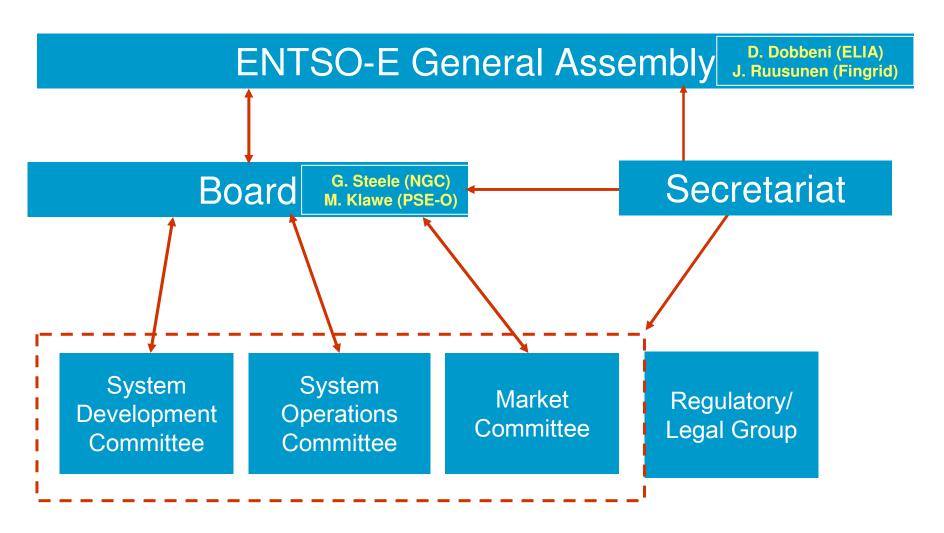
- Network security and reliability rules including rules for technical transmission reserve capacity for operational network security;
- Grid connection rules;
- Third party access rules;
- Data exchange and settlement rules;
- Interoperability rules;
- Operational procedures in an emergency;
- Capacity allocation and congestion management rules;
- Rules for trading related to technical and operational provision of network access services and system balancing;
- Transparency rules;
- Balancing rules including network related reserve power rules;
- Rules regarding harmonised transmission tariff structures including locational signals and inter-TSO compensation rules:
- Energy efficiency regarding electricity networks



## **Process for Code Development**



#### **ENTSO-E Structure**





## **Timescales and Industry Input**

- Annual work areas are currently underway
- Code development areas require framework guidelines to be initiated
  - ENTSO-E Development of Pilot Code
  - At present, initial framework guidelines expected from mid/late 2010 onwards
- Input from all industry parties through formal EU-wide consultation process
  - Stakeholder workshops anticipated
  - On occasion, regional specific consultations
- Equivalent ENTSO-G Gas body also under development

#### **Questions**

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