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**Subject: Full integration of order books in intraday timeframe**

Dear Chairman of the All NEMO Committee, dear NEMOs,

The Commission welcomes the achievements done by all EU TSOs and NEMOs through the development and the implementation of a common trading infrastructure based on continuous trading (i.e. Single Intraday Coupling - SIDC), which enables all NEMOs to integrate their order books and match all orders from all NEMOs, while simultaneously allocating the available cross-zonal capacities provided by all TSOs.

In order to further pursue the objectives of market integration and maximise the efficiency and effectiveness of the EU electricity intraday trading, the Commission would very much welcome that all NEMOs keep their order books integrated in SIDC as long as possible, for those bidding zones where intraday trading is allowed also after the intraday cross-zonal gate closure time.

In that respect, the Commission supports the letter addressed to you on 26<sup>th</sup> May 2021 by the ACER Electricity Working Group chairperson and the ACER Head of Electricity Department.

Yours faithfully,

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