

Joint European Stakeholder Group



Tuesday 11 February 2025
Meeting 81

1. Welcome & Introductions

Independent Chair

Agenda

| | Title | Lead | Time |
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| 1. | Welcome & Introductions | Chair | 10:00 - 10:05 |
| 2. | The Evolution of European Engagement | Tom Ireland, NESO | 10:05 - 10:25 |
| 3. | Review of Actions log | Andrew Hemus, Tech Secretary | 10:25 - 10:30 |
| 4. | Future Meeting Dates & Agenda Items | Andrew Hemus, Tech Secretary | |
| 5. | Stakeholder Representation | Chair | |
| 6. | Any Other Business | All | 10:30 - 10:40 |

2. The Evolution of European Engagement

Tom Ireland, NESO

Public

Evolution of EU Engagement

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GB's interactions with the EU is key

It is vital that the GB energy industry has good visibility and interactions with Europe, to maximise the value from linking markets and systems e.g.:

- Security
- Economics
- Road to net zero

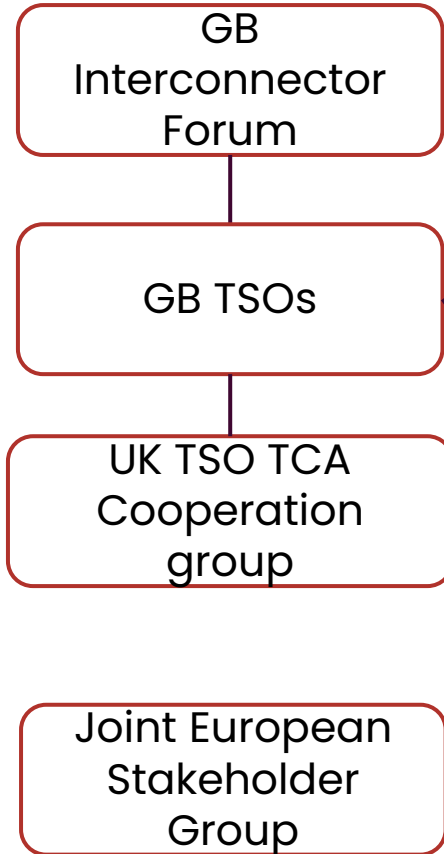
Nb. Influence is equally key to mitigate any risks

Recent Drivers for Change

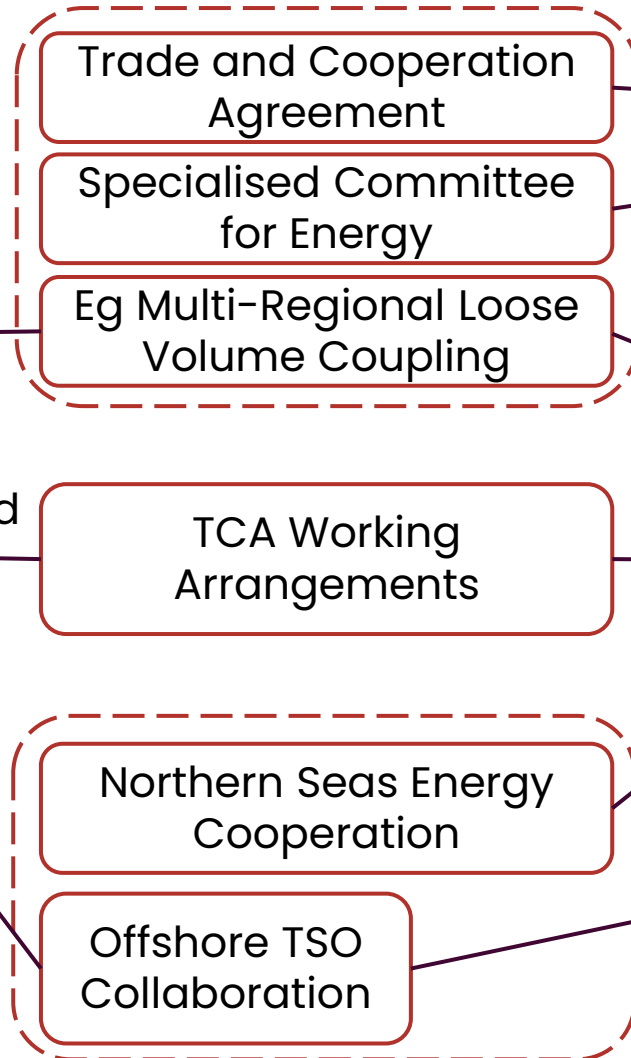
- More interconnection & additional projects planned
- Significant plans for the northern seas
- Both GB and EU have started material domestic planning processes and market reforms
- The new UK government is resetting their relationship with EU
- Volumes of intermittent generation is increasing everywhere

Today's engagement landscape

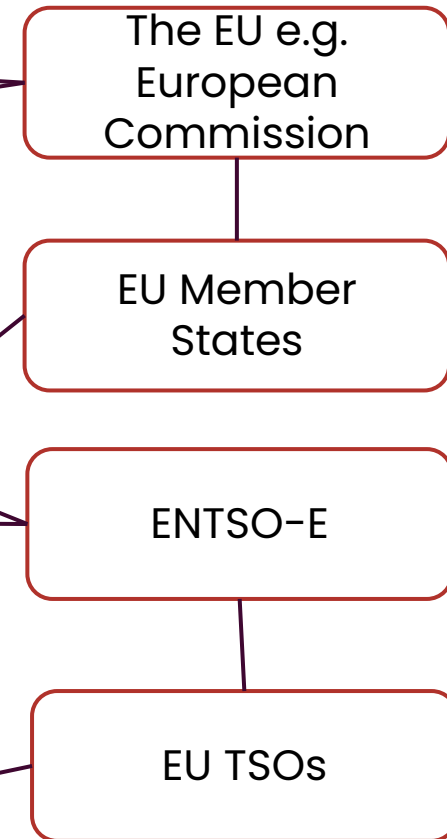
UK groups



UK/EU



EU groups



NESO lead

NESO



Future Developments

UK groups

1. Being refreshed - greater transparency

GB Interconnector Forum

GB TSOs

UK TSO TCA Cooperation group

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2, Consultation underway - To cover all EU interactions

UK/EU

Trade and Cooperation Agreement

Specialised Committee for Energy

Eg Multi-Regional Loose Volume Coupling

3. Scheduled for review 25/26 & more work packages may be requested

TCA Working Arrangements

4. Cooperation will restart shortly

Northern Seas Energy Cooperation

Offshore TSO Collaboration

5. Importance of group increasing as is UK's role

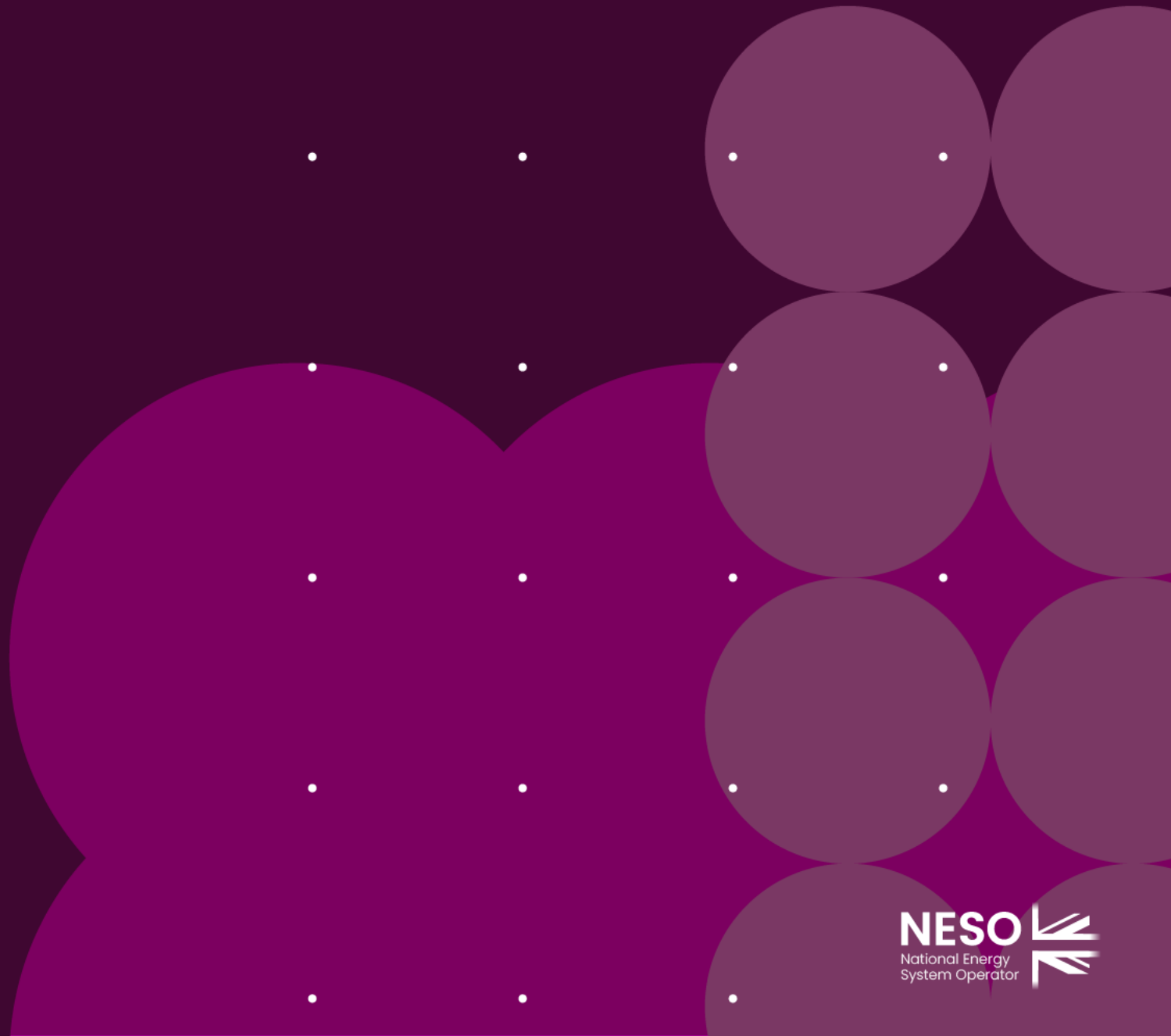
EU groups

The EU e.g. European Commission

EU Member States

ENTSO-E

EU TSOs



3. Review of Actions log

Andrew Hemus
JESG Technical Secretary

JESG Standing items

| ID | Topic | Lead Party |
|----|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| S1 | Continue to review the membership of the JESG and engage additional industry parties where appropriate. | JESG Chair |
| S2 | Prepare a commentary / comparison document between the Network Code and the existing GB arrangements at appropriate stages in the Code development for each Network Code. | NGET / Ofgem / DESNZ |
| S3 | Share any intelligence about how other member states are approaching demonstrating compliance through information gained from other government departments, regulators or parent companies. | DESNZ / Ofgem / Industry parties with European parent companies |

JESG Open Actions

| ID | Topic | Lead Party | Status | Update |
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4. Future Meeting Dates & Agenda Items

Andrew Hemus
JESG Technical Secretary

JESG Meetings for 2025

- [JESG calendar email invites can be downloaded here.](#)
- Stakeholders are invited to put forward agenda items for the forthcoming JESG meetings:

| Meeting Date | Proposed Agenda Items |
|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Tuesday 11 March | |
| Tuesday 8 April | |
| Tuesday 13 May | |
| Tuesday 10 June | |
| Tuesday 8 July | |
| Tuesday 12 August | |
| Tuesday 9 September | |
| Tuesday 14 October | |
| Tuesday 11 November | |
| Tuesday 9 December | |

5. Stakeholder Representation

All

6. AOB