

Dear Eligible User,

## Forthcoming IFA Outage

As previously planned and published, an outage for maintenance will take place within the Contract Days commencing on Sunday 6th September 2009 at 23:00 hrs and ending on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2009 at 23:00 hrs. This activity will have an impact on Interconnector Capability as reflected in the sections set out below.

All times quoted are UK local time.

## Effect on Long-term Capacity

As a consequence of reduced capability Annual, Seasonal, Quarterly and Monthly capacity holders should note that it will be necessary to curtail their capacities in accordance with the table below. The following capability profiles and associated curtailment factors for the period are issued on an indicative basis only and may be subject to revision as the work progresses.

<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Capability (MW)</i>	<i>Curtailment Factor (%)</i>	
			<i>Direction France to England</i>	<i>Direction England to France</i>
06/09/2009 23:00	07/09/2009 00:00	2,000	100	100
07/09/2009 00:00	07/09/2009 00:30	1,865	100	100
07/09/2009 00:30	07/09/2009 01:00	1,000	55.55	55.55
07/09/2009 01:00	07/09/2009 01:30	1,223	67.94	67.94
07/09/2009 01:30	07/09/2009 08:00	1,500	83.33	83.33
07/09/2009 08:00	07/09/2009 08:30	1,473	81.83	81.83
07/09/2009 08:30	07/09/2009 09:30	1,000	55.55	55.55
07/09/2009 09:30	07/09/2009 10:00	1,473	81.83	81.83
07/09/2009 10:00	07/09/2009 23:00	1,500	83.33	83.33
07/09/2009 23:00	08/09/2009 23:00	1,500	83.33	83.33
08/09/2009 23:00	09/09/2009 23:00	1,500	83.33	83.33
09/09/2009 23:00	10/09/2009 23:00	1,500	83.33	83.33
10/09/2009 23:00	11/09/2009 12:30	1,500	83.33	83.33
11/09/2009 12:30	11/09/2009 13:00	1,473	81.83	81.83
11/09/2009 13:00	11/09/2009 15:00	1,000	55.55	55.55
11/09/2009 15:00	11/09/2009 15:30	1,865	100	100
11/09/2009 15:30	11/09/2009 23:00	2,000	100	100

## Effect on Daily Capacity Auctions

The table below sets out the indicative profiles, volumes and Target Availabilities of capacity available in the Daily Auctions during the period of the outage. It is recommended that Users refer to the CAS announcement panel on each day of the auctions for final details of auction specifications.

<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Capability (MW)</i>	<i>Specification for Daily Auction</i>					
			<i>Direction France to England</i>			<i>Direction England to France</i>		
			<i>Profile</i>	<i>Volume</i>	<i>TA</i>	<i>Profile</i>	<i>Volume</i>	<i>TA</i>
06/09/2009 23:00	07/09/2009 00:00	2,000	200	200	4%	200	200	4%
07/09/2009 00:00	07/09/2009 00:30	1,865	65			65		
07/09/2009 00:30	07/09/2009 01:00	1,000	0			0		
07/09/2009 01:00	07/09/2009 01:30	1,223	0			0		
07/09/2009 01:30	07/09/2009 08:00	1,500	0			0		
07/09/2009 08:00	07/09/2009 08:30	1,473	0			0		
07/09/2009 08:30	07/09/2009 09:30	1,000	0			0		
07/09/2009 09:30	07/09/2009 10:00	1,473	0			0		
07/09/2009 10:00	07/09/2009 23:00	1,500	0			0		
07/09/2009 23:00	08/09/2009 23:00	1,500	0			0		
08/09/2009 23:00	09/09/2009 23:00	1,500	0			0		
09/09/2009 23:00	10/09/2009 23:00	1,500	0			0		
10/09/2009 23:00	11/09/2009 12:30	1,500	0	200	31%	0	200	31%
11/09/2009 12:30	11/09/2009 13:00	1,473	0			0		
11/09/2009 13:00	11/09/2009 15:00	1,000	0			0		
11/09/2009 15:00	11/09/2009 15:30	1,865	65			65		
11/09/2009 15:30	11/09/2009 23:00	2,000	200			200		

Note : For the avoidance of doubt, no Daily Auctions will be conducted for the following Contract Days:

23:00 07/09/09 to 23:00 08/09/09

23:00 08/09/09 to 23:00 09/09/09

23:00 09/09/09 to 23:00 10/09/09

In the case of the above Contract Days ICE profiles will be prepared and issued in advance.