GBREMIT Central Collection and Publication Service

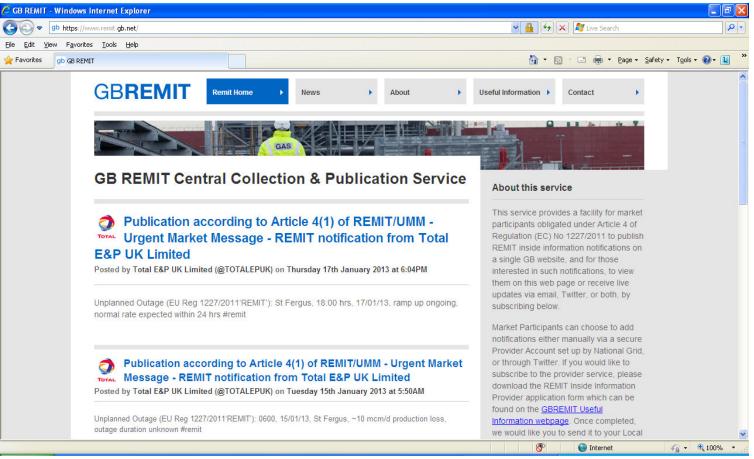


The Service

- **GBREMIT** has been live since October 2012.
- National Grid provides the GB Central Platform, free of charge, and it is available to REMIT notification providers and wider market participants to use
- Users are not required to publish elsewhere
- Twitter upload feature means notifications can be tweeted and will appear on the website, conforming to ACER guidelines
- To date:
 - 26 users have register as Providers from 17 organisations
 - 282 registered to receive notices via email and 50 following on twitter
 - 2 REMIT notices have been posted

History

The first official notice was published 15th January and was sent via Twitter by TOTAL E&P, quickly followed by the second two days later



Test Notification sent in Error

A Test notice was accidentally posted to the live site on 4th January 2013.

The sequence of events was:

- 14:55:20 REMIT Notification posted
- 14:59:29 REMIT Notification removed from GBREMIT
- 15:01:00 Tweet deleted
- 15:11:00 Tweet published informing the market that the REMIT Notification was posted in error
- 15:13:17 News Item published informing the market that the REMIT Notification was posted in error

Causes of event

- User had access to both live and test environments
- Test & live look identical
- No "are you sure" box
- Test message did not include the word "test"



Actions taken

- Introducing highly visible differences between Test and Live versions of GBREMIT
- Inclusion of dialogue box asking the user to confirm posting to Live
- Separation of responsibility and access between Test and Live

Upcoming Live Testing

New functionality needs testing

Appropriate notices to be issued in advance of the test

Posts will be removed once the tests have been completed

Expected within next few weeks.

Further Information

 For more information go to <u>https://www.remit.gb.net/about</u> contact <u>remit@nationalgrid.com</u>

Or go to the Ofgem website

http://www.ofgem.gov.uk/Markets/WhIMkts/remit