

Press Release

Leipzig, 18 February 2015



Yearly auctions of interruptible capacity organized by Trans Austria Gasleitung GmbH

On behalf of Trans Austria Gasleitung GmbH ("TAG GmbH"), PRISMA would like to inform you that for the first time yearly interruptible capacity at the interconnection point Baumgarten, for the Exit direction, and at the interconnection point Arnoldstein, for the Entry direction, will be auctioned.

For both interconnection points TAG GmbH will market interruptible capacity for the period starting from 01 October 2015, 06:00 until 01 October 2016, 06:00.

These capacity products will be marketed during the yearly auction held on PRISMA primary from 02 March 2015, in addition to other TAG GmbH yearly capacity products at Baumgarten, for the Entry direction, and Arnoldstein/Tarvisio.

Please note that in order to participate in the yearly auction, a registration on TAG GmbH's website is required. The registration for the yearly auction as well as the relevant terms and conditions are published on the TAG website at www.taggmbh.at

PRISMA was founded by major European TSOs from Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Germany, France, Italy and the Netherlands with the aim to create a joint European capacity platform.

The European PRISMA Platform, which was launched in April 2013, is the first platform to have implemented the Network Code on Capacity Allocation Mechanisms, the future European market rules for allocating natural gas transport capacity, which will come into force in November 2015.

There are currently 28 European TSOs from Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Portugal, Slovenia and Spain connected to the platform and market transport capacity via PRISMA. 22 TSOs are shareholders of PRISMA.

With its harmonised capacity products and auction mechanisms and its ability to serve a high number of TSO backend systems in accordance with the CAM Network Code, PRISMA is a major step towards an integrated European gas market.



PRISMA European Capacity Platform GmbH

press contact: Paolo Maffei

phone: + 49 341 69 92 990 - 70

email: press@prisma-capacity.eu