

Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/460 of 16 March 2017 establishing a network code on harmonised transmission tariff structures for gas (hereinafter referred to as „TAR NC“)

Art. 30(1)(c)(iii) of the TAR NC – Information on the reference prices and other prices applicable at points other than those referred to in Article 29 TAR NC

In line with the Article 30(1)(c)(iii) of the TAR NC the following information should be published:

„the reference prices and other prices applicable at points other than those referred to in Article 29“

For the period beginning on 1 January 2023, in connection with the information according to Art. 30(1)(c)(iii) of the TAR NC, the price decision of the Regulatory Office for Network Industries No. 0040/2019/P as of 29 May 2019 is fundamental. Pursuant to the given price decision, the Regulatory Office for Network Industries determined the indicative reference prices and, on the basis thereof, the final reference prices after benchmarking adjustment for all entry/exit points of the transmission system of eustream, a.s. (point 4). However, it also stated that according to Art. 2(1) of the TAR NC the final reference prices will not be the reserve prices for yearly standard capacity products for the entry/exit point Veľké Kapušany, entry/exit point Budince and the entry/exit point domestic point, as the Regulatory Office for Network Industries did not take a decision to apply the Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/459 of 16 March 2017 establishing a network code on capacity allocation mechanisms in gas transmission systems and repealing Regulation (EU) No 984/2013 at those entry/exit points. The Regulatory Office for Network Industries also stated that the reserve prices for entry/exit points Veľké Kapušany, Budince and domestic point will be determined on the basis of the final reference prices and the relevant legislation of the Slovak Republic.

Following the above mentioned, for the period 1 January 2022 till 31 December 2022, the prices for access to the transmission network and gas transmission including the reserve prices, as well as the conditions of their application for entry/exit points Veľké Kapušany, Budince and domestic point were approved by the price decision of the Regulatory Office for Network Industries No. 0068/2022/P as of 28 December 2021.

For the period from 1 January 2023, the prices for access to the transmission network and gas transmission including the reserve prices, as well as the conditions of their application for entry/exit points Veľké Kapušany, Budince and domestic point were approved by the price decision of the Regulatory Office for Network Industries No. 0031/2023/P as of 13 February 2023.

The respective above mentioned price decisions are accessible on the website of the Regulatory Office for Network Industries in the section "Plynárenstvo >> Cenové rozhodnutia" or on the website of the transmission system operator eustream, a.s. in the section "Products and Services >> Download >> Prices and Tariffs >> Price decision" (please see the following links):

<https://www.urso.gov.sk/cenove-rozhodnutia-2017-2023/>



<https://www.urso.gov.sk/00402019p/>

<https://www.urso.gov.sk/00682022p/>

https://www.eustream.sk/files/archiv/EUS_price_decision_2023_0031_230101.pdf

<https://www.eustream.sk/en/products-services/download/>