

Technical Rule no. 01 MGAS

(pursuant to Article 4 of the Rules of the natural gas market, approved by Decree of the Ministry of Economic Development of 6 March 2013, as subsequently amended and supplemented)

Title	Notifications about the procedure of admission to/exclusion from the market
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Reference Legislation	Article 13; Article 15, paras. 15.1 and 15.3; and Article 21, para. 21.1 – MGAS Rules
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1. Foreword

Article 13, para. 13.1 provides that a party intending to participate in the market shall submit to GME (under the procedures and within the time limits established in the Technical Rules): i) the M-GAS participation application in the format of Annex A to the Rules, together with the documents indicated in Article 14 thereof; and ii) a signed copy of the Market participation agreement in the format of Annex B to the Rules.

Article 15, para. 15.1 of the Rules provides that, after verifying the regularity of the documents submitted in view of participating in the M-GAS, GME shall - within 15 calendar days of the date of receipt of the application - notify the applicant of his/her/its admission or of the rejection of his/her/its application, under the procedures and within the time limits established in the Technical Rules.

Article 15, para. 15.3 of the Regulations stipulates that, where the documents submitted in view of participating in the market are incomplete or irregular, GME shall - under the modalities and within the time limits defined in the Technical Rules - notify the applicant of the steps necessary to complete or regularise such documents, as well as the date by which he/she/it shall do so.

Article 21, para. 21.1 provides that, for the purposes of exclusion from the market, Participants shall - under the modalities and within the time limits defined in the Technical Rules - submit an appropriate written request to GME, specifying the date from which exclusion is requested.

2. Procedure and time limits for GME's notifications

GME will notify by registered letter with return receipt or by CEM:

- the admission of the applicant to the market or the rejection of his/her/its participation application within 15 calendar days of the date of receipt of thereof (Article 15, para. 15.1);
- in the case of incomplete or irregular documents, the steps necessary to complete or regularise them, as well as the time limit by which the applicant shall do so (Article 15, para. 15.3).

3. Procedure and time limits for the applicant's/Participant's notifications (admission to/exclusion from the market)

A party applying for admission to/exclusion from the market must send to GME by ordinary mail or courier or by CEM:

- one original copy of the M-GAS participation application, in the format of Annex A to the Rules, signed by the individual (if the applicant is a natural person) or by the legal representative of the organisation - Article 13, para. 13.1 subpara a) of the Rules;
- original copies of the documents referred to in Article 14 of the Rules signed by the individual (if the applicant is a natural person) or by the legal representative of the organisation - Article 14, para. 14.1 subpara a) of the Rules;
- one original copy of the M-GAS participation agreement, in the format of Annex B to the Rules, initialled on each page and signed at the foot by the individual (if the applicant is a natural person) or by the legal representative of the organisation – Article 13, para. 13.1 subpara b) of the Rules;
- one original copy of the request for exclusion from the M-GAS, signed by the individual (if the applicant is a natural person) or by the legal representative of the organisation - Article 21, para. 21.1 of the Rules.