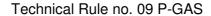


## Technical Rule no. 09 P-GAS

(under article 4 of the Regulations of the platform for the trading of bids/offers of natural gas, approved by the Ministry of Economic Development on 23 April 2010 and subsequently amended to conform to the Decree of the Minister of Economic Development of 6 August 2010)

Title	Communications between GME and Participants under emergency conditions
Reference Legislation	Article 26, para. 26.2, Regulations of the platform for the trading of bids/offers of natural gas (P-GAS Regulations)

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## 1. Foreword

Article 26, para. 26.2, of the P-GAS Regulations provides that, under the emergency conditions referred to in the same Article, GME shall make communications under the procedures defined in the Technical Rules.

## 2. Communications between GME and Participants under emergency conditions

In the case referred to in Article 26, para. 26.1 a) of the P-GAS Regulations, i.e. if GME is unable to receive bids/offers from Participants owing to malfunctions of telecommunications systems, GME may postpone the time of closing of the P-GAS session, notifying Participants thereof by telephone or fax. If the malfunctions persist, GME will suspend the session, notifying Participants thereof through its website or possibly via fax or e-mail.

In the case of article 26, para. 26.1 b) of the P-GAS Regulations, i.e. if GME is unable to determine the results of one of the P-GAS sessions, GME will suspend the session, notifying Participants thereof through its website or possibly by fax or e-mail.

In the case of article 26, para.26.1 c) of the P-GAS Regulations, i.e. if GME is unable to notify Participants of the results of one of the P-GAS sessions, GME will suspend the subsequent sessions and possibly also the current session, notifying Participants thereof through its website or possibly by fax or e-mail.