

**Invitation -
3rd Wave Go-Live Single Intraday Coupling (SIDC) Pre-launch Event**

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to invite you to our important 3rd Wave go-live Single Intraday Coupling (SIDC) pre-launch event, to be held on Thursday 29 April 2021.

The 3rd Wave go-live is targeted for September 2021 (date to be confirmed) to enable the integration of Italy into the SIDC (continuous cross-border intraday). We are currently undertaking testing activities for the 3rd Wave and have planned preparation activities ahead of go-live.

Nominated Electricity Market Operators (NEMOs) and Transmission System Operators (TSOs) from 3rd Wave go-live countries have arranged this pre-launch event to provide a comprehensive and informative opportunity to learn more about the SIDC (formerly XBID) solution and arrangements for the 3rd Wave.

The pre-launch event is free of charge and will be held as a web conference.

It will include presentations covering an overview of the SIDC, borders/market areas/products, information from the Local Implementation Projects taking part in the 3rd Wave and involvement of market parties in NEMOs' member testing and preparation.

We look forward to welcoming you to this interesting event. To attend, please register via the following link:

[Web conference registration](#)

Yours faithfully
On behalf of the SIDC project parties

Jean Verseille and Stefano Alaimo
Co-chairs of the Steering Committee

*The countries already coupled with SIDC are: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Norway, The Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovenia, Spain and Sweden.