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EMERGENCY PROCEDURE: SUBMISSION OF EDINE MESSAGES

This emergency procedure comes into effect on 1 July 2001.

Conditions for use of the emergency procedure

1. The emergency procedure may be used by a PV or network manager only:
 - a. if their connection with the CPS has been lost and their backup system is also out of service
 - b. for the submission of EDINE messages (not EXCEL messages or messages of other types) from E programs, bids for regulating and reserve power (RRV) and T-prognoses
 - after confirmation of consistency until the moment that the communication problems are resolved TenneT cannot accept modifications to EDINE messages submitted!
 - c. during office hours on the day of preparation, i.e. day D-1 from 7.30 am to 4 pm, during seven days within the week (so, on the actual day of operation, day D, the emergency procedure cannot be used)
 - d. if the PV or network manager has got a PC with an Internet connection in use (the PV or network manager has to take care of that themselves).
2. TenneT accepts no liability whatsoever for the correctness of the content of the EDINE messages and the consequences related to this after these EDINE messages have been placed in the PV system (LIBRA).
3. As soon as a PV or network manager has made use of the emergency procedure twice in any given calendar year, he will be required to undergo (at TenneT's premises) a fresh test of competence in relation to the technical facilities for EDINE message traffic.

The procedure

1. The PV or network manager informs TenneT by telephone that he is experiencing difficulty sending EDINE messages to TenneT via the CPS.
This information should be communicated to TenneT's Power System Operation Department, Operational Planning Section, phone: +31.26.373.1730.
2. TenneT asks the PV or network manager for a contact telephone number and checks whether this is consistent with the information held by TenneT.
3. TenneT calls the PV or network manager back on the contact number provided and gives him a password for identification purposes. The PV or network manager then sends TenneT the EDINE message by Internet e-mail to TenneT-Operational-Planning@tennet.org including in this e-mail the password previously given by TenneT on the phone.
4. TenneT informs the PV or network manager by telephone whether the incoming EDINE message is consistent.
5. TenneT also informs the PV by telephone whether his E program has been approved.