ENER/645 - Meeting with EER to discuss the retail aspects of the EMD

Meeting date and place
Meeting held on 31/01/2023 15:45 Webex

Participating organisation(s) representative(s)
European Energy Retailers - Network of Independent Energy and Solution Providers  Participant

Main issues discussed
Participants
ENER :
EER:

EER’s main messages :

- Hedging obligations have implications for consumers (fixed price offers require stability of consumer portfolio)
- Access to liquidity and deeper products, key to build long-term offers
- PPAs (with pay as produced volume of electricity) needs to be complemented with other products by supplier – but without any liquidity and deeper products, this integration is difficult. We need more and deeper products
- Mandatory CfDs can be detrimental for integration of Renewables
- Difficult to implement hedging obligations. Most prudential suppliers already do so
- Freedom of suppliers to provide flexibility services to consumers in fair competition with aggregators
- Proportionate fixed termination fee needs to be linked to fixed price contracts

Finally, EER proposed to engage suppliers and DSOs on existing barriers (data, smart metres, level playing field between suppliers etc).

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