Notice on Generation and Transmission Outage Planning

Following consultation with market participants, on 15th January 2007 the Regulatory Authorities published an Outage Planning Decision Paper (AIP-SEM-236-07). This paper included a decision that the generation and transmission outage schedules were confidential to the individual generators and the TSO, and therefore were not to be published. Since then the Regulatory Authorities have received representations from market participants seeking public availability of this information in the SEM. The Regulatory Authorities have consequently re-considered this issue and now believe it appropriate that the generation and transmission outage schedules be published. This will allow for greater market transparency and is in accordance with the requirements of Appendix J of the Trading and Settlement Code