

Notice under section 8AA(9) of the Gas Act 1986 (as amended) of the proposed transfer of a gas shipper licence held by Eneco Business BV to Eneco Energy Trade BV

The Gas and Electricity Markets Authority ('the Authority') hereby gives notice pursuant to Section 8AA(9) of the Gas Act 1986 (as amended) ('the Act') as follows:

1. Eneco Business BV (a company registered in The Netherlands under company number 24296168), the registered office of which is Rivium Quadrant 75, 2909LC, Capelle a/d IJssel, The Netherlands has written to the Authority seeking its consent under Section 8AA of the Act to the transfer of the gas shipper licence granted to Eneco Business BV pursuant to section 7A(2) of the Act to Eneco Energy Trade BV (a company registered in The Netherlands under company number 30167836), the registered office of which is at Rivium Quadrant 75, 2909LC, Capelle a/d IJssel, The Netherlands.
2. The Authority proposes to grant consent to the proposed licence transfer for the following reasons:
  - (i) Eneco Business BV has applied to the Authority under Section 8AA of the Act for the Authority's consent to the transfer of its gas shipper licence to Eneco Energy Trade BV; and
  - (ii) The Authority is satisfied that it would have been appropriate to grant a gas shipper licence to Eneco Energy Trade BV had Eneco Energy Trade BV applied to the Authority for such a licence and as such considers that it is appropriate to consent to a transfer of an existing gas shipper licence to Eneco Energy Trade BV.
3. Any representations or objections in relation to the proposal by the Authority to grant consent to the proposed licence transfer should be made in writing no later than 08 January 2010 to the Authority, either:

by post to: the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority at 9 Millbank, London, SW1P 3GE marked for the attention of Catherine Wheeler.

or by email to: [Catherine.wheeler@ofgem.gov.uk](mailto:Catherine.wheeler@ofgem.gov.uk)

**Signed:**  
**David Ashbourne**  
**Duly authorised on behalf of the Authority**

**Date 29 October 2009**