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## **Winter Outlook Seminar Current Regulatory Issues**

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#### **Regulatory issues**





#### Wholesale markets

- **Project Discovery** is dead .....
- ..... long live Electricity Market Reform (ERM)
- ..... and the reform of **gas market arrangements**

#### • Attracting investment.....

- Carbon floor price?
- Green investment bank?
- Other measures?
- RO reform?
- Liquidity





### **Treating customers fairly**



customers fairly



### **Network Regulation**

- Maintaining leadership in network regulation
  - **RPI-X@20** review recommend the implementation of Sustainable network regulation using the *RIIO* model
  - (Revenue = Incentives + Innovation + Outputs).
- Price Controls
  - TPCR5 and GDPCR2 have now started
  - The first price reviews under *RIIO*
- TransmiT
  - Comprehensive review of the charging regime for transmission in gas and electricity. Secure and
- Offshore regime





#### The right institutions

- Ofgem Review
- Delivery landscape review
- EU Third package

"Ofgem's role as independent regulator of the gas and electricity markets is a critical part of the landscape ".





### **Third Package**

• Key role in developing 3<sup>rd</sup> Package and engaged in 3<sup>rd</sup> Package implementation for Spring 2011

NRAs	Unbundling		Euro Network Codes	ACEI	R		
<ul> <li>Independent</li> <li>Power to make binding decisions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Greater separation between transmission and gen/supply</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Legally binding</li> <li>Drafted by TSOs</li> <li>Approved by ACER</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>EU funded</li> <li>Framewor NRA Cooperati</li> </ul>	rk for		
<ul> <li>Advisory role</li> <li>Assist in licence drafting</li> <li>Take certification decision</li> </ul>	DECC	DI		verall implementation and tight timetable			
	<ul> <li>Decide on policy position</li> <li>Make legislative changes</li> </ul>			nn: Legislation ence drafting Late Jan legislation b/f Parliar	laid		



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