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E-Control Regulation Commission Ordinance Amending the Gas System Charges Ordinance (2nd Gas System Charges [Amendment] Ordinance 2018)

In exercise of sections 24, 70 and 82 *Gaswirtschaftsgesetz* (Natural Gas Act) 2011, *BGBI.* (Federal Law Gazette [FLG]) I no 107/2011, as amended by FLG I no 108/2017, in conjunction with section 12 para. 2 item 1 *Energie-Control-Gesetz* (E-Control Act), FLG I no 110/2010, as amended by FLG I no 108/2017, the following Ordinance is issued:

The E-Control Regulation Commission Ordinance Setting the Natural Gas System Charges (Gas System Charges Ordinance 2013), FLG II no 309/2012, as amended by the ordinance in FLG II no 399/2017, is amended as follows:

1. Section 3 . para. 2 item 8 reads:

“8. Reintal:0.83”

2. Section 3 . para. 3 item 8 reads:

“8. Reintal:1.38”

3. Section 3 para. 4 reads:

“(4) Incremental transmission-level entry or exit capacity is subject to a mandatory minimum premium on the system utilisation charge pursuant to section 3 para. 2 or para. 3 until such time as the capacity can first be used. The minimum premium is derived from a minimum of transported volumes and decreases proportionally as commitments in excess of these minimum volumes are made. System users shall pay any auction premium and the mandatory minimum premium in addition to the system utilisation charge pursuant to section 3 para. 2 or 3 for the duration of each contract. If the system utilisation charge according to section 3 paras 2 or 3 changes during the contract term, the payable price, consisting of the reserve price, the mandatory premium and the auction premium, is adjusted for the difference between the original and the revised reserve price. The rates for the mandatory minimum premium for entries to and exits from the transmission network at the below entry and exit points payable for firm, freely allocable capacity booked by way of contracts with a term of at least one year are:

1. Überackern entry point (project GCA 2015/02a, minimum transported volumes: 1,375,001 kWh/h) 4.45;
2. Mosonmagyaróvár entry point (project GCA 2015/05, minimum transported volumes: 1,913,490 kWh/h)..... 1.40;
3. Murfeld entry point (project GCA 2015/08, minimum transported volumes: 2,775,120 kWh/h) 1.34;
4. Mosonmagyaróvár entry point (project GCA 2017/01, minimum transported volumes: 6,714,000 kWh/h)..... 1.27.”

4. Section 8 para. 4 is deleted.

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5. *After section 21 para. 13 the following para. 14 is added:*

“(14) The provisions of the 2nd Gas System Charges (Amendment) Ordinance 2018, FLG II no xxx/2018, come into force at the beginning of the gas day following the day of promulgation.”