New Security of Supply Regulation

Questions of the Russian side

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Whether:

- “Collective purchasing of gas” idea is abandoned?
- “Security of gas supply” notion is still determined on a national level?
- The EU has obtained only limited new powers to influence security of supply policy?
IS SOLIDARITY MECHANISM A WORKABLE TOOL?

Whether:

- Compensation principles decrease attractiveness of the solidarity mechanism?
- Member States are likely to reach an agreement on implementation of the solidarity mechanism (deadline - December 1, 2018)?
- In the lack of the implementing agreement, would the solidarity mechanism work in practice?
WHAT ARE PRACTICAL IMPLICATIONS OF TRANSPARENCY PROVISIONS?

Whether:

► The transparency provisions create “added value” as compared to existing instruments (including REMIT)?
► Clarifications on their application should be expected?
► Outcome of security of supply assessment would influence (and how?) the specific contracts being assessed?
THANK YOU!