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Notice concerning a request pursuant to Article 35 of Directive 2014/25/EU

Request made by a contracting entity — extension of deadline

(2016/C 239/10)

On 21 March 2016 the Commission received a request in accordance with Article 35 of Directive 2014/25/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 February 2014 on procurement procedures by entities operating in the water, energy, transport and postal services sectors and repealing Directive 2004/17/EC [1].

This request, from the Federal Association of the Energy and Water Industry (BDEW Bundesverband der Energie- und Wasserwirtschaft e.V.) on behalf of the contracting entities in that sector, concerns certain activities in the market for retail of electricity and gas in Germany. The relevant notice was published on page 22 of OJ C 205 on 9 June 2016. The initial deadline was 4 August 2016.

Pursuant to the fourth subparagraph of point 1 of Annex IV of Directive 2014/25/EU, the deadline may be extended by the Commission with the agreement of those having made the request for exemption concerned. Given that the need to obtain and analyse additional information, and with the agreement of the applicant, the period available to the Commission for deciding on this request is hereby extended by 29 working days. The final deadline is therefore 15 September 2016.

[1] OJ L 94, 28.3.2014, p. 243.