

## (4.3.) CEER intervention on the Cybersecurity Network Code **Veli-Pekka Saajo**

- **On-going activities**

- ▶ Informal process of the NC on CS
- ▶ On-going review of the NIS Directive
- ▶ Cybersecurity Certification Schemes are progressing

- **Plan for 2021**

- ▶ The formal process will start “shortly”
- ▶ NIS Revision will be tabled for discussion by end of the year
- ▶ Cybersecurity Certification Schemes shall to be prepared and may be used in future

- **Opportunities**

- ▶ Slower process may allow a coherent use of already existing regulation and of very close developments
- ▶ A more thoughtful NC may allow a more stable environment for the Energy System (and not only electricity)

- **Concerns**

- ▶ The EC will assure consistency of the process, but issues may appear if regulations and directives covering interconnected topics will start overlapping during their development (with a limited possibility to coordinate and control the processes all at the same time)
- ▶ Most NRAs have not been involved at national level in NIS implementation and many lack qualified skills in this area. The timeline to deliver the NC on CS is pretty ambitious, and the number of stakeholders is higher (much higher than before): it is unlikely that a faster process will result from those changes, even anticipating steps to the extent possible.