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Critical Contingency Management Regulations—roles and responsibilities

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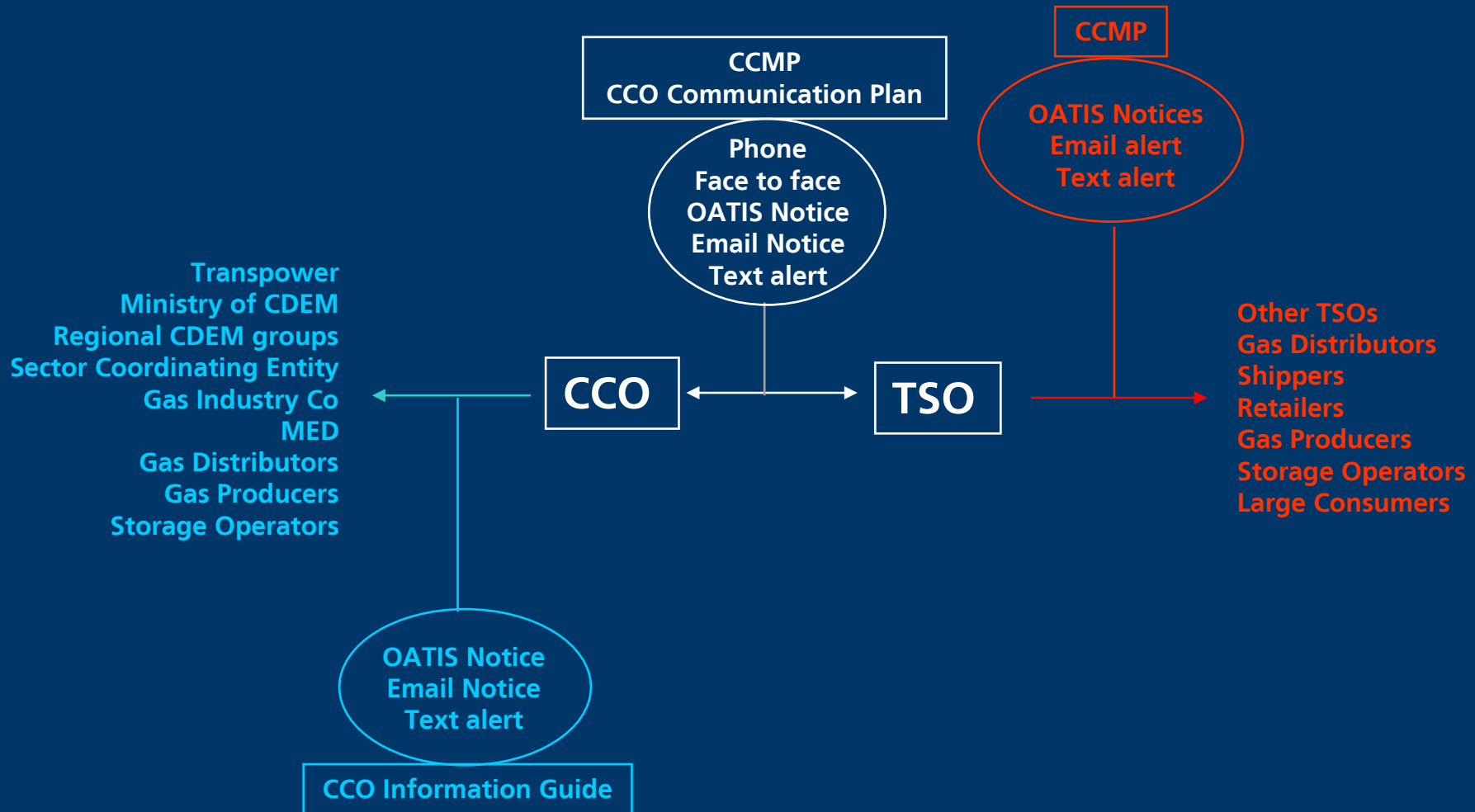
Glossary

CC	Critical Contingency
CCMP	Critical Contingency Management Plan
CCO	Critical Contingency Operator
CDEM	Civil Defence Emergency Management
OATIS	Open Access Transmission Information System
RPO	Reasonable and Prudent Operator
TSO	Transmission System Owner

Resources

- **Critical Contingency Operator website:**
www.oatis.co.nz (Note: this site is for public access and no log-on is required)
- **Gas Governance (Critical Contingency Management) Regulations 2008**
<http://www.gasindustry.co.nz/work-programme/market-administration/regulations>
- **Critical Contingency Management Plans**
(see CCO website)

Communication of Notices

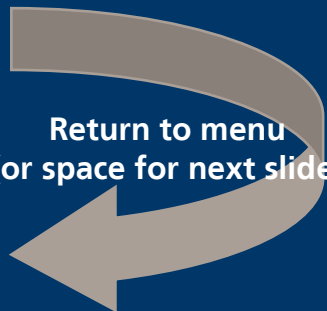


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- Critical Contingency Operator
- Transmission System Owner
- Retailers
- Large consumers
- Consumers
- Gas distributors

CCO roles

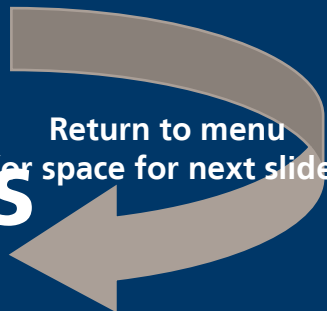
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- Determines and declares a CC, notifies TSOs & stakeholders, publishes notices on CCO website (r48, 49, 51 & 52)
- Monitors system, receives & considers communications, explores alternative supplies, issues curtailment and restoration directions and status updates, publishes notices (r53)
- Terminates CC, notifies TSOs & stakeholders, publishes notices (r60, 61 & 63)

Transmission system owners

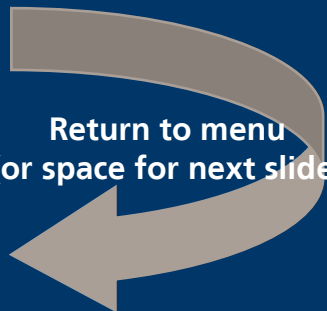
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- Comply with CCO directions, issue directions to large consumers and retailers in accordance with CCMPs (r54)
- Manage transmission system in accordance with Code and RPO obligations
- Monitor and communicate with CCO as necessary

Retailers

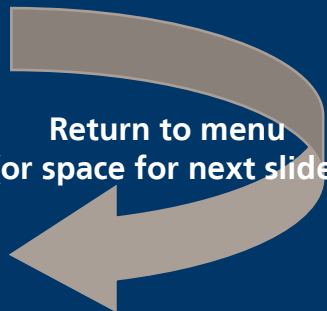
- Must comply with TSO directions (r55(1))
- Provide regular updates to TSO of retailer and consumer compliance with directions (r55(2))
- Instruct consumers to comply with TSO directions (r56)
- Maintain emergency contact details (r43)
- Provide demand information to CCO (r39)



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Large consumers

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- **Comply with TSO directions:**

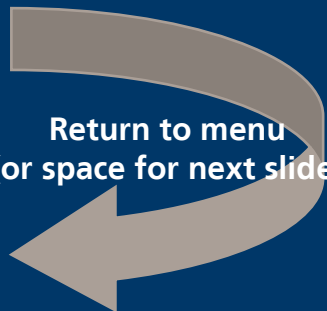
- curtailment:

- comply as soon as reasonably practicable r55(1)
 - provide TSO with regular compliance updates r55(2)
 - if minimal load consumer, implement agreed load reduction profile r45(6)

- restoration r55(1)

Consumers

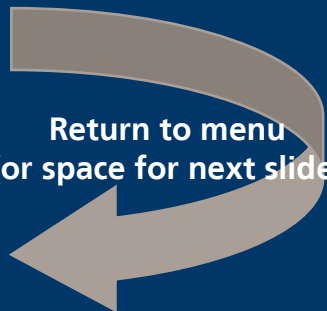
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- Must comply with directions issued by retailers as soon as reasonably practicable (r57)
(this covers both directions for curtailment and restoration, although speed of response is only of importance for curtailment)
- Certain consumers may apply for 'essential service provider' or 'minimal load consumer' status (r44, 45 & 46)

Gas distributors

- Must not act inconsistently with, or in a manner that would frustrate , the regulations or any directions issued under them (r58)



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