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Subject: Effects of state aid on the Spanish electricity sector

Given the enviable economic and financial situation of Spanish electricity companies receiving competition transition costs (CTC), what measures will the Commission take to link the payment of eligible CTC to the financial and economic viability of companies? Does it plan to assess the impact of and need for CTC at the level of consolidated companies or by individual assets?

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