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## **LEBA statement on the passing of Queen Elizabeth II**

On behalf of the organised market places, trading venues and interdealer brokers in the UK and across Europe, the London Energy Brokers' Association expresses its deepest sorrow following the death of Her Majesty The Queen. She was the most loyal of servants to her commonwealth, her country and an inspiration to us all.

Our thoughts are with the Royal Family at this difficult time. The Queen was admired around the world and leaves a legacy of humble, long-lasting and devoted public service that everyone can admire. Her passing is a great loss and marks the end of the second Elizabethan era, and therefore of modernity as we recognise it.

Whilst LEBA joins the U.K. in mourning the loss of Queen Elizabeth II, we have also begun discussions with authorities and wholesale market participants about the potential of UK market closures in observance of her passing in order to determine what implications, if any, there are for our markets and especially for expiries, payments, deliveries and settlements. [We will update our members and provide resources with guidance during the mourning period as needed.](#)

