

## Representation

### Draft Modification Report

#### 0487S - Introduction of Advanced Meter Indicator and Advanced Meter Reader (AMR) Service Provider Identifier in advance of Project Nexus Go Live

**Consultation close out date:** 08 October 2014  
**Respond to:** enquiries@gasgovernance.co.uk  
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**Date of Representation:** 23 September 2014

#### Do you support or oppose implementation?

Support/ \* *delete as appropriate*

#### Please summarise (in one paragraph) the key reason(s) for your support/opposition.

We support the solution as it aids the Change of Supplier process, data integrity and customer experience as a result of correct agents being appointed to support the specific meters and accurate Change of Supplier reads.

#### Modification Panel Members have indicated that it would be particularly helpful if the following question could be addressed in responses:

*Q1: "Respondents to indicate, recognising the solution only applies pre nexus, their expected systems implementation lead time for this modification should it be implemented, to help Panel consider the merits of this modification."*

6 months minimum

#### Are there any new or additional issues that you believe should be recorded in the Modification Report?

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#### Self Governance Statement:

*Do you agree with the Modification Panel's decision that this should be a self-governance modification?*

Yes

#### Relevant Objectives:

*How would implementation of this modification impact the relevant objectives?*

We agree that this has a positive impact as shown on the Modification for section 4d) Relative Objectives.

#### Impacts and Costs:

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*What analysis, development and ongoing costs would you face if this modification were implemented?*

There would be development costs, but unknown at this time.

**Implementation:**

*What lead-time would you wish to see prior to this modification being implemented, and why?*

6 months minimum (in line with response to Q1 above)

**Legal Text:**

*Are you satisfied that the legal text will deliver the intent of the modification?*

Yes

**Is there anything further you wish to be taken into account?**

*Please provide any additional comments, supporting analysis, or other information that that you believe should be taken into account or you wish to emphasise.*

Would the interpretation in 0487S of an Advanced Meter include those dumb meters with a data logger attached that delivers remotely collected reads? If not, how would these meter set-ups be identified to create the same solution?

It is important to identify between AMR in situ and dumb meters with a data logger attached in situ because some Suppliers may wish to replace a data logger with AMR.