
Report for Uniform Network Code Committee

March 2008

UK Link Committee

Meetings Held

13 March 2008

Planned

10 April 2008

Matters for Uniform Network Code Committee's Attention

None.

UK Link Modifications Activity

UK Link Modifications Implemented

N/A **UK Link Tech Refresh**

This was implemented 23 February 2008.

UK Link Modifications Discussed

13824.3 **Issue of Supporting Documentation via IX**

Committee discussed and agreed an April 08 implementation.

13950 **Gemini Release Summer 2008**

Committee discussed and agreed a 17/08/08 implementation.

13829 **DN Interruption Reform**

Remains on schedule for a 29/03/08 implementation.

N/A **User Pays**

Remains on schedule for a 01/04/08 implementation. The Committee discussed what the possible impacts of a delayed Authority decision on UNC Modification 0188/0188A on this change would be.

New Topic

009UKL **Gemini Contingency Arrangements**

Committee discussed and agreed to raise this new topic to 'track' any revisions to the Gemini Contingency Arrangements.

Topic Discussed

008UKL **UK Link Technology Refresh**

xoserve gave an update presentation. Committee discussed and agreed to close the topic.

Topic is closed.

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UK Link Mod Ref	Mod Title	Received	Organisation	Status	Next Step(s)
13885	Application of interruptible capacity discounts following a change in capacity/commodity split	04/06/07	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 10/08.	Requirements under review.
13824.3	Issue of Supporting Documentation via IX	08/11/07	Transporters	Implementation scheduled for 04/08.	Awaiting implementation scheduling.
13950	Gemini Release Summer 2008	10/01/08	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 17/08/08.	In Analysis.
13829	DN Interruption Reform	11/01/07	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 29/03/08	Execution of implementation plan.
13935	Restriction of Invoice Billing Period	29/06/07	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 01/04/08.	Execution of implementation plan.
N/A	User Pays	08/11/07	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 01/04/08.	Execution of implementation plan.
13923	Revision to the USRV Financial Incentives Arrangements	24/09/07	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 21/05/08.	Execution of implementation plan.
13861	Rejections associated with Shipper AQ Amendments	02/04/07	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 05/08.	Execution of implementation plan.
N/A	UK Link Tech Refresh	08/06/06	Transporters	Implemented 23/02/08.	None.

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Topic No	Date Created	Topic Originator	Topic Title	Associated Modification Proposal(s)	Priority for Discussion (H/M/L)	Status	Next Step(s)
New							
009UKL	13/03/08	Transporters	Gemini Contingency Arrangements	None	M	Following discussion the UK Link Committee members requested the raising of this new topic to 'track' the revisions to the Gemini Contingency Arrangements.	xoserve to provide an update at the April 08 UK Link Committee meeting.
Closed							
008UKL	11/01/07	Transporters	UK Link Technology Refresh	None	H	xoserve gave a further presentations on 13/12/07, 10/01 & 14/02/08 highlighting the test schedule and plans for change-over. Shippers requested assurances that systems will be able to cope with the influx of files following the outage scheduled and other change-over aspects. Concerns were expressed on contingency and fallback arrangements to which xoserve agreed to respond. Project remains on track. In-house security (system penetration) testing completed on Ph 2. Thereafter, 3 rd party security testing to commence early 2008. Detailed contingency arrangements discussed in the 'open forum' meeting. Specific discussions on contingency arrangements for delayed nomination files and consequential rejections undertaken along with identification of PRN file requirements. Concerns surrounding what is provided for within the scope of UNC 0184. xoserve provided explanations for the updated Shipper Contact List, feedback on contingency arrangements for delayed nomination files and consequential rejections, plus an update on the PRN and ratchet file processing during catch up to the satisfaction of the UK Link members. Members then discussed the next steps which include the issuing of the Final pre Go-live Shipper communications, completion of the Bulk migration activities and other work associated with pre-implementation and the commencement of the Go-live Cutover. Topic Closed.	None.