



Anne-Marie Pearman
Transco (Network Code Development)
First Floor South
31, Homer Road
Solihull
B91 3LT

Direct Dial: 0171-932-1674

05 October 1998

Dear Anne-Marie,

Re Modification 255 - Revision of Booking Rules and Overrun Regime for DM NTS Exit Capacity

Please find enclosed signed acceptance of the above network code modification proposal.

We are concerned that the time lag between the date of the monthly snapshot and the date on which the new capacity bookings become valid is too long. We have taken into consideration Transco's indication that for the first month at least this was the only achievable timetable. However, we would expect Transco to review this timetable at the earliest opportunity. The responses to your consultation clearly indicate support for a swift implementation of any snapshot taken. Should a shipper propose a modification which would have the effect of reducing the time lag between the snapshot and implementation of the new capacity bookings, we would be likely to support urgent procedures.

I would ask that you circulate this letter to all shippers.

Yours sincerely

Amrik Bal
Manager, Transportation