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# Project Nexus Workgroup AQ Issues 13<sup>th</sup> March 2012

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# Introduction

- Xoserve is developing internal requirements based on the BRDs developed at PN UNC.
- First topic is Rolling AQ
- During the internal workshops a number of issues / questions have been raised
- These need to be discussed and conclusion agreed by PN UNC



#### AQ Issues / Questions Agreed at 7<sup>th</sup> Feb PN UNC

- Assumption: the 'Spec Calc' may not be required in a 'Rolling AQ' regime.
- 2. Requirement: only validated meter reads will be used for AQ calculation.
  - Options on how this will work for transition being considered
- 3. Estimated reads will not be used for AQ calculation
  - Working assumption



### AQ Issues / Questions Agreed at 7<sup>th</sup> Feb PN UNC cont.

- 4. Assumption: Business rules developed for rolling AQ should not assume single metered Supply Points
- Requirement: Where an 'Optimum Read' is not available: Look for read upto 9 months old, where no read available look for a read upto a maximum of 36 months).
- 6. Consider option to calculate the AQ throughout the month, as opposed to a set day in the month.
  - May mean more than 1 AQ notification during the month e.g. where reads are replaced or more than 1 read submitted during the month
  - However, this would provide time to replace or submit a new read



## New Issues for Discussion

- Questions raised internally around why the 'Optimum Period' is 50 weeks or 42 weeks.
  - High level analysis suggests that 52 weeks (or 365 days) for all sites would provide a more accurate AQ

