Transporters Response: Option C Approach

- Following a request from DESC Transporters agreed to carry out an amendment to the ALP and DAF values for 2011/12 for non 01B EUCs based on a modified version of 'Option B' (now referred to as 'Option C').
 - The EUC definitions, EUC demand models and aggregate NDM demand models remain the same as the initial proposals.
 - The ALP and DAF values for the domestic ("01B") EUCs also remain the same as the initial proposals.
 - The EUC load factors remain the same as the initial proposals.
 - However the ALP and DAF values for each non-domestic (i.e. non "01B") EUC are adjusted as follows:
 - a) the ALP and DAF values for Sunday January 1st 2012 are set to the same values as those for Sunday December 25th 2011 (denoted by X and X* respectively).
 - b) the ALP and DAF values for Tuesday January 3rd 2012 are set to the same as those for Wednesday January 4th 2012.
 - c) the ALP and DAF values for the December 24th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st 2011 and 2nd January 2012 are averaged (denoted by Y and Y* respectively)
 - d) the ALP values for the December 24th and 31st 2011 are set to Y and the DAF values on these two dates are set to Y*.
 - e) the ALP values for the December 26th and 27th 2011 and 2nd January 2012 are set to (X+Y)/2 and the DAF values on these three dates are set to $(X^*+Y^*)/2$.
 - f) the ALP values for the December 28th, 29th and 30th 2011 are set to Y+((Y-X)/2) and the DAF values on these three dates are set to $Y^*+((Y^*-X^*)/2)$
 - g) Following the adjustments described above, the ALP values for all days in the period from Saturday December 24th 2011 to Monday January 3rd 2012 are scaled (by a small amount) so XOSECV that sum of the ALPs over the period from December 24th 2011 to January 3rd 2012 remains the same as in the initial proposals (and the sum of the ALPs over the gas year remains at 366)



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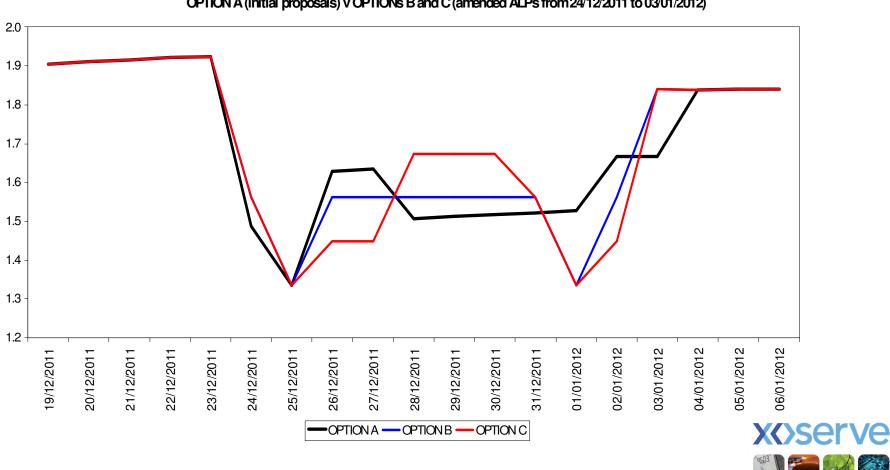


FIGURE I. ALP values for NE:E1102B for Christmas / New Holiday Period 2011/12, OPTION A (initial proposals) v OPTIONs B and C (amended ALPs from 24/12/2011 to 03/01/2012)

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