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Mod Title: Updating code to reflect the correct  
'Designated Person'



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# Why change?



- The 'Designated Person' is the individual who performs the User Representative UNC Panel and subcommittee appointment process on behalf of Users.
- The 'company secretary of the Gas Forum', who previously performed this activity, is no longer available, because the Gas Forum has ceased trading.
- On 01 March 2016 Ofgem's decision was for the Joint Office of Gas Transporters (the Joint Office) to be the new 'Designated Person'.

# Solution



- As the 'Designated Person' is an individual, rather than an organisation, the UNC Modification Rules are to identify the 'Chief Executive of the Joint Office of Gas Transporters' as the new 'Designated Person'

# Recommended Steps



- The Proposer recommends that this modification should be:
  - Subject to Fast Track self-governance, because it has no material impact on any party, as it is simply aligning the UNC Modification Rules to Ofgem's 'Designated Person' decision.

(As fast track self-governance procedures are proposed, implementation could be sixteen business days after a unanimous vote in favour of implementation by the Modification Panel, subject to no objection being raised).