

Representation

Draft Modification Report

0478 - Filling the gap for SOQ reductions below BSSOQ until Project Nexus

Consultation close out date: 21 March 2014

Respond to: enquiries@gasgovernance.co.uk

Organisation:

Eastman Chemical Workington
Ltd

Representative: Gavin Ranson,
Utilities and Energy manager.

Date of Representation: 25 February 2014

Do you support or oppose implementation?

We support this change

Please summarise (in one paragraph) the key reason(s) for your support/opposition.

Our company sub-meters gas to a tenant who has historically consumed approximately 50% of the combined capacity. Our tenant announced closure in November 2013 and ceased operations the following month. This change to the rules will allow Eastman to nominate a realistic reduced on-going capacity from October 2014. Without this change only bottom stop capacity could be nominated going forward, and our tenants share of the capacity charges incurred during consumption in winter 13 would then be chargeable up to October 2015. We believe in these circumstances such a continuing cost would be commercially unfair to both Eastman and our tenant, and we therefore support this change.

Are there any new or additional issues that you believe should be recorded in the Modification Report?

None