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Draft Modification Report

0477 - Supply Point Registration - Facilitation of Faster Switching

Consultation close out date: 10 April 2014
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Do you support or oppose implementation?

Support

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

We are of the view that speeding up the change of supply process is more likely to encourage switching and therefore to increase levels of competition between suppliers.

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

No

Relevant Objectives:

How would implementation of this modification impact the relevant objectives?

Implementation would expect to further relevant objectives d) i) and ii) securing of effective competition between shippers and suppliers.

Impacts and Costs:

What analysis, development and ongoing costs would you face if this modification were implemented?

There would be some costs around internal systems amendments, however, we believe these will outweighed by the benefits resulting from implementation.

Implementation:

What lead-time would you wish to see prior to this modification being implemented, and why?

We believe the 10 month timescale proposed by Xoserve is sufficient.

Legal Text:

Are you satisfied that the legal text and the proposed ACS (see www.gasgovernance.co.uk/proposedACS) will deliver the intent of the modification?

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Yes

Is there anything further you wish to be taken into account?

Please provide any additional comments, supporting analysis, or other information that that you believe should be taken into account or you wish to emphasise.

No