

## Project Nexus Update for UK-Link Committee 10th November 2011 as of 9th November 2011

Xoserve's Project Nexus is defining industry requirements for the nature and scope of its services to support the future shape of the gas industry.

Since the last UK-Link Committee update three further days of Project Nexus industry meeting have taken place. Progress on the six topics in hand is as follows:

**“Settlement” (i.e. use of Meter Readings in Daily Allocation and Settlement)** has been completed. Final amendments to the Business Rules Document were agreed at the November Workgroup meeting and the document will now be baselined and published on Joint Office website.

**Reconciliation:** a final draft of the business rules was issued for industry comments, which are due back on 10 November. The aim is to review all comments and agree a final version of the requirements at the 22 November meeting.

The **AQ** topic is at the same stage as Reconciliation: comments are due back on 10 November with a view to agreeing the final version on 21 November.

Work is also ongoing on **Invoicing** and **Retrospective Updates**, defining changes to current arrangements based on the original Project Nexus Initial Requirements Register. The **Supply Point Register** topic is focusing on changes/additions to the data held on the Register.

The workshop timetable targets January 2012 for completion of the programme of requirements definition. PN UNC Workgroup is also discussing the approach to raising and progressing Modifications following the approval of Business Requirements Documents by the Workgroup. No changes could be made to Xoserve's systems without an approved UNC Modification, whose implementation would be overseen by UKLink Committee.

More information in respect of previous PNUNC meetings can be found at:  
<http://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/nexus/2011>

**Project Nexus Advisory Group** (PNAG) is an invited group of senior industry stakeholders which meets periodically to advise Xoserve on its approach to the Requirements Definition Phase of Project Nexus. PNAG met on 17 October and broadly supported Xoserve's ongoing approach to Requirements Definition. There was considerable debate about the lack of industry progress in meeting the aspiration to include iGT supply points on a Single Industry Supply Point Register. More information in respect of previous PNAG meetings can be found at: [http://www.xoserve.co.uk/nexus\\_PNAG.asp](http://www.xoserve.co.uk/nexus_PNAG.asp)

### Future Meetings

PN UNC Workgroup – 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> November 2011

PN UNC Workgroup – 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> December 2011

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