UNIFORM NETWORK CODE - TRANSITION DOCUMENT

Part IIB - New Transporter

1 Introduction

1.1 Anything done by a User or National Grid pursuant to, and any circumstances existing under National Grid's Network Code on or before the Last Day, so far as relating to a Relevant System, shall be deemed to have been done (by the User or the New Transporter) pursuant to or exist under the New Transporter's Network Code for the purposes of its application on and with effect from the First Day, except as provided under paragraph 4 of Part IIA or expressly provided for in this Part IIB.

2 New Transporter's Network Code

- 2.1 In accordance with paragraph 1.1, for the purposes of giving effect to the New Transporter's Network Code on the First Day, all parameter values established and prevailing pursuant to the terms of National Grid's Network Code on the Last Day and relating to a Relevant System shall be deemed to have been established and prevailing on and with effect from the First Day in accordance with the equivalent terms of the New Transporter's Network Code.
- 2.2 In accordance with paragraph 1.1, any determination made, discretion exercised or step taken by National Grid pursuant to National Grid's Network Code on or before the Last Day and relating to a Relevant System shall be deemed with effect from the First Day to be a determination made, discretion exercised or step taken by the New Transporter in accordance with the equivalent terms of the New Transporter's Network Code.

3 Values and parameters

3.1 The parameter values referred to in paragraph 2.1 shall include, but not be limited to, the following:

TPD Section	Value and parameter
TPD Section B: System Use and Capacity	A User's Registered and Available System Capacity in respect of relevant System Points
	Overrun Amounts and Supply Point Ratchet amounts in respect of relevant System Points
TPD Section C: Nominations	Input Nominations, Output Nominations and Renominations
TPD Section G: Supply Points	Registered Users and Registered Supply Points

	Annual Quantities, Supply Point Offtake Rates, maximum offtake rates, Maximum Supply Point Offtake Rates and Aggregate Bottom-stop Capacity in respect of relevant System Points
	Designation of relevant Supply Points as Firm or Interruptible Supply Points and remaining available Interruption Allowances for the Gas Year in respect of relevant System Points
TPD Section H: Demand Models and Demand Forecasting	End User Categories, Demand Models, Composite Weather Variables, Weather Variable Coefficients and seasonal normal values
TPD Section L: Maintenance and Operational Planning	Programmed Maintenance in respect of relevant System Points
TPD Section N: Shrinkage	Shrinkage Factors in respect of Relevant Systems
TPD Section Q: Emergencies	Designation of Priority Consumers in respect of relevant System Points
TPD Section U: UK Link	Planned UK Link downtime

4 Code Communications

4.1 In accordance with paragraph 1.1, but subject to paragraphs 3 and 4 of Part IIA, a Code Communication made or received for the purposes of National Grid's Network Code on or before the Last Day shall to the extent relating to a Relevant System be deemed to have been made or received and be effective in accordance with the equivalent terms of the New Transporter's Network Code.

5 Invoices¹

5.1 For the avoidance of doubt, in accordance with paragraph 1.1, amounts relating to a Relevant System and payable by way of a Transportation Charge, other than Invoiced Transportation Charges, shall be payable by or to the New Transporter pursuant to the New Transporter's Network Code, including where such amounts accrue in respect of any period on or before the Last Day.

6 Accrued rights, obligations and liabilities

6.1 In accordance with paragraph 1.1, but subject to paragraph 4 of Part IIA the rights, obligations and liabilities of National Grid and a User under National Grid's Network Code, the National

¹ Implementation of modification 0592S effective 05:00hrs on 30/09/2016, will amend paragraph 5.

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Grid Framework Agreement and any Ancillary Agreement as outstanding on the Last Day and so far as relating to a Relevant System, shall be deemed with effect from the First Day to be rights, obligations and liabilities between, and enforceable by, the New Transporter and the User.

7 Ancillary Agreements and NEAs/NExA

- 7.1 In accordance with paragraph 1.1, where (as at the Last Day) National Grid and a User or Users are party to an Ancillary Agreement relating to a Relevant System, the Ancillary Agreement shall be deemed with effect from the First Day to be an agreement between the New Transporter and the relevant User(s) and in respect of which National Grid is no longer a party.
- 7.2 In accordance with paragraph 1.1, where (as at the Last Day) there is a Network Exit Agreement or there are Network Entry Provisions in force relating to a Relevant System, parameter values contained or provided for in or determined under such Network Exit Agreement or Network Entry Provisions shall be deemed on and with effect from the First Day to apply for the purposes of the New Transporter's Network Code (unless and until the New Transporter enters into an equivalent Network Exit Agreement or Network Entry Provisions).

8 Publications and procedures etc

- 8.1 In accordance with paragraph 1.1, subject to paragraph 3 of Part IIA, any document or publication made available by National Grid and relating to a Relevant System shall be deemed to have been made available or published by the New Transporter in accordance with the equivalent terms of the New Transporter's Network Code.
- 8.2 In accordance with paragraph 1.1, where pursuant to National Grid's Network Code any procedures, conditions, methodologies or standards relating to a Relevant System apply, the same procedures, conditions, methodologies or standards shall be deemed to be the procedures, conditions, methodologies or standards applying with effect from the First Day for the purposes of the New Transporter's Network Code.

9 Disputes

9.1 Subject to paragraph 4.3 of Part IIA, any dispute existing and outstanding on the Last Day between National Grid and a User and relating to a Relevant System shall be deemed with effect from the First Day to be a dispute existing and outstanding under the New Transporter's Network Code between the New Transporter and the relevant User.

10 External UK Link Users

10.1 Each person permitted to have access to and use of UK Link pursuant to National Grid's Network Code shall be deemed with effect from the First Day to have been permitted access to and use of UK Link pursuant to the New Transporter's Network Code.

11 User Agents

11.1 Each person appointed by a User as a User Agent pursuant to National Grid's Network Code shall be deemed with effect from the First Day to be have been appointed as a User Agent by the same User for the same period and in respect of the same category of UK Link Code Communications pursuant to the New Transporter's Network Code.

12 Credit arrangements

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12.1 Nothing in this Part IIB affects (or operates to transfer to the New Transporter) any surety or security provided by any User to National Grid as at the Last Day pursuant to National Grid's Network Code.²

13 UNCC sub-committees

13.1 Each person appointed to a sub-committee of the Uniform Network Code Committee on or before the Last Day by National Grid as a representative of National Grid in its capacity as a DN Operator shall be deemed with effect from the First Day to have been appointed to the sub-committee by the New Transporter.

² Implementation of modification 0592S effective 05:00hrs on 30/09/2016, will add new paragraphs 12.2 & 12.3.