

Workgroup Terms of Reference

0516 - Information provision by large Customers to aid understanding of site characteristics

Date referred from Panel: 16 October 2014

Background – Why Change?

Please refer to www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0516

Solution

It is proposed that daily read customers (i.e. DM Mandatory, DM Voluntary and DM Elective – product 1 post Nexus) connected to a DN would be able to register their site needs in advance of potential emergency conditions (on a System Needs Register established for the purpose). In the event of a local emergency the DN would be able to use this information and have regard for these site needs when handling the emergency, removing the need for further information provision during emergency conditions.

Topics for Discussion

- Understanding the objective
- Assessment of alternative means to achieve objective
- Development of Solution (including business rules if appropriate)
- Assessment of potential impacts of the modification
- Assessment of implementation costs
- Assessment of legal text

Questions for Workgroup consideration:

Would the proposed process require central systems development to record the information, if so should it be a User Pays modification based on possible Supply Point administration changes;

Within the modification, should the obligations on Consumers be replaced with obligations on Shippers.

Outputs

Produce a Workgroup Report for submission to the Modification Panel, containing the assessment and recommendations of the Workgroup.

Composition of Workgroup

The Workgroup is open to any party that wishes to attend or participate.

A Workgroup meeting will be quorate provided at least two Transporter and two User representatives are present.

Meeting Arrangements

Meetings will be administered by the Joint Office and conducted in accordance with the Code Administration Code of Practice.

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