Representation - Modification UNC 0634 (Urgent)

Revised estimation process for DM sites with D-7 zero consumption

Responses invited by: 5pm on 03 November 2017

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Date of Representation:	03 November 2017
Support or oppose implementation?	Support
Relevant Objective:	d) Positive

Reason for support/opposition: Please summarise (in one paragraph) the key reason(s)

This modification proposes an alternative process for amending consumption on Class 1 Daily Metered (DM) sites to prevent inappropriate D-7 zero estimated consumption entering the settlement calculation. One of the unintended consequences of the current mechanism is when a Class 1 DM site consumes gas on a particular day but does not manage to submit a Valid Meter Reading and the D-7 consumption is zero. In this situation, the volume is allocated to unidentified gas which is mostly paid for by NDM shippers until a Valid Meter Reading is submitted and accepted.

Implementation: What lead-time do you wish to see prior to implementation and why?

We would like to see immediate implementation following Authority decision due to the urgency of this modification.

Impacts and Costs: What analysis, development and ongoing costs would you face?

N/A

Legal Text: Are you satisfied that the legal text will deliver the intent of the Solution?

Yes

Are there any errors or omissions in this Modification that you think should be taken into account? Include details of any impacts/costs to your organisation that are directly related to this.

No

Please provide below any additional analysis or information to support your representation N/A