# **UNC Workgroup 0645S Minutes**

# Amending the oxygen content limit in the Network Entry Agreement at South Hook LNG

# Thursday 01 February 2018 at Elexon, 350 Euston Road, London NW1 3AW

Attendees						
Rebecca Hailes	(RHa)	Chair				
Helen Bennett	(HB)	Secretary				
Andrew Pearce	(AP)	BP				
Anna Shrigley	(AS)	Eni Trading & Shipping				
Charles Ruffell	(CR)	RWE				
Elvan Akkaya*	(EA)	South Hook LNG				
Gerry Hoggan	(GH)	ScottishPower				
Graham Dickson	(GD)	Interconnector				
Graham Jack	(GJ)	Centrica				
Jeff Chandler	(JC)	SSE				
Jon Dutton	(JD)	National Grid NTS				
Julie Cox*	(JCx)	Energy UK				
Malcolm Montgomery	(MM)	National Grid NTS				
Nicola Lond	(NL)	National Grid NTS				
Nick King	(NK)	CGN Services				
Nick Wye*	(NW)	Waters Wye Associates				
Phil Hobbins	(PH)	National Grid NTS				
Robin Dunne	(RD)	Ofgem				
Rowan Hazell*	(RHi)	Cornwall Insight				
Shiv Singh	(SS)	Cadent				
Sinead Obeng	(SO)	South Hook Gas				
Steve Pownall	(SP)	Xoserve				
Terry Burke	(TB)	Statoil				
*via teleconference						

Copies of papers are available at: https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0645/010218

#### 1. Introduction

#### 2. Development of Workgroup Report

SO talked the workgroup through the slides used to present the Modification to the January UNC Panel, which can be found here: https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/panel/180118 .

The main driver for this modification is risk of Incomplete Combustion Factor (ICF) / Wobbe Index (WI) breach, because  $N_2$  ballasting has to be reduced if  $O_2$  is present. JCh said  $O_2$  is not an issue for integrity for power stations; it is risk of corrosion for storage sites that is of concern. It is not expected that Milford gas would reach any storage sites but modelling is required to confirm this.

PH advised that the Network Capability Team are aware this analysis and concomitant implications of this modification will be required and that it needs to be ready for the next meeting on 01 March 2018.

New Action 0201: NG (in line with previous enabling modification to facilitate oxygen content amendment) to produce a view of the penetration of South Hook Gas into the NTS, providing scenarios and a heat map diagram.

CR confirmed that initial feedback from colleagues is that this modification will not impact nower sites close to the location in question.

Some attendees felt that a 1-month turnaround is very ambitious for National Grid to provide all of the analysis that is now being requested.

New Action 0202: RH will write to GSOG, MEUC and EIUG to highlight this modification is going through development. GH will supply details of who the GSOG contact would be.

Post meeting update: this action has now been completed.

RHa took the workgroup through an onscreen review of the Workgroup Report.

New Action 0203: PH to provide wording for the Workgroup Report specifically TSO actions relating to gas quality specification and cross border flow.

#### Quoracy

It should be noted that at the time of this meeting there was only 1 Transporter represented (National Grid) at the Workgroup. This means that any additions entered in to the workgroup report will need to be reviewed at the next meeting.

#### 3. Review of Outstanding Actions

n/a

## 4. Next Steps

The next meeting will aim to cover:

- Action updates
- Analysis from National Grid
- Implications of analysis results
- Update the workgroup report.

#### 5. Any Other Business

#### 6. Diary Planning

Further details of planned meetings are available at: http://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/Diary

Time/Date	Location	
10:00, Thursday 01 March 2018	Elexon, 350 Euston Road, London NW1 3AW	

## Action Table (as at 01 February 2018)

Action Ref	Meeting Date	Minute Ref	Action	Owner	Status Update
0201	01/02/18	2.0	NG (in line with previous enabling modification to facilitate oxygen content amendment) to produce a view of the penetration of South Hook Gas into the NTS, providing scenarios and a heat map diagram.	National Grid NTS (PH)	Pending

0202	01/02/18	2.0	RHa will write to GSOG, MEUC and EIUG to highlight this modification is going through development. GH will supply details of who the GSOG contact would be.	Joint Office (RHa)	Completed
0203	01/02/18	2.0	PH to provide wording for the Workgroup Report specifically TSO actions relating to gas quality specification and cross border flow.	National Grid NTS (PH)	Pending