

Demand Estimation Sub-Committee (DESC) Key Messages - 19 July 2023

Agenda Item Outcomes

Agenda Item 2.0: Review Industry Representations on 2023/24 NDM Algorithms

Following DESC's invitation to the wider industry to comment on the draft Gas Demand Profiles for Gas Year 2023/24 as part of the formal industry consultation, we can confirm there were **no additional industry representations received**.

DESC voted to **approve** the latest draft profiles which means the industry consultation has been completed for this year. Ofgem will now be informed.

The remaining activities will focus on updating the core industry systems (UK Link and Gemini) during August and September.

Agenda Item 4.0: Seasonal Normal Review 2025

DESC **approved** the scope for the review of the Composite Weather Variable (CWV) formula, which is one of the key outcomes from DESC's Seasonal Normal Review process.

Agenda Item 5.0: Agreement of Adhoc Workplan

DESC **reviewed and approved** the CDSP's recommended plan of adhoc analysis for the upcoming Autumn/Winter period

Further Info:

More detail for the above DESC meeting items is available [here](#)