

Representation

Draft Modification Report

0455S - Updating of Meter Information by the Transporter

Consultation close out date: 21 March 2014

Respond to: enquiries@gasgovernance.co.uk

Organisation: Southern Gas Networks & Scotland Gas Networks

Representative: David Mitchell

Date of Representation: 21 March 2014

Do you support or oppose implementation?

Support

Please summarise (in one paragraph) the key reason(s) for your support/opposition.

SGN supports this modification as it will provide the industry with a valuable mechanism for updating the Supply Point Register in circumstances where the Registered User has failed to do so. Introducing a mechanism that allows Distribution Networks to update the supply point register where there is no registered user for a site will potentially give the industry visibility of meter assets on Unregistered Sites.

Modification Panel Members have indicated that it would be particularly helpful if as part of the consultation process views could be provided on the Workgroup's recommendation that the self-governance status should be reviewed.

Self Governance Statement:

Do you agree with the Modification Panel's decision that this should be a self-governance modification?

Yes

Are there any new or additional issues that you believe should be recorded in the Modification Report?

No

Relevant Objectives:

How would implementation of this modification impact the relevant objectives?

This modification meets relevant objective (D)(i)&(ii) as it provides an effective means of updating the Supply Point Register and it will better secure effective competition between relevant suppliers and shippers.

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Impacts and Costs:

What analysis, development and ongoing costs would you face if this modification were implemented?

No direct costs to SGN have been identified

Implementation:

What lead-time would you wish to see prior to this modification being implemented, and why?

This modification can be implemented with immediate effect.

Legal Text:

Are you satisfied that the legal text will deliver the intent of the modification?

Yes

Is there anything further you wish to be taken into account?

Please provide any additional comments, supporting analysis, or other information that that you believe should be taken into account or you wish to emphasise.

No