
Report for Modification Panel July 2007 Transmission Workstream

Meetings Held

18 June 2007 Gas Quality Workshop 2

28 June 2007 Transfers and Trades

05 July 2007

Planned

19 July 2007 (provisional)

02 August 2007

Matters for Panel's Attention

0154 Enduring Provisions for LDZ System Entry Points. Workstream Report.

Modifications Activity

Proposals Approved:

0134V **Publication of Nodal NTS Demand Forecast**

Implementation 25 June 2007

0139 **Amendments to UNC TPD OCS Process and Long Term Allocation of Capacity in the Transitional Period**

Implementation 25 June 2007

Proposals Rejected

0139A **Amendments to UNC TPD OCS Process and Long Term Allocation of Capacity in the Transitional Period**

Rejected 22 June 2007

0151 **Transfer of Sold Capacity between ASEPS**

Rejected 12 June 2007; decision currently subject of a Judicial Review

Proposal allocated to Workstream:

0154 **Enduring Provisions for LDZ System Entry Points**

Report developed at Workstream 05 July 2007.

The Workstream recommended that subject to the provision of satisfactory legal text by the Proposer, this Proposal should proceed to the consultation phase.

Final Modification Proposal issued.

0153 **Amendment of Interconnector UK's Network Entry Provisions**

FMR produced 13 July 2007; awaiting Ofgem's decision.

New Proposal

0159 **National Grid NTS discretionary release of Interruptible NTS Entry Capacity**

Raised 11 July 2007

The Workstream received a presentation from National Grid NTS that indicated the nature and purpose of this Proposal. No objection was raised to the Proposer's suggestion that this Proposal should go directly to consultation.

New Urgent Proposal

0156 **Transfer and Trading of Capacity between ASEPs**

Urgent status granted 09 July 2007; consultation closes 20 July 2007.

Topics Activity

The Following Topics were reviewed:

008TR **Entry Capacity**

Discussion held on capacity substitution and interruptible arrangements. National Grid NTS has subsequently raised Urgent Proposal 0156 "Transfer and Trading of Capacity between ASEPs" and Proposal 0159 "National Grid NTS discretionary release of Interruptible NTS Entry Capacity".

018TR **Information Transparency**

0104: Ofgem decision awaited.

0140: "Review of Information Provision on National Grids Information Exchange." Two meetings were held on 19 June and 09 July 2007 at Elexon Offices, 350 Euston Road, London NW1 3AW. The next meeting will be held on 27 July 2007 (London).

Safety Monitors: A discussion took place on a proposed new communication process.

019TR **Gas Emergency Cashout Arrangements**

Modification Proposals 0149/0149A "Gas Emergency Cashout Arrangements: Keeping the On the Day Commodity Market open during a Gas Deficit Emergency" – to Panel 19 July 2007.

020TR **Gas Quality**

A Workshop was held on 18 June 2007. It was agreed that a further workshop will be arranged later in the year (Sept/Oct) following consideration of the responses to the consultation and the subsequent publication of Ofgem's Initial Proposals document.

Transmission Workstream Topic Status Report: July 2007

Topic No	Date Created	Topic Originator	Topic Title	Associated Modification Proposal(s)	Priority for Discussion (H/M/L)	Status	Next Step(s)
Live							
003TR	05/05/05	National Grid NTS	Review of NTS Exit Capacity Arrangements	a) 0134V b) 0139/ 0139A		a) Mod 0134V – Implemented 25 Jun 07. b) Mod 0139 – Implemented 25 Jun 07; 0139A – Rejected.	a) End of process. b) End of process.
008TR	02/06/05	Total/ National Grid NTS	Entry Capacity	a) 0150/ 0150A, 0151/ 0151A c) 0159 d) 0153		a) Trades and Transfers: Mods 0150/0150A, 0151/0151A rejected 12 Jun 07. Further Workstream held 28 Jun 07 to discuss options. b) Substitution: Initial presentation at June Workstream c) Interruptible Arrangements: Initial presentation at June Workstream d) Raised 13 Jun 07 by National Grid NTS - shortened consultation period.	a) Further Modification Proposals b) Modification Proposal to be raised. c) Modification Proposal to be raised. d) Consultation ends 06 Jul 07.

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				e) 0154		e) Raised 13 Jun 07 by National Grid Distribution- allocated to Transmission Workstream.	e) To Transmission Workstream 05 Jul 07; produce Workstream Report.
018TR	25/10/06	energywatch /Poyry	Information Transparency	a) 0104 b) 0140		a) 18 May 07 Ofgem issued an Open Letter- responses due by 01 Jun 07. Review of status by Panel 21Jun 07. b) Mod 0140 - Review Group meeting held 09 Jul 07. c) Safety Monitors	a) Ofgem decision. b) Next meeting 27 Jul 07 (Elexon). c) Discussion at July Workstream
019TR	05/04/07	National Grid NTS	Emergency Market Arrangements	0149 0149A		Mod 0149/0149A - Consultations on both Mods ended on 26 Jun 07. FMR produced 29 Jun 07.	To Panel 19 Jul 07.

On Hold							
014TR	02/02/06	National Grid NTS	Operating Margins Procurement			13 Feb 07 – Invitation to Tender issued	Mod Proposal to follow as necessary. Remains on hold.
015TR	29/06/06	National Grid NTS	Constraint Management	0119		28 Mar 07 – Ofgem rejected 0119	NG NTS review in the context of rejection letter. Remains on hold.
016TR	05/10/06	National Grid NTS	Storage Commodity Charge	0120V		31 Jan 07 - Ofgem reject Mod 0120V.	NG NTS review in the context of rejection letter. Remains on hold.
020TR	05/04/07	National Grid NTS	Gas Quality			Second workshop held 18 Jun 07.	Ofgem Consultation document. Further workshop to be arranged (Sept/Oct) following consideration of the responses to the consultation and the subsequent publication of Ofgem's Initial Proposals document. Topic placed on hold.

