Calculation of 'K' under RIIO-T1 & NTS Charging Methodology impacts







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Key Changes Under RIIO

From 1st April 2013 under RIIO:

- 2 year lag on 'K' adjustments to allowed revenue
- Interest Rate Adjustment dependent on level of 'K'
- Under/over recovery levels for Interest Rate Adjustment allocated into bands
- 2013/2014 remain as current formula in TPCR4
- 2014/2015 formula year 'K_t' will be zero

What needs to be done

- Update the calculation of the 'K' revenue adjustment factor based on:
 - 2 year-lag
 - Interest Rate Adjustment allocated into bands
- Amendments are applicable for calculations of the 'K' revenue adjustment factor from 2014/2015 onwards in the National Grid Transmission Transportation Charging Methodology contained in UNC TPD Section Y Appendix A Treatment Of Under/Over Recovery 'K'.

Current Penalty Interest Rate

- Current Penalty Interest Rate (PI_t) values (also applicable in first year of RIIO 2013/2014):
 - Revenue collected exceeds maximum TO Revenue have Pl₊ value of 3
 - i.e. Revenue collected is £1100 and Maximum TO Revenue is £1000
 - Penalty Interest Rate applied is 3%
 - Revenue collected does not exceed maximum TO Revenue have PI, value of 0
 - i.e. Revenue collected is £980 and Maximum TO Revenue is £1000
 - No Penalty Interest Rate Applied

New Penalty Interest Rate

- New Interest Rate Adjustment (PR_t) values under RIIO (applicable from 2014/2015 onwards):
 - Revenue collected exceeds 104% of maximum TO Revenue have PR, value of 3
 - i.e. Revenue collected is £1100 and Maximum TO Revenue is £1000
 - Interest Rate Adjustment applied is 3%
 - Revenue collected is between 96% and 104% of maximum TO Revenue have PR₁ value of 1.5
 - i.e. Revenue collected is £1010 and Maximum TO Revenue is £1000
 - Interest Rate Adjustment applied is 1.5%
 - Revenue collected is less than 96% of maximum TO Revenue have PR, value of 0
 - i.e. Revenue collected is £900 and Maximum TO Revenue is £1000
 - No Interest Rate Adjustment Applied

Current Licence Calculation

 $TOK_t = (TOR_{t-1} - TOMAR_{t-1}) \times (1 + (IR_t + PI_t)/100)$

Where:

- TOK_t: TO Revenue adjustment factor in respect of formula year t for charging purposes
- **TOR**_{t-1}: TO Entry Revenue collected in year t-1
- TOMAR_{t-1}: TO Maximum Allowed Revenue allocated in the Charging Methodology
- IR_t: Percentage interest rate in respect of formula year t [Special Condition 2A of National Grid NTS's Transporters Licence]
- PI_t: Penalty interest rate in respect of formula year t [Special Condition 2A of National Grid NTS's Transporters Licence]

New Licence Calculation

$$K_t = (TOR_{t-2} - MR_{t-2}) \times (1 + (I_{t-2} + PR_t)/100) \times (1 + (I_{t-1} + 1.5)/100)^*$$

Where:

- K_t: Revenue adjustment factor in respect of formula year t
- **TOR**_{t-2}: TO Revenue in year t-2
- MR_{t-2}: TO Maximum Allowed Revenue allocated in the Charging Methodology
- I_t: Percentage Interest Rate adjustment in formula year t with respect of formula year t-2
- PR_t: Interest Rate Adjustment in formula year t with respect of formula year t-2
- For charging purposes need to split this between entry and exit

^{*} Formula also applies for SOK, but the calculation is not in the Methodology

Summary

TPCR4		
1 year lag		
Over Recovery	3% Penalty Rate	
Under Recovery	0% Penalty Rate	

RIIO		
2 year lag		
Over 104% maximum TO Revenue	3% Interest Rate Adjustment	
Between 96% and 104% maximum TO Revenue	1.5% Interest Rate Adjustment	
Under 96% maximum TO Revenue	0% Interest Rate Adjustment	

Next Steps

- The Modification is not urgent
- The Modification is required to fully align the NTS Charging Methodology with RIIO-T1
- National Grid intends to submit the Modification to the UNC Modification Panel on 20th June 2013