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Dear John

## Re: UNC Modification Proposal 254 - Facilitating the use of forecast data in the UNC

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to this modification proposal. Northern Gas Networks (NGN) supports implementation of this modification proposal.

This proposal provides a pragmatic solution to the current obstacles which hinder using EP2 data in the calculation of the next Seasonal Normal demand profiles, and will continue to provide flexibility in the use of forecast weather data in future.

Yours sincerely,

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