Workgroup 0621 Summary of Outcomes Wednesday 25 April 2018 at St Johns Hotel, 651 Warwick Road, Solihull, B91 1AT

Attendees		
Rebecca Hailes (Chair)	Joint Office	
Kully Jones (Secretary)	Joint Office	
Anna Shrigley*	ENI	
Charles Wood*	Dentons (am)	
Chris Shanley	Joint Office	
Colin Williams	National Grid NTS	
Debra Hawkin	TPA Solutions	
Graham Jack	Centrica	
Helen Bennett	Joint Office	
Julie Cox	Energy UK	
Liam O'Flynn	Dentons	
Nick Wye	Waters Wye Associates	
Paul Orsler	Xoserve	
Paul Youngman	Drax	
Phil Lucas	National Grid NTS	
Richard Fairholme	Uniper	
Richard Miller*	Ofgem	
Sean Hayward*	Ofgem	
Shiv Singh*	Cadent	

Key Points/Decisions

- 1. Joint Office welcomed everyone to the meeting.
- 2. The material provided for the meeting can be accessed here: https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0621/250418
- 3. No Pre-Mod discussion.
- 4. Workgroup went through the *Workgroup Report Drafting* document published on the website as version 4.1, this includes additional paragraphs inserted by National Grid on NTS Optional Charge and Updating Costs for RPI for discussion (page 12 and 13). An initial review of the NTS Optional Charge discussion took place focusing on Modification 0621C. Please note that this topic will discussed in full tomorrow as planned.
- 5. Charles Wood and Liam O'Flynn from Dentons joined the meeting to walkthrough the updated legal text for Modification 0621 for discussion. The following documents were reviewed in the meeting:
 - Legal Text Cover Sheet
 - Legal Text Annex C Transition Document Part IIC

Legal Text - Annex A TPD Section B System Use and Capacity

Legal Text - TPD Annex B Section Y Charging Methodologies

Charles Wood explained that he would provide an overview of the changes made since the meeting held on 12 April 2018. In addition, he explained the changes that Dentons are still intending to make together with any new points raised at the meeting.

Workgroup discussed various aspects of the business rules. Workgroup also sought confirmation whether a Legal text commentary table would be provided and what it would cover.

A number of actions arose from discussion and these are detailed in the updated Workgroup Action Table. An update on the outstanding actions in relation to legal text arising from the meeting on 12 April 2018 is also provided.

6. The Workgroup discussed a document prepared by Julie Cox, Energy UK titled *Compliance of Modification 0621 and alternative Modifications with EU Law.* Julie Cox suggested that Modification 0621 and the alternative Modifications may not be compliant with the Tar Code. Workgroup participants discussed the table row by row and Julie highlighted where she considered compliance was an issue. Workgroup comments were added to the table.

National Grid confirmed that in their view Modification 0621 is compliant with TAR regulation.

Ofgem reminded the Workgroup that they will need the Workgroup through the report (relevant objective section) to show demonstration of compliance. This should include justification of cost reflectivity of commodity charge and a cost allocation assessment.

It was agreed that this document needs to be reviewed again alongside the discussion on relevant objectives on 30 April 2018. It was suggested that the Compliance table is also reviewed by National Grid NTS and other proposers.

The Workgroup report will include a section on EU Compliance – issues and concerns raised by Workgroup members and responses from proposers. This will be discussed at the meetings on Monday 30 April 2018 and 03 and 04 May 2018.

7. The Workgroup in the afternoon session focused on Non-Transmission Service Charges and K Principles (page 16) and also Publication of Variables. Through discussion Workgroup participants suggested amendments and comments which were noted in the document.

Industry parties are strongly encouraged to review this document and the changes. Any comments should be sent to Joint Office at enquiries@gasgovernance.co.uk

Critical Actions

The actions are now published on the website as a separate document here: https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0621/250418.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday 26 April 2018 at St Johns Hotel, Solihull, B91 1AT. Please note that the meeting will start at 9:30am and finish at 4pm. Agenda and papers can be found on the website here: https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0621/260418

Workgroup Schedule as at 25 April 2018

	9:30 - 13:00	13:30 - 17:00
23-Apr	Capacity Reference Price	Forecasted Contracted Capacity
24-Apr	FCC, including historical contracts Revenue Recovery Charge (Transition), including historical contracts	Revenue Recovery Charge (Enduring) including historical contracts
25-Apr	Legal Text (0621)	EU Compliance Non-Transmission Service Charges Publication of variables
26-Apr	NTS Optional Charge	Reserve Price - Specific Capacity Discounts • Storengy Paper - Analysis from Storengy for 0621A on Security of Supply/NBP impacts
27-Apr	Analysis for Alternative Mods • Material for 0621D square root distance, removal optional charge, publication of forecasts NTS Optional Charge?	Topic (TBC)
30-Apr	Relevant Objectives	Relevant Objectives
01-May	NTSCMF (including 0621 Workgroup) Legal Text (0621 Alternatives)	NTSCMF (including 0621 Workgroup) Legal Text (0621 Alternatives)
02-May	Finalise Workgroup Report	Finalise Workgroup Report
03-May	Relevant Objectives	Relevant Objectives
04-May	Relevant Objectives and/or Finalise Workgroup Report	Relevant Objectives and/or Finalise Workgroup Report
08-May	Finalise Workgroup Report	Finalise Workgroup Report
09-May		Submit Workgroup Report to Panel (no meeting – JO admin activity)