Meter By-Pass Update

PAC Meeting - 16th March 2021



Background

Accuracy of By-Pass flag & status:

- PAC concerned with accuracy of Meter By-Pass status on UKLink
- Shippers asked to review affected MPRs in their portfolio and correct where necessary
- Datasets issued for 55 short codes in October 2020 (request to investigate all sites with 'Open' and up to 5 sites with 'Closed' status)

By-Pass Consumption Adjustments:

- General absence of Consumption Adjustments following period of 'Open' By-Pass
- Xoserve now actively chasing outstanding CA's directly with relevant shipper(s)

By-Pass Flag and Status Update

Table below shows movements in Meters with By-Pass as recorded on UKLink

Snapshot Date / Summary	Jul'20	Nov'20	Dec'20	Jan'21	Feb'21	Mar'21
Open By-Pass	153	149	149	147	119	119
Closed By-Pass	13,526	13,226	13,164	13,112	13,060	12,997
Total By-Pass	13,679	13,375	13,313	13,259	13,179	13,116

Summary of changes since February 2021:

- Open status: No net change (none removed or added)
- Closed status: Net reduction of 63 (70 removed & 7 added)

By-Pass Consumption Adjustments

UNC Requirement (M2.4)

 When a By-Pass is 'Closed', shippers to submit a Consumption Adjustment, where estimate is 10,000 kWh or greater, within 15 business days

Monitoring agreed by PAC

Xoserve to actively chase outstanding CA's directly with relevant shipper(s)

Progress (as of 5th March 2021)

- Number of requests sent: 8
- Number of responses received: 0 (No CA required = 0; CA raised = 0)
- Chasers to those 8 requests and 34 new requests to be issued w/c 8th March
- PAC to consider what action (if any) is required where no response provided

