

Meter By-Pass Update

PAC Meeting – 17th August 2021

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The logo for Correla, consisting of two overlapping circles, one blue and one yellow, followed by the word 'correla' in a dark blue sans-serif font.

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Background

Accuracy of By-Pass flag & status:

- PAC concerned with accuracy of Meter By-Pass status on UKLink
- Shippers were 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)
- Further analysis identified 106 MPRs at 'Open' status but with evidence of progressing reads – issued to shippers in March'21 for investigation

By-Pass Consumption Adjustments:

- General absence of Consumption Adjustments (CA) following period of 'Open' By-Pass
- Correla (on behalf of 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	Apr'21	May'21	Jun'21	Jul'21	Aug'21
Open (removed. added)	153	149 (-4, +0)	149 (-0, +0)	147 (-3, +1)	119 (-28, +0)	119 (-0, +0)	117 (-2, +0)	107 (-10, +0)	105 (-2, +0)	65 (-40, +0)	63 (-2, +0)
Closed (removed. added)	13,526	13,226 (-310,+10)	13,164 (-67, +5)	13,112 (-65, +13)	13,060 (-79, +27)	12,997 (-70, +7)	12,878 (-124, +5)	12,795 (-90, +7)	12,694 (-102, +1)	12,638 (-101, +45)	12,564 (-78, +4)
Total (difference)	13,679	13,375 (-304)	13,313 (-62)	13,259 (-54)	13,179 (-80)	13,116 (-63)	12,995 (-121)	12,902 (-93)	12,799 (-103)	12,703 (-96)	12,627 (-76)

- Reduction in meters recorded on 'Open' & 'Closed' By-Pass status continues

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

- Correla (on behalf of Xoserve) to actively chase outstanding CA's directly with relevant shipper(s)
- Summary of requests for CA's following Open By-Pass and resulting outcomes are provided on next slide

By-Pass Consumption Adjustments

Summary of outcomes to date (as of 10th August 2021)

Number of Consumption Adjustment (CA) Requests Issued	121	No Response	45							
		Response Received	76	CA not Required	74	ByPass Flag still present	61	Static Readings	5	
						ByPass Flag Removed	13	Progressive Readings	56	
				CA Required	2	CA not yet Rec'd	0			
						CA Received	2	CA not yet Invoiced	0	
								CA Invoiced	2	

PAC Action 0703

0703: Reference the two 'Static Readings' – Correlate to investigate and provide a view on the potential of the magnitude of the AQ at Risk involved.

- Site 1 (Food processing factory):
 - AQ level: During 'Open' By-Pass = 1 kWh; Post 'Open' By-Pass = c40m kWh
 - Meter is Prime (in a Prime & Sub config.) and Billing team already in process of resolution / loading missing reads / correcting AQ
- Site 2 (Supermarket):
 - AQ level during 'Open' By-Pass period = c40 kWh
 - AQ level post By-Pass flag being 'Closed' = c50 kWh
 - Insufficient recent meter readings to establish realistic AQ (shipper prompted to obtain / submit readings)

PAC Action 0402: Update on 106 meters at 'Open' status but with progressing reads

Current status (as of 6th Aug'21):

- By-Pass flag remains 'Open': 53
- By-Pass flag now 'Closed': 48
- By-Pass flag removed: 5

Little change since last update in July'21 – some Shippers stating they are experiencing problems completing sites visits



Thank you

