Mod 0533S Corrections to Network Entry Provisions in the National Grid NTS – BBL Interconnection Agreement



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Background

- BBL have requested minor changes to the Network Entry Provisions within their Interconnection Agreement (IA)
- The proposed changes do not:
 - affect current actual values / parameters
 - provide upstream parties with any additional rights
 - impact on other customers
 - cause any industry impact
- Mod proposal raised as Self Governance
- Panel voted to send Mod 533S to Transmission Workgroup in April
 - Additional opportunity for industry to understand the changes and clarify any concerns
- Workgroup Report targeted for May Panel

Why change?

- UNC TPD section I2.2.2 (a) (i) states certain NEPs in respect of a System Entry Point cannot be altered without either;
 - the written consent of all Users that hold NTS Entry Capacity at the relevant Aggregate System Entry Point; or
 - by way of a Code Modification
- National Grid NTS proposes that the most appropriate route to take in these circumstances is through the UNC Modification route

Solution

- The Modification will make following corrections to the Gas Entry Conditions and Measurement Provisions within the IA:
 - Hydrogen Sulphide to be combined with Carbonyl Sulphide (COS)
 - Total Sulphur COS to be separated from Total Sulphur
 - Hydrocarbon Dewpoint and Water Content redrafted to provide clarity; no amendment to current obligations
 - Calorific Value correction required to be consistent with other Agreements

Recommended Steps

- National Grid NTS proposes that this Modification is limited to redrafting and that none of the changes are material. The aim is to seek Workgroup approval for the changes proposed by Mod 533S
- National Grid seek Workgroup approval for the Joint Office to prepare a Workgroup report to be submitted no later than May Panel for approval
- May issue Mod 533S to consultation