
Report for Modification Panel

January 2008

Distribution Workstream

Meetings Held

18 December 2007, Renewal Conference Centre, Solihull.

Planned

24 January 2008, 31 Homer Road, Solihull.

Matters for Panel's Attention

0158 **Review of User Suppressed Reconciliation Values' revised incentive arrangements**
Review Group Report.

Modifications Activity

New Modification Proposal(s):

0185 **Meter Error Notification Process**
Subject to Panel decision 17/01/08.

0186 **Provision of Cost Information**
Subject to Panel decision 17/01/08.

0190 **Clarification of Aggregation of credit Positions using a Guarantee from a Security Provider**
Subject to Panel decision 17/01/08.

0191 **Discontinuance of Code Credit Rules**
Subject to Panel decision 17/01/08.

0192 **Introduction of DNO Obligations to Facilitate Resolution of Unresolved USRVs**
Subject to Panel decision 17/01/08.

Withdrawn Modification Proposal(s):

None.

Modification Report(s):

0160 **Provision of Cost information**
Workstream Report due 21/02/08.

0171 **Amendment of User SP Aggregate Reconciliation Proportion" to incorporate historical AQ Proportions**
Consultation ends 23/01/08.

0171A **Amendment of User SP Aggregate Reconciliation Proportion" to incorporate historical AQ Proportions**
Consultation ends 23/01/08.

0172 **Transporter Obligations Pertaining to Void and Vacant Sites**
Consultation ends 15/01/08.

0180V **Replacement of file formats contained within Annex A Part 7 of the LDZ CEP NExA**
Sent to Ofgem 20/12/07.

0183 **Provision of Data in respect of downstream networks by the iGT directly connected to the Distribution Network**
Consultation ends 15/01/08.

0184 **Requirement for Partial Non-Business Days for the Purposes of the UK Link Technology Refresh (UKLTR) Project**
Consultation ends 15/01/08.

Implemented Modification Proposal(s):

None

Rejected Modification Proposal(s):

None

Review Proposal Activity:

0157 **Review of IGT Settlement and Reconciliation Arrangements**
Report to Panel 19/04/08.

0158 **Review of User Suppressed Reconciliation Values' revised incentive arrangements**
Review Group Report to Panel 17/01/08.

0162 **Review of information provision to Shippers in respect of forecasting the future path of transportation charges**
Report to Panel 21/02/08.

0168 **Individual Meter Point Reconciliation**
Report to Panel 21/02/08.

0175 **Encouraging Participation in the elective Daily Metered Regime**
Report to Panel 20/03/08

0176 **Review of NDM Profile Allocation Parameters**
Report to Panel 17/04/08

0177 **Rolling AQ Review**
Report to Panel 17/04/08

0178 **Reclassification of SSP to Domestic only**
Report to Panel 17/04/08

Topics Activity

Topic(s) raised:

None

Topic(s) Discussed:

014Dis CSEP NExA Agreements

IGT/DNO/Shipper Interaction with NExA Agreements. Currently there is no commercial incentive for the IGTs to provide required information, impacting revenue, billing, security of supply and RbD. Discussions to continue in other forums.

025Dis User Pays

Work being undertaken to create a User Pays framework for some xoserve services. SPAA impacts have been investigated. Change request to be raised.

026Dis RbD Issues log

The RbD issues log is published on the Ofgem website, workstream are to review it each month and provide feedback.

027Dis Measurement error notification guidelines and Business Rules

Consideration of Draft Modification Proposal and Draft Business Rules. Documents to be finalised.

028Dis Emergency Contact Information

Consideration of Transporters communication channels for the provision of Shippers Emergency Contacts. Transporters to investigate the provision of Emergency Contacts and provide an update at the next Distribution Workstream.

029Dis Correct Apportionment of NDM Error

Reconsideration of correct apportionment of NDM Errors. List of considerations to be circulated and considered for further discussion.

Topic(s) placed on hold:

None

Topic(s) closed:

None.

Distribution Workstream – Topic Status Report 18 December 2007							
Topic No	Date Created	Topic Originator	Topic Title	Associated Modification Proposal(s)	Priority for Discussion (H/M/L)	Status	Next Step(s)
014Dis	24/11/2005	Gas Forum	CSEP NExA Agreements		H	IGT/DNO/Shipper Interaction with NExA Agreements. Currently there is no commercial incentive for the IGT to provide required information, implicating revenue, billing, security of supply, RbD etc...	Discussions to continue in other forums.
025Dis	25/10/2007	xoserve	User Pays		M	Consideration of User Pay Framework to fund some xoserve services.	SPAA impacts have been investigated. Change request to be raised.
026Dis	25/10/2007	Ofgem	RbD Issues Log		L	Consideration of the RbD Issues Log.	Ongoing
027Dis	22/11/2007	EDF Energy	Measurement error notification guidelines and Business Rules	0131	H	Consideration of Draft Modification Proposal and Draft Business Rules	National Grid provided Draft Guidelines following on from Review Group 0131.
028Dis	22/11/2007	EDF Energy	Emergency Contact Information		H	Consideration of Transporters communication channels for the provision of Shippers Emergency Contacts.	Transporters to investigate the provision of Emergency Contacts and provide an update at the next Distribution Workstream.
029Dis	22/11/2007	Statoil / British Gas	Correct Apportionment of NDM Error	0115/0115a	H	Reconsideration of correct apportionment of NDM Errors	List of considerations to be circulated and considered for further discussion.
On Hold							
011Dis	22/09/2005	RWE Npower	Must Reads		L	Consideration of the Meter Read visit being used as a Meter Inspection in reference to Licence Condition 17 obligations.	On Hold 23.02.06 To be discussed in the future. To remain On Hold 24.05.07