

0553:

Removal of National Grid LNG Storage UNC TPD Section Z obligations and associated cross references

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Why change?

- Following a stakeholder consultation National Grid LNG
 Storage announced on 27 February 2015 the last remaining National Grid LNG Storage facility, Avonmouth, will cease operational activity on gas day 30 April 2016.
- UNC TPD Section Z specifically relates to National Grid LNG Storage Facilities and will no longer be required or relevant

Proposed Solution

- Remove existing UNC TPD Section Z obligations on National Grid LNG Storage
- Remove in entirety Section Z: National Grid LNG Storage Facilities
- Remove and amend cross references within UNC TPD to Section Z and National Grid LNG Storage Facilities
- Include a new provision to allow National Grid LNG Storage to deal with any gas left in storage by Users during the decommissioning process

Recommended Steps

The Proposer recommends that this modification should be **Self Governance** because:

- it is unlikely to have a material impact on competition in the shipping, transportation or supply of gas conveyed through pipes or any commercial activities connected with the shipping, transportation or supply of gas conveyed through pipes
- it is simply the mechanics to complete the necessary governance (removal Section Z and references to Section Z and National Grid LNG Storage) resulting from the consultation and previous announcement operational activity will cease at National Grid LNG Storage's last remaining facility, Avonmouth, on gas day 30 April 2016.