Report for Network Code Committee July 2007 UK Link Committee

Meetings Held

12 July 2007

Planned

9 August 2007

Matters for Network Code Committee's Attention

None.

UK Link Modifications Activity

The following UK Link Modifications, referred to the UK Link Committee, were discussed:

New UK Link Modifications

Zero Charge Rate

This work has been sponsored by the Transporters in order to assess whether there are any implications associated with the introduction of a zero charge rate on certain Transportation Charges. It was agreed that this does not need to be included within the implementation plan.

Restriction of Invoice Billing Period

This was placed on the implementation plan to reflect UNC Modification Proposals 0152/0152A/0152B.

UK Link Modifications Discussed

13829 DN Interruption Reform

On behalf of the Transporters, xoserve identified that file formats will be issued shortly. There was a discussion in respect of issuing a report on sites with interruptible contracts once the auctions had been concluded. The Transporters agreed to obtain a legal view on this aspect.

13839 Gemini Oracle Software Upgrade

xoserve gave an update on progress, including the associated outage requirements.

UK Link Modification Approved

13861 Rejections associated with Shipper AQ Amendments

Implementation date agreed for February 2008.

UK Link Modifications Implemented

13803 Recovery of Late Paid Energy Balancing Invoice Interest – Creation of 4 New Charge

Types

Implemented 29 June 2007

13824 Issue of Supporting Documentation via IX

Implemented 29 June 2007

Topic Closed

006UKL 'Gemini Performance Monitoring'

Performance monitoring is in place and data is now included within the xoserve monthly report. The Topic was therefore closed.

Topic Discussed

008UKL 'UK Link Technology Refresh'

xoserve gave a further presentation. The Proof of Concept phase has been completed and Operational Acceptance Testing begun. The Committee discussed the Shipper Trials aspect which would form part of User Acceptance Testing, and the extent of system outages required for implementation.

UK Link Committee – UK Link Modification Status Report – July 2007

UK Link Mod Ref	Mod Title	Received	Organisation	Status	Next Step(s)
	Shipper Agreed Reads Procedural Change	12/05/06	Transporters	Summary supplied 17/05/06, Implementation not yet agreed.	Submit revised proposal. Awaiting UKL Committee Agreement.
-	Minor Amendment to CALMS System	14/07/06	Transporters	Implementation to be confirmed.	Execution of implementation plan.
13829	DN Interruption Reform	11/01/07	Transporters	Implementation to be confirmed. Proposed for 04/08.	Requirements under review.
	Rejections associated with Shipper AQ Amendments	02/04/07	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 02/08.	Execution of implementation plan.
	Application of interruptible capacity discounts following a change in capacity/commodity split	04/06/07	Transporters	Implementation to be confirmed. Proposed for 04/08.	Requirements under review.
N/A	Restriction of Invoice Billing Period	05/07/07	Transporters	Awaiting development of UNC Proposals 0152/0152A/0152B	Requirements under review
	Recovery of Late Paid Energy Balancing Invoice Interest – Creation of 4 New Charge Types	20/09/06	Transporters	Implemented 29/06/07.	None
	Issue of Supporting Documentation via IX	08/03/07	Transporters	Implemented 29/06/07.	None
13839	Gemini Oracle Software Upgrade	11/01/07	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 11 & 18/08/07.	Execution of implementation plan.
	Invoice Numbers on CSEP Invoice File Formats	15/12/06	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 02/11/07.	Execution of implementation plan.

UK Link Mod Ref		Received	Organisation	Status	Next Step(s)
	Customer Charge Structure for 0.73MWH Loadband: Full Solution from 01/10/07	29/09/06	Transporters	Implementation agreed for 03/11/07.	Execution of implementation plan.

UK Link Committee - Topic Status Report - July 2007

Topic No	Date Created	Topic Originator	Topic Title	Associated Modification Proposal(s)	Priority for Discussion (H/M/L)	Status	Next Step(s)		
Live	Live								
008UKL	11/01/07	Transporters	UK Link Technology Refresh	None	M	Proof of Concept exercise has been successful, and Shipper Confidence Testing is to be arranged in due course.	xoserve to provide further updates at July and August 07 UK Link Committee meetings or earlier if possible.		
Closed	Closed								
006UKL	09/02/06	Transporters	Gemini Performance Monitoring	None	М	Now in place and included in monthly report	None		