

## 501 Workgroup

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- 501C includes processes detailed in 501A
  - Capacity reallocation - including reallocation of transferred entitlement
  - Capacity return to National Grid Gas
    - 501C introduces a one-off process to enable shippers to return up to a maximum of 73.01% of their existing Bacton ASEP capacity to NGG
  
- 501C also proposes new capacity processes (additional to 501A)
  - Existing capacity entitlement allocated at one new Bacton ASEP may be used at the other new Bacton ASEP to reduce a potential overrun charge
  - This entitlement may be transferred to another shipper and the ‘interchangeable’ rights are retained
  - Reimbursement by NGG to a shipper for the cost of purchasing bundled capacity at the IP ASEP (reimbursement relates to the NGG cost component only – reserve plus any premium).

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- NGG have already engaged with Xoserve on 501C (based on the information available at the time) and **initial discussions** indicate that:
  - A number of systems may be impacted in addition to Gemini
  - To cater for 501C significant system(s) changes are more than likely
  - 501C would more than likely not be delivered by November 2015
  
- A first formal ‘high level’ only evaluation of 501C from Xoserve requested for the next Workgroup meeting 11<sup>th</sup> Dec
- Workgroup development of 501C will provide NGG / Xoserve with a more detailed understanding of system(s) / business impacts. The following will then be better understood:
  - Specific system(s) impacted i.e. Gemini, Invoicing, MIPI, MIS and potentially iGMS
  - High level cost estimates for developing / delivering 501C changes
  - Delivery timelines.