

# **Report for Modification Panel**

## **November 2005**

### **Offtake Arrangements Workstream**

#### **Meetings Held**

2 November 2005

#### **Planned**

30 November 2005

4 January 2006

#### **Matters for Panel's Attention**

None

#### **Modifications Activity**

##### **Modification Proposal(s) Raised:**

none

##### **Modification Proposal(s) Withdrawn:**

none

##### **Draft Modification Report(s) out for Consultation:**

0051 'Clarification of requirement for flows at DN Offtakes on low demand days.

##### **Final Modification Reports:**

None

##### **Modification Proposal(s) Implemented:**

None

#### **Topics Activity**

##### **Topics Raised:**

###### **008OF Assured Offtake Pressure**

Need for Topic identified by National Grid NTS but detail deferred from this month.

##### **Topics Reviewed:**

###### **001OF NTS Exit Capacity Reform**

Update presentation to workstream. Re-consultation on IExCR required.

###### **006OF Role of Offtake Committee**

Provisions of UNC informally reviewed and considered to be satisfactory.

###### **007OF Gas transporter cooperation on planning and investment in networks**

This should encompass CV data for network planning.

##### **Topics on hold:**

###### **002OF Distribution Interruption Reform – consequential impact on OAD**

###### **003OF Provision of Interruption Information by DNOs to National Grid NTS Mod 0045**

###### **004OF CV Data for Network Planning**

###### **005OF NTS-LDZ Operational Information for Low Demand Days Mod 0051**

## Offtake Arrangements Workstream – Modification Status Report

**November 2005**

<b>UNC Mod Ref</b>	<b>Old Mod Ref</b>	<b>Mod Title</b>	<b>Received</b>	<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Next Process</b>
0045		Provision of Available Interruption Information	10-Aug-05	National Grid NTS	Panel recommend implementation 20-Oct-05	OFGEM Decision
0046		Extension of the Sunset Clauses for Registration of Capacity at NTS Exit Points	10-Aug-05	National Grid NTS	Panel recommend implementation 23-Sept-05	OFGEM Decision
0051		Clarification of requirement for flows at DN Offtakes on low demand days	29-Sep-05	National Grid UKD	Draft Modification Report out for reps 28-Oct-05	Reps close out 18-Nov-05

## Offtake Arrangements Workstream – Topic Status Report

### November 2005

Topic No	Date Created	Topic Originator	Topic Title	Associated Modification Proposal(s)	Priority for Discussion (H/M/L)	Status	Next Step(s)
<b>Active</b>							
001OF	12/05/05	National Grid NTS	NTS Exit Capacity Reform	046	H	a) Panel recommend implementation 23-Sept-05 b) Consultations on IExCR, SC4B and ARCAs reps closed out 22-Sep-05 c) Ofgem Initial proposals on transitional incentive schemes supporting the offtake arrangements. Reps closed out 19-Oct-05	a) OFGEM decision b) Re-consultation c) OFGEM Final Proposals (Nov 05)
007OF	7/09/05	SGN	Gas transporter cooperation on planning and investment in networks	None	M	Changes to investment lead-times and growing understanding of GT interaction may not be adequately reflected in UNC provisions. 4-Oct-05 NTS Entry Mods 036 and 043 Implemented.	
008OF	2/11/05	National Grid NTS	Assured Offtake Pressures	None	M	Need for Topic identified but detail and proposal deferred.	develop a paper or proposal to define and progress resolution
<b>On Hold</b>							
002OF	12/05/05	National Grid UKD	Distribution Interruption Reform – Consequential Impact on OAD	None	M	12-May-05 discussion Potential changes in the Distribution Interruption regime may lead to changes in the OAD	None – maintain watching brief

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003OF	4/08/05	National Grid NTS	Provision of Interruption Information by DNOs to Transco NTS	045	M	Panel recommend implementation of Mod 045. Need identified for update of Offtake Communications Document in the event of implementation.	Ofgem Decision Draft revision of Offtake Communications Document.
004OF	4/08/05	National Grid UKD	CV Data for Network Planning	None	L	DN operators seek documented rationale on CV data to underpin investment decisions for next planning cycle. Link in with Topic 007OF	Proposal for change to Subsidiary Offtake Document(s).
005OF	4/08/05	National Grid UKD	NTS-LDZ Operational Information for Low Demand Days	051	L	Draft Mod Report 051 out for reps 28-Oct-05	Reps close out 18-Nov-05
006OF	7/09/05	National Grid UKD	Role of Offtake Committee	None	M	Scope of Offtake Committee reviewed and considered to be satisfactory.	None