Representation - Draft Modification Report 0504

Demand Side Response (DSR) Methodology Implementation

Responses invited by: 10 December 2015

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Date of Representation:	10 December 2015
Support or oppose implementation?	Support
Relevant Objective:	a) Positiveb) Positivec) Positive

Reason for support/opposition: Please summarise (in one paragraph) the key reason(s)

As directed by the Authority, National Grid NTS is seeking to give effect to the DSR methodology as developed by the 0504 workgroup and this modification proposal will achieve this. This will provide a means by which shippers can place DSR offers on the Trading System on behalf of their suppliers/ customers and provide the necessary contractual governance for the key DSR processes. We acknowledge that the DSR methodology was subject to a separate industry consultation and that its merits or demerits are not for consideration here.

Implementation: What lead-time do you wish to see prior to implementation and why?

Implementation should be in sufficient time to provide shippers, suppliers and consumers with confidence to discuss, agree and prepare DSR offers for posting on the Trading System from 1 October 2016. Therefore, ideally no later than 1 March 2016.

Impacts and Costs: What analysis, development and ongoing costs would you face?

None identified.

Legal Text: Are you satisfied that the legal text will deliver the intent of the Solution?

Yes.

Are there any errors or omissions in this Modification Report that you think should be taken into account? Include details of any impacts/costs to your organisation that are directly related to this.

None identified.

Please provide below any additional analysis or information to support your representation