
Report for Modification Panel May 2005 Transmission Workstream

Meetings Held

The Transmission Workstream met on 5 May 2005

Planned

The next Transmission Workstream meeting is scheduled for 2 June 2005. However, it was agreed that if Transco wished to provide any further information on the Exit Regime, a further Workstream Meeting could be arranged prior to that date.

Matters for Panel's Attention

None

Modifications Activity

All live Modification Proposals, that were unresolved under the previous Network Code Regime, have been given new reference numbers. No discussion on these took place within the Workstream.

Final Modification Report Submitted:

016 'Amendment of Nomination Timetable'
(0743) *Submitted to Ofgem 27/04/05*

Topics Activity

The Workstream considered the NT&T workstream topic list existing at 30/04/05 and decided that the following did not need to be included on the Topic register:

- 2531 Incremental Reform of Energy Balancing
- 3853 Provision of Information Relating to Transco Balancing Activities
- 5906 Development of Within Day Scheduling

The following, based on previous Topics, were created:

- 003TR **Review of NTS Exit Capacity Arrangements**
(4112) The afternoon session received a presentation on this from Transco. This session replaced the Exit Reform Forum arranged by Transco for the same time. A further meeting to discuss this Topic may be arranged prior to the Workstream. In this event, at least five working days notice will be given and all presentations for this meeting will be circulated at least two working days in advance
- 004TR **Emergency Arrangements**
(PSS/7) Transco would be making a presentation at the June Workstream meeting on Emergency Arrangements following Network Sales. The associated discussion may or may not prompt changes to the UNC Section Q. In addition there are potential changes that may arise at the conclusion of Ofgem's Cash-out Review Working Group. SGD also suggested that Section Q be reviewed to see how the current wording dealt with IS failures. Transco agreed to consider this and respond at the June Workstream meeting.

The following new Topics were created:**006TR Nomination Timetable**

e.on UK plc requested the creation of this Topic. It believed that a review of ahead-of-the-day and within-day nomination timetable might lead to a Proposal for a more flexible nomination regime. e.on to prepare a presentation for the July Workstream

007TR Section O: System Planning

Transco requested the creation of this Topic. It believed there was some scope for clearer alignment of current practice with the current UNC Provisions. This would build on the consensus reached in respect of the Supply/Demand planning process that forms the basis of the Transco's Ten Year Statement. Transco to prepare a presentation for the June Workstream

The following Topics were created and placed on hold:**001TR Supply and Demand Interruption**

(91) Final Modification Reports 013 and 013a (previously 0740 and 0740a) are with Ofgem for decision. The Workstream will consider this topic further once the decisions are made.

002TR Substitutability of Capacity and Locational Energy Actions Following GT Licence Changes

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Final Modification Report 009 (previously 0733) is with Ofgem for decision. The Workstream will consider this topic further once the decision is made.

005TR Constrained Top-up

(PSS/8) Final Modification Report 011 (previously 0736) is with Ofgem for decision. The Workstream will consider this topic further once the decision is made.

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UNC Mod Ref	Old Mod Ref	Mod Title	Received	Organisation	Status	Status Update	Next Process
016	0743	Amendment of Nomination Timetable	10-Feb-05	British Gas Trading Ltd	Final Mod Report	27-Apr-05	OFGEM Decision
013a	0740a	Amendment to Transco's rights to interrupt for supply / demand purposes	26-Jan-05	Transco	Final Mod Report	01-Apr-05	OFGEM Decision
013	0740	Amendment to Transco's rights to interrupt for supply / demand purposes	13-Jan-05	Shell Gas Direct Ltd	Final Mod Report	01-Apr-05	OFGEM Decision
011	0736	Reintroduction of Constrained Top-up	10-Dec-04	Transco	Final Mod Report	24-Feb-05	OFGEM Decision
009	0733	Facilitation of Substitutability Between Capacity and Locational Energy Actions	09-Dec-04	Transco	Final Mod Report	25-Feb-05	OFGEM Decision
006	0727	3rd Party Proposal : Publication of Near Real Time Data at UK sub-terminals	03-Nov-04	Energywatch	Final Mod Report	05-Apr-05	OFGEM Decision

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Topic No	Date Created	Topic Originator	Topic Title	Associated Modification Proposal(s)	Priority for Discussion (H/M/L)	Description	Next Step
Active							
003TR	05/05/05	Transco	Review of NTS Exit Capacity Arrangements	None	H	Presentation made at pm Session of Workstream by Transco, that continued the activities of the Exit Reform Forum (ERF)	Transco to submit additional information and consider raising Modification Proposal(s) prior to 02/06/05
004TR	05/05/05	Transco	Emergency Arrangements	None	M	Cash-out price discussions taking place in Ofgem's Cash-out Review Working Group (CORWG). Request made for presentation of emergency arrangements under multi network ownership. Also to consider emergency arrangements in the event of system failure	Transco to make emergency arrangements presentation on 02/06/05
006TR	05/05/05	EON	Nomination Timetable	16 (0743)	L	Review indicated for a more flexible before and within day nomination timetable.	Presentation to be made by EON on 07/07/05.
007TR	05/05/05	Transco	Section O: System Planning	None	L	Review indicated for ensuring clearer alignment of agreed current practice with UNC provisions	Presentation to be made by Transco on 02/06/05
On Hold							
001TR	05/05/05	Transco	Supply and Demand Interruption	13 and 13a (0740 and 0740a)	M	FMRs for 0740 and 0740a sent to Ofgem on 01/04/05	None pending Ofgem decision

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002TR	05/05/05	Transco	Substitutability of Capacity and Locational Energy Actions following GT Licence Changes	9 (0733)	M	FMR for 0733 sent to Ofgem for decision 22/02/05	None pending Ofgem decision
005TR	05/05/05	Transco	Constrained Top-up	11 (0736)	L	FMR for 0736 sent to Ofgem for decision 24/02/05	None pending Ofgem decision