
Report for Modification Panel August 2007 Transmission Workstream

Meetings Held

27 July 2007

02 August 2007

Planned

14 August 2007

17 August 2007

06 September 2007

12 September 2007

Matters for Panel's Attention

Modifications Activity

Proposals Approved:

None

Proposals Rejected

0151 **Transfer of Sold Capacity between ASEPS**

Rejected 12 June 2007; decision currently subject of a Judicial Review

Proposal allocated to Workstream:

0154 **Enduring Provisions for LDZ System Entry Points**

Issued for consultation. Consultation phase ends 14 August 2007.

0164 **Bi-Directional Connection Point Overrun Charge Calculation**

The Workstream received a presentation from Centrica Storage that indicated the nature and purpose of this Proposal. No objection was raised to the Proposer's suggestion that this Proposal should go directly to consultation.

Final Modification Proposal issued.

0159 **National Grid NTS discretionary release of Interruptible NTS Entry Capacity**

The Workstream received a presentation from National Grid NTS that indicated the nature and purpose of this Proposal. No objection was raised to the Proposer's suggestion that this Proposal should go directly to consultation. FMR produced 08/08/07- subject to Panel decision.

0163 **Offering Capacity at Donor ASEP in Trades & Transfer Process**

Discussed at Panel 07/08/07 and withdrawn. Replaced by 0163V.

New Proposal**0165 Change to Measurement Provisions Change Process**

The Workstream received a presentation from National Grid NTS that indicated the nature and purpose of this Proposal. No objection was raised to the Proposer's suggestion that this Proposal should go directly to consultation.

New Urgent Proposal**Topics Activity****The Following Topics were reviewed:****008TR Entry Capacity**

Discussion held on Ofgem's open letter "Further Consultation on NTS Entry Capacity Baselines" and National Grid NTS presented a brief response. Three Entry Capacity Baseline meetings have been arranged for 14 and 17 August and 12 September 2007 (all at Elexon).

018TR Information Transparency

0104: Ofgem decision awaited.

0140: "Review of Information Provision on National Grids Information Exchange." A meeting was held on 27 July 2007 at Elexon Offices, 350 Euston Road, London NW1 3AW. The next meeting will be held on 21 August 2007 (London).

019TR Gas Emergency Cashout Arrangements

Modification Proposals 0149/0149A "Gas Emergency Cashout Arrangements: Keeping the On the Day Commodity Market open during a Gas Deficit Emergency" – awaiting Ofgem's decision.

020TR Gas Quality

No further update.

Transmission Workstream Topic Status Report: August 2007

Topic No	Date Created	Topic Originator	Topic Title	Associated Modification Proposal(s)	Priority for Discussion (H/M/L)	Status	Next Step(s)
Live							
003TR	05/05/05	National Grid NTS	Review of NTS Exit Capacity Arrangements	a) 0134V b) 0139 and 0139A		a) Mod 0134V – Implemented 25 Jun 07. b) Mod 0139 – Implemented 25 Jun 07; 0139A – Rejected.	a) End of process. b) End of process.
008TR	02/06/05	Total/ National Grid NTS	Entry Capacity	a) 0153 b) 0154 c) 0156 and 0156A		a) Panel recommended implementation b) Representations invited. c) Trades and Transfers: Mods 0156 and 0156A; panel recommended implementation.	a) Ofgem decision. b) Consultation ends 14 Aug 07. c) Ofgem decision.

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				d) 0159 e) 0163 f) XXXX		d) 0159 – consultation closed. e) 0163 – consultation closed. f) Substitution: Initial presentation at June Workstream.	d) Subject to Panel decision e) Withdrawn/replaced by 0163V f) Modification Proposal to be raised.
018TR	25/10/06	energywatch /Poyry	Information Transparency	a) 0104 b) 0140 c) XXXX		a) 18 May 07 Ofgem issued an Open Letter- responses due by 01 Jun 07. Review of status by Panel 21Jun 07. b) Mod 0140 - Review Group meetings held 09 and 27 Jul 07. c) Safety Monitors	a) Ofgem decision. b) Next meeting 21 Aug 07 (Elexon). c) Production of outline Proposal by BGT (Action TR1071).

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019TR	05/04/07	National Grid NTS	Emergency Market Arrangements	0149 0149A		Mod 0149 – Panel did not recommend implementation. Mod 0149A –Panel recommended implementation.	Ofgem decisions
On Hold							
014TR	02/02/06	National Grid NTS	Operating Margins Procurement			13 Feb 07 – Invitation to Tender issued	Mod Proposal to follow as necessary. Remains on hold.
015TR	29/06/06	National Grid NTS	Constraint Management	0119		28 Mar 07 – Ofgem rejected 0119	NG NTS review in the context of rejection letter. Remains on hold.
016TR	05/10/06	National Grid NTS	Storage Commodity Charge	0120V		31 Jan 07 - Ofgem reject Mod 0120V.	NG NTS review in the context of rejection letter.

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020TR	05/04/07	National Grid NTS	Gas Quality			11 Jul 07 Ofgem Consultation document issued.	Consultation ends 22 Aug 07. Further workshop to be arranged (Sept/Oct) following consideration of the responses to the consultation and the subsequent publication of Ofgem's Initial Proposals document.