Report for Modification Panel June 2006

Transmission Workstream

Meetings Held

1 June 2006

Planned

6 July 2006

Matters for Panel's Attention

An additional Panel meeting on 6 July 2006 has been scheduled as part of the Ofgem agreed timetable for Urgent Modification Proposal 086.

Modifications Activity

Modification Withdrawn:

085 Introduction of Gas Reserve Arrangements Withdrawn 18/05/06

Urgent Modification Raised and out for representation:

O86 Introduction of Gas Demand Management Reserve Arrangements

Received 19/05/06, Urgency agreed 24/05/06, Reps close out 19/06/06

Draft Final Modification Reports:

- 076 Right of set off under Uniform Network Code Issued 06/06/06
- 077 Notice Period for Code Credit Limit Revision (as a consequence of Credit Rating downgrade) and remedies for non-compliance with a request for provision of additional security Issued 06/06/06
- 082 Clarificatory revisions to UNC Section Q Emergencies Issued 02/06/06

Topics Activity

The following Topics were reviewed:

003TR Review of NTS Exit Capacity Arrangements

The Workstream received a report from Ofgem on meetings of the Enduring Offtake Working Group.

004TR Emergency Arrangements

The Workstream received a report from Ofgem on the Gas Safety Reserve Procurement Meeting and Demand Side Working Group.

The Workstream discussed Urgent Modification Proposal 086.

The following Topic was closed:

005TR Constrained Top Up

National Grid NTS indicated they did not wish to pursue this for winter 06/07.

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UNC	Mod Title	Received	Organisation	Status	Next Process(es)	
Mod						
Ref						
076	Right of set off under Uniform Network Code	07-Mar-06	National Grid	6-Jun draft Final Mod Report	15-Jun Panel consider and make recommendation	
077	Notice Period for Code Credit Limit Revision (as a consequence of Credit Rating downgrade) and remedies for non-compliance with a request for provision of additional security		National Grid	6-Jun draft Final Mod Report	15-Jun Panel consider and make recommendation	
082	Clarificatory revisions to UNC Section Q – Emergencies	10-Apr-06	National Grid NTS	2-Jun draft Final Mod Report	15-Jun Panel consider and make recommendation	
085	Introduction of Gas Reserve Arrangements	10-May-06	Gaz de France	18-May Withdrawn	None	
086	Introduction of Gas Demand Management Reserve Arrangements	19-May-06	Gaz de France	5-Jun Proposal out for representation	19-June Reps close out 6-Jul Panel consider and make recommendation	

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Topic No	Date Created	Topic Originator	Topic Title	Associated Modification Proposal(s)	Priority for Discussion (H/M/L)	Status	Next Step(s)			
Active										
003TR	05/05/05	National Grid NTS	Review of NTS Exit Capacity Arrangements		М	Ofgem EOWG meeting 17 May. The meeting on 31 May was cancelled.	Ofgem EOWG meetings 14 June, 28 June NG NTS business rule development from strawman.			
004TR	05/05/05	National Grid NTS	Emergency Arrangements	044 082 086	M	 a) 15-Dec-05 draft Terms of Reference b) 2-June Mod 082 draft Final Mod Report c) 5 Jun Mod 086 v2.0 from Gaz de France on gas demand reserve out for representations d) 1-Jun. DN transporters confirm systematised solution for ECQ calc. 	a) Panel decision b) 15-Jun Panel consider and make recommendation c) 19-Jun Reps close out 6-Jul Panel consider and make recommendation d) None			
008TR	02/06/05	Total/ National Grid NTS	Entry Capacity		М	 a) 5 May NG NTS presentation of Strawman on optimising entry capacity allocation. b) 5 May NG NTS initial thoughts on entry capacity allocation for next price control period 	a) Draft mod proposal including business rules b) Develop principles			
On Hole	d	l	•	•						
014TR	02/02/06	National Grid NTS	Operating Margins Procurement		M	6-Apr-06 Presentation on Request for Proposals for Operating Margins. 24-May-06 Deadline closed for proposals.	Mod Proposal to follow as necessary.			
Closed										
005TR	05/05/05	National Grid NTS	Constrained Top-up	011 (0736)	L	OFGEM rejected 31-Aug-05 National Grid NTS agreed to close the topic	None			