Report for Modification Panel September 2007 Transmission Workstream

Meetings Held

14 August 200717 August 200706 September 200712 September 2007

Planned

04 October 2007

Matters for Panel's Attention

None

Modifications Activity

Proposals Implemented:

- 0153 Amendment of Interconnector UK's Network Entry Provisions Approved 20 August 2007, Implemented 01 September 2007
- 0159 National Grid NTS discretionary release of Interruptible NTS Entry Capacity Approved 29 August 2007, Implemented 01 September 2007

Urgent Proposal Implemented:

0169 **Transfer and Trading of Capacity between ASEPs** Approved 06 September 2007, Implemented 07 September 2007

Proposal Approved:

0104 **3rd Party Proposal: Storage Information at LNG Importation Facilities** Approved 22 August 2007 for implementation 01 October 2007

Urgent Proposals Rejected:

- 0169A Transfer and Trading of Capacity between ASEPs Rejected 06 September 2007
- 0156A Transfer and Trading of Capacity between ASEPs Rejected 06 September 2007
- 0156 Transfer and Trading of Capacity between ASEPs Rejected 06 September 2007

Final Modification Reports issued:

0154 Enduring Provisions for LDZ System Entry Points Issued 23 August 2007.

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

Issued 11 September 2007

New Urgent Proposal:

0170 User Admission Requirements for Applicant Shippers Who Solely Wish to Participate in Long Term Entry Capacity Auctions

Issued for consultation 05 September 2007, withdrawn 10 September 2007

The Workstream received an oral presentation from the Proposer's representative

Topics Activity

The Following Topics were reviewed:

008TR Entry Capacity

Three Entry Capacity Baseline meetings were held on 14 and 17 August and 12 September 2007 and an associated consultation was held. National Grid NTS intend to issue a consultation document within two weeks of 12 September 2007.

The Workstream received a presentation from Centrica Storage Ltd of a Draft Modification Proposal "Revision to Entry Over-run Charges - Weighted highest prices paid". It was agreed that more development was required prior to the Proposal being ready to proceed to consultation.

The Workstream received a presentation from National Grid Distribution of a Draft Modification Proposal Revised Tender Timescale for DN Interruption Arrangements". It was agreed that a Proposal of this nature would be ready to proceed to consultation.

Transmission Workstream Topic Status Report: September 2007

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Live							
003TR	05/05/05	National Grid NTS	Review of NTS Exit Capacity Arrangements	0166		Review Proposal raised by BGT. Formation of Review Group approved by Mod Panel. Initial meeting held 06 September 2007	Further meetings scheduled for 20 September 2007, 04 October 2007 and 18 October 2007.
008TR	02/06/05	Total/ National Grid NTS	Entry Capacity	a) 0153 b) 0154		 a) 0153 - Implementation: 01 September 2007 b) 0154 - Panel did not recommend implementation. 	a) End of process b) Ofgem decision.
				c) 0156 and 0156A		c) Trades and Transfers: Mods 0156 and 0156A; Ofgem rejection 06 September 2007	c) End of process
				d) 0159		d) 0159 – Implementation: 01 Sept 07.	d) End of process.
				e) 0163 and 0163V		e) 0163 and 0163V – withdrawn.	e) End of process

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				f) 0169 and 0169A		f) Urgent proposals – 0169 Implemented, 0169A rejected g) Substitution: Initial	f) End of processg) Further presentations and
						presentation at June Workstream.	consultation
018TR	25/10/06	energywatch / Poyry	Information Transparency	a) 0104		a) 0104 – Implementation: 01 Oct 07.	a) End of process.
				b) 0140		b) Mod 0140 - Review Group meeting held 21 Aug 07.	 b) Next meetings 18 Sept and 08 Oct 07 (Elexon).
						c) Safety Monitors	 c) Production of outline Proposal by BGT (Action TR1071).
019TR	05/04/07	/04/07 National Grid NTS	Emergency Market	0149 0149A		Mod 0149 – Panel did not recommend implementation.	Ofgem decisions
			Arrangements	0143A		Mod 0149A –Panel recommended implementation.	

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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 2	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.
							Remains on hold.
020TR	05/04/07	National Grid NTS	Gas Quality			22 Aug 07 Consultation ended.	Further workshop to be arranged (Sept/Oct) following consideration of the responses to the consultation and the subsequent publication of Ofgem's Initial Proposals

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							Remains on hold.