

Joint Office of Gas Transporters Enquiries@Gasgovernance.co.uk

17 January 2018

Dear Joint Office,

Re: UNC Modification Proposal 0623 Governance Arrangements for Alternatives to Self-Governance Modification Proposals

Thank you for the opportunity to provide representation on the above noted Modification Proposal. Please find below Northern Gas Network's (NGN) comments in respect of this Modification.

NGN supports this Modification proposal

Reasons for Support/Opposition:

NGN supports this modification as it will clarify governance arrangements regarding s

Self-Governance Statement:

Do you agree with the Modification Panel's decision that this should be a self-governance modification?

Yes, NGN agrees that this modification should be subject to Authority decision due to it having a material impact on modification rules.

Relevant Objectives:

How would implementation of this modification impact the relevant objectives?

NGN agrees that this modification would further both Relevant Objectives C) Efficient Discharge of the Licensee's Obligations and F) Promotion of Efficiency in the Implementation and Administration of the Code.

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Impact and costs:

What analysis, development and ongoing costs would you face if this modification were implemented?

NGN does not believe any additional costs would be incurred for this modification.

Implementation:

What lead-time would you wish to see prior to this modification being implemented, and why?

NGN believes that this modification should be implemented as soon as possible after Authority decision.

Legal Text:

Are you satisfied that the legal text will deliver the intent of the modification?

Yes, NGN agrees that the legal text reflects the solution set out in this modification.

Errors or Omissions in the Modification Report:

N/A

Any additional comments:

N/A

I hope these comments will be of assistance and please contact me should you require any further information in respect of this response.

Yours sincerely,

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