UNC Workgroup Individual Terms of Reference

0696 – Addressing inequities between Capacity booking under the UNC and arrangements set out in relevant NExAs

Introduction

This is an Individual Terms of Reference that includes matters referred from Panel or identified within any initial representations. It replaces the standard Terms of Reference.

Purpose of the Modification and its Solution

Please refer to: https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0696

It is proposed to consider the extent to which a Consumer has entered into a bilateral Network Exit Agreement (NExA) with the relevant Transporter then any new or additional capacity charges should only apply from the relevant date set out in the NExA.

Topics for Discussion

- Understanding the objective
- Provide Justification for Retrospective Implementation
- Assessment of alternative means to achieve objective
- Development of Solution (including business rules if appropriate)
- Assessment of potential impacts of the modification
- Assessment of implementation costs
- Assessment of legal text.

Output

To produce a Workgroup Report, for submission to the UNC Modification Panel, containing the assessment and recommendation(s) of the Workgroup.

Composition of Workgroup

The Workgroup is open to any party that wishes to attend or participate.

A Workgroup meeting will be quorate provided at least two Transporter and two Shipper User representatives are present.

Meeting Arrangements

Meetings will be administered by the Joint Office of Gas Transporters and conducted in accordance with the Code Administration Code of Practice (https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/cacop)