Representation - Draft Modification Report UNC 0780S

Amendment to Gas Quality NTS Entry Specification at the St Fergus SAGE System Entry Point

Responses invited by: 5pm on 11 February 2022

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Please note submission of your representation confirms your consent for publication/circulation.

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Date of Representation:	11/02/22
Support or oppose implementation?	Comments
Relevant Objective:	Positive
Relevant Charging Methodology Objective:	Not Applicable

Reason for support/opposition: Please summarise (in one paragraph) the key reason(s)

A number of modifications have been implemented to allow greater content of CO2 onto the NTS. In most cases this CO2 is passed through customer appliances and vented to atmosphere.

In the case of gas storage the CO2 can react within caverns and create Carbonic formations that can cause rapid corrosion of assets.

It would appear from the modification report that in this case the CO2 does not extend to the gas Storage assets operated by SSE. However, we continue to monitor the situation in case other terminals increase CO2 content and directly affect asset condition and therefore lifetime.

Self-Governance Statement: Please provide your views on the self-governance statement.

N/A

Implementation: What lead-time do you wish to see prior to implementation and why?

N/A

Impacts and Costs: What analysis, development and ongoing costs would you face?

If corrosion of assets is accelerated then an economic assessment will need to be made assessing replacement or de-commissioning of those assets given they have been operated in one case since the 1970s.

Legal Text: Are you satisfied that the legal text will deliver the intent of the Solution?

N/A

Are there any errors or omissions in this Modification Report that you think should be taken into account? Include details of any impacts/costs to your organisation that are directly related to this.

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