

UNC Modification Panel Meeting 335 – Post Panel Summary

21 August 2025

Link to event page on web: <https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/panel/210825>

Agenda Item	Determination	Outcome
Urgent Modifications		
None		
Variation Requests		
None		
Derogation Requests		
None		
Final Modification Reports		
<p>0843 - Establishing the Independent Shrinkage Charge and the Independent Shrinkage Expert https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0843 David Morley, OVO To incentivise the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions and lower customer bills, this Modification introduces the role of the Independent Shrinkage Expert (ISE) who will establish: the Independent Shrinkage Model (ISM), the Independent Shrinkage Model Methodology (ISMM), and the Independent Shrinkage Charge (ISC).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Were any new issues identified during the Consultation? • Are there any Cross Code Impacts (IGT UNC)? • Should this Modification be recommended for implementation? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No new issues identified. • Cross Code impacts identified. • This Authority Direction Modification is recommended to be implemented.

<p>0876S - Updates to the Annual Quantity (AQ) amendment process</p> <p>https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0876</p> <p>Steve Mulinganie, SEFE Energy</p> <p>This Modification proposes to make updates to the AQ amendment process within TPD G 2.3. Specifically adding clarity around the use of “eligible cause” G2.3.21 (b) (change in Consumer Plant), as well as ensuring a process for managing instances of misuse across all “eligible causes” where identified.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Were any new issues identified during the Consultation? • Are there any Cross Code Impacts (IGT UNC)? • Should this Modification be implemented? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No new issues identified. • No Cross Code impacts identified. • This Self Governance Modification is to be implemented.
<p>0884 – Extending the PC4 Read Submission Window</p> <p>https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0884</p> <p>David Morley & Carl Whitehouse, OVO</p> <p>Under UNC TPD, M, 5.9.4, Shippers have 25 Supply Point Systems Business Days (SPSBD) after the read date to submit a read for settlement. Where there's an issue preventing the read from being validated, and that issue is not resolvable within the 25 SPSBD timeframe, the read becomes unusable. This is problematic for meter reads that are hard to retrieve. This Modification seeks to extend the window beyond 25 SPSBDs.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Were any new issues identified during the Consultation? • Are there any Cross Code Impacts (IGT UNC)? • Should this Modification be recommended for implementation? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No new issues identified. • Cross Code impacts identified. • This Authority Direction Modification is recommended to be implemented.
<p>0890S – Addition of Consumption Adjustment and Updated Meter Readings to initiate an AQ Calculation Month</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Were any new issues identified during the Consultation? • Are there any Cross Code Impacts (IGT UNC)? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No new issues identified. • No Cross Code impacts identified.

<p>https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0890</p> <p>Lee Greenwood, Centrica</p> <p>UNC currently stipulates an AQ is recalculated in an 'AQ Calculation Month' where a Qualifying Meter Reading is received. This Modification proposes extending this to include Consumption Adjustments and Replacement Meter Readings.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Should this Modification be implemented? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This Self-Governance Modification is to be implemented.
<p>Workgroup Issues</p>		
<p>None</p>		
<p>Workgroup Reports for Consideration</p>		
<p>None</p>		
<p>New – Non-Urgent Modifications</p>		
<p>0913FT - Amending referencing and naming errors in TPD Section B and V</p> <p>https://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0913</p> <p>Bryan Soko, National Gas Transmission</p> <p>This modification proposes to amend incorrect referencing in TPD section B and to correct naming errors in TPD section V.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Are there any Cross Code Impacts (IGT UNC)? Does this Modification meet the Self-Governance criteria? Does this Modification meet the Fast Track criteria? Should this Modification be implemented? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Cross Code impacts. Does meet the Self-Governance criteria This Modification does not meet the Fast Track criteria. Issued to the Transmission Workgroup with a Report to be presented to the September 2025 Panel.
<p>Existing Modifications for re-Consideration</p>		
<p>Review of Modifications awaiting Ofgem Decision</p>	<p>https://www.ofgem.gov.uk/energy-policy-and-regulation/industry-codes-and-standards</p>	
<p>Modification Reporting</p>		

Workgroup Report Dates		
0908- Removal of DNO meter reading obligations resulting from non-provision of a Valid Meter Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Does Panel approve an extension to December 2025? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Extension approved
0911S - Amendment to DSC to introduce Shipper Assurance Audit (ISAE)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Does Panel approve an extension to December 2025? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Extension approved
Legal Text Requests		
0907 – Extension to current maintenance period	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Text Request 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Text Request Accepted
0910S – Amendment to DSC T&Cs to include a requirement to provide data incident contact details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Text Request 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proposed Legal Text has been formally accepted
AOB		
a) D0002 Supporting Information Document	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Panel to note 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Noted
b) UNC Modification Panel Annual Report - DRAFT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Panel to discuss 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Noted
To follow immediately after the UNC Modification Panel Meeting		
UNC Committee (UNCC) Matters		
Update on AUGE procurement process - Noted		