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Dear John,

Modification Proposal 0286A

Thank you for providing SSE, with the opportunity to comment on the above Modification Proposal.

SSE is supportive of proposal 0286A.

British Gas Trading proposes to change the status of one Consumer Representative from a non-voting to a voting member, but;

- Not extend to the voting Consumer Representative voting rights in respect of Uniform Network Code Committee (UNCC) business, and;
- Not extend to the voting Consumer Representative voting rights in respect of UNC Modification Proposals which in future fall under any Self-Governance regime, and;
- Prevent the NCC from appointing as the voting Consumer Representative any party other than the NCC (this could either be a permanent NCC employee or a consultant or contractor substantively employed to carry out NCC business). This shall not restrict the ability of the NCC representative to appoint an Alternative to act on their behalf.

SSE agrees with the Proposer that implementation of the proposed Modification would better facilitate the relevant objectives as detailed in the Modification Proposal.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you wish to discuss this further.

Yours sincerely

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