

## **APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO MODIFY THE CODE**

“Revision to the legal text associated with the implementation of the suite of UNC Modification Proposals 0318V – 0325V raised to implement the Industry Codes Governance Review”

Version 0.1

**Reference:** XXX

### **Transporter Proposal**

In considering the legal text to be inserted into the Uniform Network Code following Ofgem direction “\*\*\*\*\*” in respect of the Modification Proposals listed below (the “Modification Proposals”):

- 0318V - Code Governance Review: The approach to be taken when raising alternative Modification Proposals
- 0319V - Code Governance Review: Role of Code Administrators and Code Administration Code of Practice
- 0320V - Code Governance Review: Appointment and Voting Rights for a Consumer Representative and Independent Panel Chair
- 0321V - Code Governance Review: Approach to environmental assessments within the UNC
- 0322V - Code Governance Review: Inclusion of the NTS Transportation and Connection Charging Methodologies within the UNC
- 0323V - Code Governance Review: Self Governance
- 0324V – Code Governance Review: Significant Code Reviews
- 0325V - Code Governance Review: DN Transportation Charging Methodology and Change Governance

it has been noted that the text attached to each Modification Proposal will implement the changes proposed by each such Modification Proposal and that implementation of each Modification Proposal on an individual “timestamp” basis would mean that the legal text accompanying each Modification Proposal would be implemented on a stand alone basis.

As a result, various overlaps and inconsistencies will occur as each text is produced without reference to the text for the other Modification Proposals. However, the new Modification Rules need to be read as an entire document so that the texts for the Modification Proposals are implemented in a cohesive manner.

In order to resolve this problem a consolidated version of all the texts has been prepared in order to remove any conflicts or overlaps that would exist if implementation occurred on a stand alone basis. This “Consolidated text” will enable all the Modification Proposals to be implemented in a clear and effective manner.

### **Nature of Modification**

## **UNIFORM NETWORK CODE – MODIFICATION RULES**

It is proposed that the Modification Rules are replaced with the Consolidated Text contained in the Annex, so that the Modification Rules effective on the implementation date (31 December 2010) will be the Consolidated Text.

**Transporter Application**

This application contains the Transporters' proposal to modify the Uniform Network Code for which they now seek the consent of the Authority

Signed for and on behalf of Transporter.

Signature:

**Tim Davis**  
**Chief Executive Joint Office of Gas Transporters**

Date:

**as and Electricity Markets Authority Response:**

In accordance with Standard Special Condition A11 'Network Code and the Uniform Network Code' of the Gas Transporters License, I hereby consent to the above modification to the Code.

Signed for and on Behalf of the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority.

Signature:

Date: