

# UNC 0736:

Mod Title: Clarificatory change to the AQ amendment process within TPD G2.3



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# Why change?



- The current AQ amendments processes outlined within TPD G2.3 were introduced at Project Nexus via Modification 0432 and were later amended by Modification 0610S
  - The drafting of 0432 was in part based on the Project Nexus AQ Business Requirements Definition Document (BRD)
- We believe that the intent of the AQ amendments process outlined within the Nexus BRD was to allow AQ amendments as an exceptions process only and for a small number of eligible causes
  - 8.6.1 This is an **exception** process to amend the AQ in certain circumstances.
- Further, we believe the intent of the eligible cause outlined in TPD G2.3.21(c) (commonly known as reason code 3) was to only allow AQ amendments to be submitted following a Change of Shipper i.e following a switching event.
  - 8.6.1a. following registration of a **new** Supply Meter Point
- The current drafting of TPD G2.3.24(b) in our view does not fully address the intent of the BRD and so requires amending to clarify in which circumstances 'reason code 3' can be used

# Solution



- TPD G2.3.24(b) to be amended to clarify that the AQ amendments process for 'reason code 3' cannot be used when the Supply Point has moved between Shipper Users within the same organization
- Further provisions to be included to require Shippers to advise the CDSP of their 'grouped' companies and to ensure any ongoing changes are also communicated to the CDSP.
  - Until a Shipper advises of their 'grouped' companies they will not be able to utilise 'reason code 3' for any AQ amendment requests

# Recommended Steps



- The Proposer recommends that this modification should be:
  - Subject to self-governance
  - Workgroup assessment to develop the modification for [1] month