

Joint Office

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6<sup>th</sup> January 2022

Dear Sir or Madam,

**Re: 0795S Arrangements for charging for revenue to pay valid Last Resort Supplier Payment claims**

Thank you for the opportunity to provide representation on the above noted Modification Proposal. Please find below Northern Gas Network's (NGN) comments in respect of this change.

**NGN supports this Modification Proposal.**

**Reason for Support:**

We support this Modification Proposal as it adds clarity to the UNC in relation to the current process for Last Resort Supply Claim process by clearly setting out the arrangements following receipt of a valid claim in accordance with Transporter Standard Special Condition A48. Thereby furthering Relevant Objectives c) *Efficient discharge of the licensee's obligations* and f) *Promotion of efficiency in the implementation and administration of the Code*.

**Implementation:**

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

As Self-Governance procedures are proposed, implementation could be sixteen business days after a Modification Panel decision to implement, subject to no Appeal being raised.

**Impacts and Costs:**

*What analysis, development and ongoing costs would you face?*

None identified.

**Legal Text:**

*Are you satisfied that the legal text will deliver the intent of the Solution?*

We believe that the legal text will deliver the intent of the solution.

**Please provide below any additional analysis or information to support your representation**

We understand that should either modification 0687V (Creation of new charge to recover Last Resort Supply Payments), or 0797 (Last Resort Supply Payments Volumetric Charges) be approved for implementation, before 20<sup>th</sup> January 2022, the proposer will withdraw this modification proposal as it will be in conflict with the amendments brought in by these other proposals. Should 0687V or 0797 not be approved by the authority before 20<sup>th</sup> January 2022, then these may no longer be implementable in time for the Transporter Pricing statements, in which case implementation of this proposal, 0795, to add clarity to the existing process would be beneficial.

I hope these comments will be of assistance and please contact me should you require any further information in respect of this response.

Yours sincerely,

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