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Dear Colleague,

**NOTICE OF IMPLEMENTATION
MODIFICATION PROPOSAL No: 0619**

"Deferral of Annual Storage Invitation"

Please note that Modification Proposal No 0619 was implemented with effect from 06:00 hours on 01/03/2003. The Final Modification Report, Version 1.0, was signed by Ofgem on 28/02/2003.

The new Network Code text resulting from this Modification follows.

Modified Text:

Add new paragraph 8.8.3 in Part II of the Transition Document, as follows:-

8.8.3 K2.2.3 For the purposes of Section K2.2.3, in relation to the Storage Year commencing 1st May 2003, Transco will, not later than 1st April 2003, provide to Users and the Director details of:

- (i) the assumptions made pursuant to Section K2.2.2; and
- (ii) the amounts estimated under Section K2.2.1 and (on the basis of the assumptions referred to in paragraph (i)) the calculation of such estimated amounts.

Add new paragraph 8.14.10 in Part II of the Transition Document, as follows:-

8.14.10 R4.1.4 For the purposes of Section R4.1.4, in relation to the Storage Year commencing 1st May 2003, where any Storage Facility is to be a Constrained Storage Facility for that Storage Year, Transco will, not later than 1st April before the start of that Storage Year, publish a document (the "Constrained Storage Statement") containing the following details for each Constrained Storage Facility:

- (a) the "Constrained Point(s)", being a point or points on the NTS as identified by Transco as being relevant, for the purposes of Section R4, to a Constrained Storage Facility;
- (b) the rate of flow ("Constrained Threshold Demand Flow") at a Constrained Storage Point at which Transco may make Constrained Storage Renominations in respect of the relevant Constrained Storage Facility.

(c) the System Entry Capacity Charges in respect of the relevant Storage Connection Point;

(d) a percentage for each Week in the Winter Period for the purposes of Section R4.6.3.

Add new paragraph 8.17.8 in Part II of the Transition Document:-

8.17.8 Z3.1 For the Storage Year commencing 1st May 2003, Transco LNG Storage will, not later than 1st April 2003, invite (for the purposes of Section Z 3.1.1 and in accordance with Section Z 3.1.2) applications for Storage Capacity in each Transco LNG Storage Facility, and (for the purposes of Section Z 3.1.3(a)) the date ("Transco LNG Invitation Close Date") by which applications pursuant to such invitation must be made shall not be less than 14 Days after the date of the invitation.

Yours sincerely,

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