## UNC 0695:

Mod Title: Obligations on Shippers to pass Transporter compensation payments on to consumers, via suppliers

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## Why change?

- Instances where payments made under (Standards of Performance) Regulations 2005 (as amended), have taken months to reach consumers
  - Transporters have 20 day obligation to process statutory payments
  - No set time frame for Shippers to pass payments through
  - Suppliers have 10 day obligation to pay end consumer
- No existing obligation for Non Statutory (Voluntary) Payments to be passed through



This is only codifying what already exists in practice

## Solution

 To add into code the obligation to pass on non-statutory payments the same way that statutory payments are passed on

•To add a specified timeframe (10 days) for shippers to pass on payments received

•There is a separate SPAA Change Proposal to codify the non-statutory payment obligation for Suppliers.

## **Recommended Steps**

•The Proposer recommends that this modification should be:

Subject to self-governance

 Sent to Distribution Workgroup for assessment to develop the modification for 1 month