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## Draft Spring Approach 2014

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# Draft Spring Approach for 2014 Modelling

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- The Spring Approach document explains how the analysis and modelling is going to be performed in order to derive all of the required output
- An important check point prior to commencing the modelling work is for DESC to sign-off the Spring Approach document (normally in Feb)
- A review of the Spring Approach document has been performed by Xoserve to identify those topics which TWG will be consulted on over the Winter
- Once these topics have been discussed and any queries resolved TWG will then be asked to provide a recommendation to DESC

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- The topics identified include the following:
  - Weather history to be used in modelling
  - Peak day demands
  - EUC definitions
  - Holiday codes
  - LDZ aggregations
  - Modelling performance in Summer
- Next Steps: TWG meeting later in the year to discuss above topics