

# UNC Modification Proposal 0565 – Progress Update for UNC Modification Panel

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- UNC Modification 0565 Workgroup established - November 2015
- Modification amended - January 2016
- UNC FGO Workgroup constituted - April 2016
- Good progress on subsequent development:
- UNC
  - UNC/DSC Framework identified and agreed – 6<sup>th</sup> April 2016
  - Initial version of GTB7 drafted
  - Draft versions of TPD Sections H, G, M, U, IGTAD and miscellaneous discussed
  - Accession and Termination terms identified
- Change control (UNC and DSC)
  - Options (ranging from ‘sub-committee’ to ‘all party’ models identified and discussed



- Data Services Contract (DSC)
- Draft documents tabled and discussed:
  - DSC Agreement
  - Terms and Conditions
  - Services Documents
    - Contract Management and Reporting
    - Third Party Services
- Charging and Cost Allocation
  - Moved into 0565 Workgroup
  - Initial discussions 3<sup>rd</sup> May
  - Significant work required (UNC and DSC)

- Comprehensive 0565/DSC activity plan will shortly be available
  - Key milestones leading to 1<sup>st</sup> April 2017 implementation of Phase 2 FGO
  - Workgroup report (including legal text for UNC and DSC) by late September 2016
  - Need sign off by Ofgem no later than early February
    - Need sufficient time for DSC accession
    - Process and systems changes in Xoserve
  - Deliverables including key principles driving legal text for UNC and DSC
  - Licence driven imperative
- Significant concerns over lack of industry engagement in workgroup
  - Limited Shipper User participation
  - Signing onto DSC will be mandatory under UNC
  - GT Licence condition will require GTs to ensure relevant provisions concerning sign on to DSC contained within UNC
  - Review of Terms of Reference to address concerns



- KPMG to continue programme assurance oversight
  - Risks and Issues
  - Regular progress reporting to Programme Overview Board (PoB)
- FGO UNC Workgroup incorporates:
  - UNC Modification 0565 Workgroup
  - DSC Development Workgroup
  - Changing and Cost Allocation Workgroup
- Need to ensure single co-ordinated Workgroup report produced
- Anticipate 'joint' Workgroup meetings in late August 2016 to agree integrated Workgroup Report