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UNC Modification Proposal 0618 - (Urgent) - Extension of Invoicing Contingency Arrangements in case of Project Nexus defect

Dear Bob,

Thank you for your invitation seeking representations with respect to the above Urgent Modification Proposal which Cadent Gas Limited would like to support.

Do you support or oppose implementation?

Support

Relevant Objective: c), d) and f) all positive.

Reason for support/opposition: Please summarise (in one paragraph) the key reason(s)?

We believe that the measures identified within this Urgent Modification Proposal facilitate GT Licence 'relevant objectives' c), d) and f). Our opinion is that the Modification identifies a proportionate and pragmatic solution. This is in the unlikely event that a systems related defect was to occur following Project Nexus implementation which compromised the ability for the CDSP to produce relevant LDZ Capacity invoices on behalf of GDNs.

Implementation

This Urgent Modification Proposal can be implemented with immediate effect upon direction from the Authority

Impacts and Costs

While unlikely, we note the risk that systems defects could arise following implementation of Project Nexus which have potential to impede the production and issue of relevant LDZ Capacity Invoices by

the CDSP. Therefore we concur with the statements in the Draft Modification Report relating to mitigation of potential adverse effects impacting on GDNs and Shipper Users. We are aware that a similar solution to that contained within this Urgent Modification Proposal has already been approved under iGT UNC Modification iGT097.

Legal Text

Cadent Gas is satisfied that the legal drafting and supporting text commentary contained within the Draft Modification Report meets the requirements and intent of the Modification.

Are there any errors or omissions in this Modification Report that you think should be taken into account?

We have not identified any errors or omissions within this Urgent Modification Proposal.

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

We believe no additional analysis or information is necessary in support of this Urgent Modification Proposal.

We trust that this information will assist in the compilation of the Final Modification Report. Please contact me on 07778 150668 (chris.warner@cadentgas.com) should you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

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