

Modification 0686

ANNEX C

Transition Document Part IIC – Transition Rules

Insert new paragraph 24 as follows:

24 REMOVAL OF NTS OPTIONAL COMMODITY RATE

24.1 Introduction

24.1.1 The modification of the Code pursuant to Modification 0686 shall be effective from the Modification Effective Date.

24.1.2 In this paragraph 1:

- (a) the “**Modification Direction Date**” is the day on which the Authority gave its direction to make the Relevant Modification;
- (b) the “**Modification Effective Date**” is:
 - (i) if the Modification Direction Date is on or before 31 July 2019, 1st October 2019; or
 - (ii) if the Modification Direction Date is on or after 1 August 2019, the first Day of the third month following the month in which the Modification Direction Date falls.

24.2 Offtake Reconciliation

24.2.1 For the purposes of any invoice dispute or other dispute, adjustment or reconciliation under the Code relating to any period before the Modification Effective Date, the NTS Commodity Charge shall be determined taking account of any election for the NTS Optional Commodity Rate under the provisions of the Code as in force before the Relevant Modification.

24.2.2 Without limitation, paragraph 1.2.1 applies in respect of Reconciliation Transportation Charge Adjustments pursuant to any Offtake Reconciliation carried out after the Modification Effective Date for which the Reconciliation Metered Period includes any Day or Days before the Modification Effective Date.

24.3 NTS Optional Commodity Rate

24.3.1 For the avoidance of doubt any election (“**NOCR election**”) by a User for the NTS Optional Commodity Rate pursuant to TPD Section B (as in force prior to the Relevant Modification) shall lapse and (without prejudice to paragraph 1.2) have no effect on and from the Modification Effective Date.

24.3.2 Where at the Modification Direction Date a User has made a NOCR election which will remain in force on the Day before the Modification Effective Date, National Grid NTS shall notify the User, as soon as reasonably practicable after the Modification Direction Date, that such election will lapse on the Modification Effective Date pursuant to paragraph 1.3.1.

24.3.3 Where following the Modification Direction Date a User makes a NOCR election, National Grid NTS will inform the User, as soon as reasonably practicable after the NOCR election, that such election will lapse on the Modification Effective Date pursuant to paragraph 1.3.1.