DSC Change Completion Report (CCR)



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| **Change Title** | Gemini System Enhancements |
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| **Date of Solution Implementation** | 25/07/21 |
| **Section 1: Overview of Change Delivery** | |
| In collaboration with NG, Correla elicited a number of requirements from Gemini System Users designed to ease customer pain points and enhance the Gemini system. The majority of the solutions to these requirements were deployed on 25/07/21 as scheduled and were delivered via the Waterfall project management methodology. Further enhancements and additional scope items that could not be accommodated within the GSE timeframe have been included within the delivery schedule for the Gemini Sustain piece which fulfils year 1 of the Gemini Roadmap scope. | |
| **Section 2: Confirmed Funding Arrangements** | |
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| **Section 3: Provide a summary of any agreed scope changes** | |
| CV01 - Additional scope-PARCA Substitution automation  CV02 -Gemini System Enhancement – Transco imagery replacement banner  CV03 - Gemini System Enhancements – Unsold substituted capacity  CV04 - Gemini System Enhancements - TOSCA Licences  CV06 - Azure APIM solution - Note CV14 was raised in August 2021 to descope the delivery of APIM as part of GSE and to bring in scope of the Gemini Sustain project.  CV07 - GSE –Dashboard Additional Requirements  CV08 - GSE – Auction Letters  CV09 - Gemini System Enhancement – Removal of BR46 (Siteminder) from scope  CV10 -Gemini System Enhancement –Descoping of BR22 (Password expiry)  CV11 - Gemini System Enhancements – Emergent Requirements  CV12 - Storage Injection Withdrawal Dashboard  CV13 - Gemini System Enhancements – Auction Calendar Dashboard Status  CV14 - APIs over the Internet scope removal/addition | |
| **Section 4: Detail any changes to the Xoserve Service Description** | |
| **N/A** | |
| **Section 5: Provide details of any revisions to the text of the UK Link Manual** | |
| **N/A** | |
| **Section 6: Lessons Learnt** | |
| Key Lessons Learned are listed below | |

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| **Lesson Learned** | Improvement | Owner |
| During CUT there were several challenges related to removing reliance on Siteminder.  1. Manual extraction of data, timescales associated with this and the high level of errors with data provided  2. Testing changes for removal of Siteminder authorisation  3. APIM Gateway - authorisation - complexity of building a solution to bypass SiteMinder | Future projects that will build on these changes should be made aware of the issues experienced, so they can plan to mitigate against the risks and ensure sufficient time is built into their plan to accommodate the complexity of these changes. | Correla |
| The decision to revoke BR 46 was made quite late on (after a significant part of ST had been done) and was seemingly done in opposition to decisions made prior to the project. | Decision making process should be considered at the start of all projects in the future. This was not feasible for this particular project. Descoping should be taken into consideration early going forward and made clear to avoid additional costs. | Correla |
| Use of data in testing environments was too recent.  A security bug was found during the last few days of UAT. However, this had more serious implications as it was happening in parallel with connectivity testing for User Trials | Explore anonymizing data and if real data is needed set standards on how historic it should be  It may be safer to only start User Trials connectivity tests after UAT is signed off.  Correla/Wipro to take on board for future projects | Correla/Wipro |
| The quality of the original OATPT scripts resulted in rework for Wipro to make them work for them. They absorbed this effort with weekend work | Review of the OATPT scripts should be at the start of each project to establish the level of rework required so that it can be planned accordingly | Correla/Wipro |
| The wrong version of a few of the SUCs were updated for review. This delayed the RAP. | Relook at documentation version control.  Assurance Team in Correla are looking into the process for document control for future projects. | Correla/Wipro |
| A number of issues have been raised during the P.I.S. phase of the project deployment and we need to understand why these weren't picked up during the testing phases. | More extensive project testing regime | Correla/Wipro/National Grid |
| **Roll back of PIS deployment on 29/8/21 - Lessons relating to this incident have been captured below** | | |
| A PIS fix deployed on 29/8/21 caused a P2 shortly after go live. The change made to the query caused the run time of the query to increase from 0.5 seconds to 16 seconds, the query runs every 10 seconds. This caused CPU usage to increase above the accepted threshold level and impacted Shipper access to Gemini | The established approach for performance testing should be revisited. For each separate change an assessment should be formally made whether performance testing is required, and a formal decision logged. This should include all CVs and all PIS defects and the timeline for the fix should include the time required to carry out full performance testing. Approval of this decision will be required from National Grid SMEs, Correla SMEs, Tech Ops infra and application team and the Correla project team | G&I Platform Manager |

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