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Dear Julian,

Re: UNC DMR; Additional Data Requirements for DM Capacity Referrals. Modification Reference No. 0047

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this DMR. We recognise that this issue has been debated at the Workstream and that the benefits of increased data sharing between the User and the Transporter have been discussed. We therefore support this Modification. Our comments as such relate therefore to the detail of the proposal.

Additional data requests – we note the description of the additional data that a Transporter may request in addition to the mandatory requirements, and in particular the data relating to changed flows at affected Meter Points as defined in Section 1 of the report. However, the new legal drafting (contained in 5.1.9(i)) appears to be much more narrowly drawn, relating only to circumstances where there has been an increase in offtake at one DM Supply Meter Point being offset to some extent by a decrease at another linked DM Supply Meter Point. We would welcome clarification as to whether the drafting is correct.

We trust that you find these comments useful but if you wish to discuss them further please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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