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Dear Tim

RE: UNC Modification Proposal 097: Modification to release aggregated ex-post information for pipeline interconnector offtake flows and Modification Proposal 097A Publication of Aggregated ex-post information for pipeline interconnector offtake flows.

Statoil (UK) supports both Modification Proposal 097 and 097A. The proposals are aimed at releasing data at an appropriate aggregated level, after the day.

Owing to the substantial forecasting sensitivities surrounding demand through the Irish interconnector, as stated in Proposal 097, there is a specific benefit, related to both proposals, associated with publishing ex-post data for aggregated interconnector offtakes from the NTS so Users can better understand and assess system demand as a whole.

We consider that this information is of particular value to shippers, when it posted on the Gemini Meter Energy List as it enables Users to view like for like information in one location and easily download such data into their risk management and forecasting systems. For this reason, we support Proposal 097 over and above Proposal 097A.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you wish to discuss any of the above.

Yours sincerely,

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UK Regulatory Affairs Manager.



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