

## **Variation Request**

### **Modification 0180: “Replacement of file formats contained within Annex A Part 7 of the LDZ CSEP NExA”**

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The Proposer, National Grid Distribution, requests a material variation to this Proposal, pursuant to UNC Modification Rules Section 6.5.1(c) of the UNC.

#### **Reason for Variation**

A number of changes to the File Formats have been identified. Attached are the revised File formats with tracked changes. The Z90 record has been added to the file hierarchy diagrams which are also attached.

#### **Nature of Variation**

- An additional “Z90” record has been identified which needs to be included when iGTs submit CSEPs files to DNOs. Files will fail and be rejected where this is not present. When iGTs submit the file, it is in the form of a blank record – “Z90”. The record is populated when xoserve responds to the file, to display the number of accepted and rejected records.
- The description of the “Z99” in the current documentation reflected within Mod 0180 actually refers to the missing Z90 record. The Z99 record is another required line but has different details.
- A number of illogical entries against some of the field type have also been identified– dates listed as numeric or text instead of date format, and AQ values shown as text instead of numeric. It is necessary to change these to logical data types.

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