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Dear Julian,

Modification Proposal 0183

Thank you for providing Scottish and Southern Energy plc (SSE) with the opportunity to comment on the above modification proposal.

SSE offers qualified support for modification 0183.

SSE agree with the process as described in the Mod but have some concerns about potentially being held in breach ourselves if other (nested) parties fail to pass us the data in a timely manner. If we can obtain some assurance regarding who gets held accountable for any missing data (and the consequences) and to what extent the lead IGT is expected to follow up the missing data (i.e. will "reasonable endeavours" suffices?) then we will be more comfortable.

Yours sincerely

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