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Re: Introduction of a Date Tolerance to Facilitate the Processing of Individual Meter Point reconciliation at LDZ CSEPs

Dear Julian,

I respond on behalf of the RWE group of companies. We support the implementation of this modification proposal, as we believe, for the meantime, it will allow additional reconciliations to occur which will help to facilitate the correct apportionment of costs to Users.

RWE npower are involved in Review Group 157 " Review of iGT Settlements & Reconciliation Arrangements" and are keen to see enduring processes put in place to guarantee that the future of CSEP reconciliations continue to be conducted in a robust manner. We see this proposal, as a "quick win" for the industry, as it appears relatively straightforward to implement. We support the work that is being conducted by the DNs and iGTs to identify the root causes and develop potential solutions. However, we are concerned that a piecemeal approach to resolving the issues with regards to iGT reconciliations will have a detrimental impact on future arrangements and would prefer that a fully integrated solution be developed with the assistance of Users, which can be implemented across the industry.

Nevertheless, we support this modification proposal as it provides a pragmatic solution to the current situation whereby reconciliations are unable to occur due to conflicting DN and iGT processing times.

If you wish to discuss any points raised in this response further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards,

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