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Dear Sirs

Response to UNC Modification Proposal 0226 – Additional Data Requirements for the Administration of CSEP Supply Points

Thank you for providing GTC with the opportunity to comment on the above Modification Proposal

In principle, GTC is supportive of Modification Proposal 0226, but can only offer qualified support at this stage for reasons outlined below.

GTC has been involved in discussions to improve NExA processes and has voluntarily participated in the inclusion of the DN Reference on DO1 submissions since December 2007. We are, however, disappointed that the inclusion of this has not resulted in the reduction of CSP01 rejections, as was expected. It is hoped that this Modification Proposal, coupled with changes to the internal processes which will allow the agent to accept DO1 submissions prior to the acceptance of completion packs by the DNO, will see a vast reduction in CSP01 rejections.

We believe that the process to allow nested iGTs to interact directly with the DNO will make a vast improvement to the current transfer of data process.

GTC is disappointed not to have had sight of the validation rules, file formats and draft text changes to Annex A which would allow us to make appropriate comments along with the consultation response.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you wish to discuss this further.

Yours faithfully

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