

Representation

Draft Modification Report

0390: Introduction of a Supply Point Offtake Rate Review and Monitoring Process

Consultation close out date: 06 January 2012
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Do you support or oppose implementation?

Support

Please summarise (in one paragraph) the key reason(s) for your support/opposition.

Implementation of this proposal would provide Transporters with more accurate SPOR information. Transporters utilise this SPOR information to ensure the operation of a safe and economic gas transportation system. Provision of this information, is therefore, likely to lead to a lowering of overall costs within the gas industry which can only be an advantage to all parties, including consumers.

Are there any new or additional issues that you believe should be recorded in the Modification Report?

No.

Relevant Objectives:

How would implementation of this modification impact the relevant objectives?

We agree with the proposer that relevant objectives (a), (b), (c) and (d) would be better facilitated. This is because more accurate SPOR values will help Transporters plan and target investment more accurately, and also allow them to operate the network more efficiently on a day to day basis.

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Impacts and Costs:

What analysis, development and ongoing costs would you face if this modification were implemented?

The costs on shippers should be small as there is currently a requirement to monitor SPOR reports.

Implementation:

What lead-time would you wish to see prior to this modification being implemented, and why?

This modification could be implemented as soon as possible.

Legal Text:

Are you satisfied that the legal text will deliver the intent of the modification?

Yes.

Is there anything further you wish to be taken into account?

Please provide any additional comments, supporting analysis, or other information that that you believe should be taken into account or you wish to emphasise.

No.