

## Self-Governance Statement

### **0401: Amendments to the provisions for agreeing pressures at the Offtakes from the National Transmission System to Distribution Networks**

The Transporters are submitting this Self-Governance Statement to the Authority in accordance with the UNC Modification Rules.

On 15 September 2011, the Modification Panel considered Modification 0401 and determined by majority vote that the modification should be treated as a Self-Governance Modification Proposal, as it seeks to amend the provisions for agreeing pressures (rather than the pressures eventually agreed) and hence is not likely to impact competition in the supply of gas conveyed through pipes or any commercial activities connected with the shipping, transportation or supply of gas conveyed through pipes.

As such, the modification:

- (i) is unlikely to have a material effect on:
  - (aa) existing or future gas consumers; and
  - (bb) competition in the shipping, transportation or supply of gas conveyed through pipes or any commercial activities connected with the shipping, transportation or supply of gas conveyed through pipes; and
  - (cc) the operation of one or more pipe-line system(s); and
  - (dd) matters relating to sustainable development, safety or security of supply, or the management of market or network emergencies; and
  - (ee) the uniform network code governance procedures or the network code modification procedures; and
- (ii) is unlikely to discriminate between different classes of parties to the uniform network code/relevant gas transporters, gas shippers or DN operators.

The Proposed Self-Governance Modification Proposal Determination Date is 19 January 2012.