

Representation - Draft Modification Report 0546S

Reduction of the Minimum Eligible Quantity (100,000kWh) for European IP capacity

Responses invited by: **10 September 2015**

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Organisation:	National Grid Gas Transmission
Date of Representation:	10 th September 2015
Support or oppose implementation?	Support
Relevant Objective:	g) Positive

Reason for support: Please summarise (in one paragraph) the key reason(s)

The adjacent TSOs at Moffat Interconnection Point, Premier Transmission Ltd (PTL) and Gas Networks Ireland (GNI) have requested that the Minimum Eligible Quantity at EU IPs, be reduced from 100,000 kWh/day (or the equivalent in kWh/hour) to 1kWh/d for those operating in kWh/d and to 1 kWh/h for those operating in kWh/h. This change is consistent with the requirement for adjacent TSOs to cooperate and it supports the principle of offering bundled capacity across an IP and therefore better facilitates Relevant Objective g) “compliance with the Regulation and any relevant legally binding decisions of the European Commission and/or the Agency for the Co-operation of Energy Regulators”.

Self-Governance Statement: Please provide your views on the self-governance statement.

We support the Modification Panel’s determination of self-governance for this modification.

Implementation: What lead-time do you wish to see prior to implementation and why?

In line with self-governance procedures, implementation could be sixteen business days after a Modification Panel decision to implement, subject to no appeal being raised.

Impacts and Costs: What analysis, development and ongoing costs would you face?

There are no industry costs associated with this modification.

Legal Text: Are you satisfied that the legal text will deliver the intent of the Solution?

Yes

Are there any errors or omissions in this Modification Report that you think should be taken into account? *Include details of any impacts/costs to your organisation that are directly related to this.*

None identified.

Please provide below any additional analysis or information to support your representation

None required.