

UNC Transmission Workgroup Agenda

10:00 Thursday 01 October 2020

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1.0 Introduction and Status Review

- 1.1 Approval of Minutes (03 September 2020)
- 1.2 Approval of Late Papers
- 1.3 Review of Outstanding Actions
- 1.4 Industry Update from Ofgem
- 1.5 Pre-Modification Discussions
 - 1.5.1 Re-introduce Fungibility for Existing Capacity Booked at Bacton ASEPs
 - 1.5.2 Incremental NTS Entry Capacity Surrender

2.0 European Codes Update

3.0 Workgroups

- 3.1 0705R – NTS Capacity Access Review
(Report to Panel 15 October 2020)
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- 3.2 0735 - UNC Changes as a consequence of the absence of trade agreement/s between the United Kingdom and the European Union ('no deal')
(Report to Panel 19 November 2020)
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4.0 Requests to Change Gas Quality Limits at Individual Entry Points (P Hobbins)

5.0 Issues

6.0 Any Other Business

- 6.1 GS(M)R Review: NGG Implementation Planning (P Hobbins)
- 6.2 Connection Charging Statement Annual Review (N Lond)
- 6.3 Questions relating to specific change to the UNC Data Dictionary (R Hinsley)
- 6.4 Prevention of capacity booking errors in Gemini (P Hobbins)

7.0 Diary Planning

| Action Table (as at 03 September 2020) | | | | | |
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| Action Ref | Meeting Date | Minute Ref | Action | Owner | Status Update |
| 0301 | 05/03/20 | 1.2 | <p><i>Ofgem Update – Decision to reject Uniform Network Code (UNC) 667: Inclusion and Amendment of the Entry Incremental Capacity Release Net Present Value test in the Uniform Network Code:</i></p> <p>Ofgem to provide further clarity on the progression of decarbonisation in order to better understand the decision to reject Modification 0667.</p> | Ofgem | Carried Forward |
| 0302 | 05/03/20 | 1.2 | <p><i>Ofgem Update – Decision to reject Uniform Network Code (UNC) 667: Inclusion and Amendment of the Entry Incremental Capacity Release Net Present Value test in the Uniform Network Code:</i></p> <p>With reference to the NPV Test to progress decarbonisation, Ofgem to provide clarity on the direction of travel.</p> | Ofgem | Carried Forward |
| 0901 | 04/09/20 | 5.2 | <p><i>Requests to Change Gas Quality Limits at Individual Entry Points:</i></p> <p>PH to provide further clarity on the cost elements and regulations of how the costs are broken down in order to provide assurance that National Grid will not be recovering costs twice.</p> <p>PH is also to include the previously asked PARCA element as part of his response.</p> | National Grid (PH) | Pending |
| 0902 | 04/09/20 | 5.2 | <p><i>Requests to Change Gas Quality Limits at Individual Entry Points:</i></p> <p>PH to review what the framework would look like for setting up a Service Line.</p> <p>PH to provide further clarity on a proposed framework and clarify how this change in policy would manifest.</p> | National Grid (PH) | Pending |

**UNC Workgroup 0705R Agenda
NTS Capacity Access Review**

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- 1.0 Introduction and Status Review**
 - 1.1 Approval of Minutes (03 September 2020)
 - 1.2 Approval of Late Papers
 - 1.3 Review outstanding actions
- 2.0 Entry User Commitment Methodology Update**
- 3.0 Review of the Exit Regime**
- 4.0 Exit User Commitment Progress**
- 5.0 Substitution Progress**
- 6.0 Capacity Product Development**
- 7.0 Secondary Capacity Assignments**
- 8.0 Development of Request Workgroup Report**
- 9.0 Next Steps**
- 10.0 Any Other Business**
- 11.0 Diary Planning**

| Action Table (as at 03 September 2020) | | | | | |
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| Action Ref | Meeting Date | Minute Ref | Action | Owner | Status Update |
| 0404 | 02/04/20 | 2.1 | Amended: National Grid (JR) to explore longer-term options for the exit capacity regime (including mirroring the entry regime on the exit side and zonal options and feed into consultation. Review Date: September 2020. | National Grid (JR) | Carried Forward until October |

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| 0501 | 07/05/20 | 2.1 | National Grid to develop consultation regarding the User Commitment options in September. | National Grid (JR) | Carried Forward until October |
| 0701 | 02/07/20 | 2.1 | <i>Entry User Commitment</i> : National Grid (JR) to provide a progress update on the changes to the User Commitment requirements in the ECR methodology. | National Grid (JR) | Carried Forward |
| 0901 | 03/09/20 | 2.0 | <i>Entry User Commitment</i> - Workgroup participants to review the text provided to support Action 0701 and feedback to National Grid, Jennifer Randall (JR). | All Workgroup | Pending |
| 0902 | 03/09/20 | 3.0 | <i>Exit User Commitment</i> - National Grid (JR) to advise Workgroup National Grid's decision on the proposed Exit User Commitment option forward by the November 2020 meeting, providing a progress update in October 2020. | National Grid (JR) | Pending |
| 0903 | 03/09/20 | 3.0 | <i>Exit User Commitment Progress</i> – National Grid (JR) to launch holistic review of the Exit Regime. | National Grid (JR) | Pending |
| 0903a | 03/09/20 | 3.0 | <i>Exit User Commitment Progress</i> – National Grid (JR) to provide a transparent scope of what the holistic review will look like including timelines. | National Grid (JR) | Pending |
| 0904 | 03/09/20 | 4.0 | <i>Substitution Progress</i> - National Grid (JR) to provide further information around the disconnection process and how physical and commercial disconnection interact. | National Grid (JR) | Pending |
| 0905 | 03/09/20 | 4.0 | <i>Substitution Progress</i> - National Grid (JR) to further investigate whether capacity at disconnected sites could be prioritised in the substitution process. | National Grid (JR) | Pending |
| 0906 | 03/09/20 | 4.0 | <i>PARCA Process</i> – National Grid (JR) to provide an understanding of the obligation on the 6 months Phase 1 stage and what happens if the analysis can be delivered sooner; if the analysis is ready earlier do National Grid liaise with the applicant; what is the process when National Grid has completed the analysis? | National Grid (JR) | Pending |
| 0907 | 03/09/20 | 5.0 | <i>Secondary Capacity Assignment – Principle</i> - All Workgroup participants to advise National Grid (JR) if consideration should be given to Exit alongside Entry. | All Workgroup | Pending |
| 0908 | 03/09/20 | 5.0 | <i>Secondary Capacity Assignments</i> – Existing Contracts – National Grid and Ofgem to explore options. | National Grid (JR) and Ofgem (ML) | Pending |

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| 0909 | 03/09/20 | 5.0 | <i>Within Day Off-Peak/Interruptible Capacity Product Options:</i> All Workgroup participants to provide any feedback to JR as to where National Grid is best to focus its attention to JR. | All Workgroup | Pending |
| 0909a | 03/09/20 | 5.0 | <i>Within Day Off-Peak/Interruptible Capacity Product Options:</i> <i>Within Day Off-Peak/Interruptible Capacity Product Options:</i> National Grid (JR) to work up 'promising' options in further detail. | National Grid (JR) | Pending |
| 0910 | 03/09/20 | 7.0 | <i>Development of Workgroup Report</i> – National Grid (JR) agreed to provide an update to the Impact on Central Systems and Process. | National Grid (JR) | Pending |
| 0910a | 03/09/20 | 7.0 | <i>Development of Workgroup Report</i> - National Grid (JR) to review next steps under each section of the Workgroup Report and consider how it is to progress. | National Grid (JR) | Pending |
| 0910b | 03/09/20 | 7.0 | <i>Development of Workgroup Report:</i> All Workgroup participants to review the Workgroup Report ahead of the next Workgroup | All Workgroup | Pending |
| 0912 | 03/09/20 | 7.0 | <i>Development of Workgroup Report</i> - NGN (EB) and National Grid (JR) to provide further clarity on why Exit User Commitment is being removed. | NGN (EB) and National Grid (JR) | Pending |

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1.0 Outline of Modification

Proposer to explain the rationale for raising the Modification and the intended outcome, and any specific areas that the Workgroup needs to address.

2.0 Initial Discussion

2.1 Issues and Questions from Panel

2.1.1 Workgroup are requested to provide views on the potential suitability of Self-Governance status

2.2 Initial Representations

2.3 Terms of Reference
[\(www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0735/\)](http://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0735/)

3.0 Next Steps

4.0 Any Other Business

5.0 Diary Planning

Agree agenda items and actions for next meeting