

FASTER SWITCHING SCR
UNIFORM NETWORK CODE (UNC) - DRAFTING CHANGES

1 Proposed Legal Text (May 2019)

- 1.1 The legal text prepared in May 2019 comprised the following documents (i) updated TPD Section B4, (ii) new TPD Section B8, (iii) new TPD Section B, Annex B-3, (iv) updated TPD Section G, (v) new TPD Section G, Annex G-1, (vi) updated TPD Section M and (vii) consequential changes to other parts of UNC.
- 1.2 In updating the legal text in March 2020 changes have been to (i) updated TPD Section G, (ii) new TPD Section G, Annex G-1 and (iii) updated TPD Section M. No changes have been made to the other documents (save to correct a number of minor cross referencing errors).
- 1.3 Copies of each of the three documents showing the March 2020 changes, against the versions prepared in May 2019, are attached.

2 TPD Section G (March 2020)

- 2.1 The changes made are as follows:
- (a) to remove the existing rules relating to a Supplier of Last Resort situation (i) as CSS Processes under REC will support registration of the SoLR at relevant sites and support the corresponding notification by the CSS Provider to the CDSP for the purposes of Supply Point Registration and (ii) as in a User termination situation CSS Processes and corresponding notifications by the CSS Provider to the CDSP can operate to support a change of shipper notwithstanding the absence of an existing Registered User at relevant sites;
 - (b) in relation to Supply Point Registration for CSS Supply Points:
 - (i) to remove the association between a Base Registration Nomination and (i) a specified Relevant CSS Request and (ii) a specified effective date for the proposed Supply Point Registration;
 - (ii) to provide that only one Base Reservation Nomination may be Operative at any point in time;
 - (c) to classify Shared Supply Meter Points (SSMP) as Non-CSS Supply Points; and to recognise a Supply Meter Point (i) will become a CSS Supply Point when it ceases to be a SSMP and (ii) will become a Non-CSS Supply Point when it becomes a SSMP; and
 - (d) to remove the rules relating to Mandatory Allocation Agents.

3 TPD Section G, Annex G-1 (March 2020)

3.1 The changes to paragraph 4.5 and to Table C reflect the changes made to paragraph 5 in TPD Section G. There are also some corrections to Table D.

4 TPD Section M (March 2020)

4.1 The changes made are as follows:

- (a) alignment of the rules relating to Opening Meter Readings for Class 3 and 4 Supply Meters so the start date for the window in which the Proposing User may submit Meter Readings is now the Supply Point Registration Date (and no longer SPRD-5);
- (b) permitting Meter Readings submitted by a subsequent Registered User to be used by CDSP when estimating an Opening Meter Reading where previously not provided by an earlier Registered User.

5 Outstanding Matters (March 2020)

5.1 The following matters remain outstanding, and further drafting will be required in relation to:

- (a) GT Section D to reflect the role of the CDSP in the context of the services required under the following REC Technical Specification Documents; (i) Gas Retail Data Service (GRDS) Service Definition, (ii) Gas Enquiry Service (GES) Service Definition and (iii) Gas Central Data Service Provider Further Services Service Definition;
- (b) TPD Section V5 and GT Section D once the approach is agreed on revisions to the rules around the Data Permissions Matrix and governance;
- (c) TPD Section G once the approach is agreed in relation to sites which are related to licence exempt networks; and
- (d) transitional rules (noting the scope of the transitional rules required remains as described in the explanatory note which accompanied the May 2019 drafting).