

Agenda Items Summary

2.0 Seasonal Normal Review 2020

2.1 Review of Composite Weather Variable (CWV) Optimisation (VOTE REQUIRED)

- DESC approved the design for the new CWV formula at its meeting on 22nd July.

This meeting will be presented with the proposed set of optimum parameters for each LDZ for the new formula. The results will include comparisons to the existing parameters in order to prove that an improvement has been found on average across the number of years analysed.

DESC will be asked to vote on the new parameters in order that the remaining steps of the Seasonal Normal Review process can continue.

2.2. Approach to Seasonal Normal Basis (SNCWV) (FOR REVIEW)

- Opportunity to review the inputs required for calculating a new basis of the Seasonal Normal Composite Weather Variable (SNCWV) and a high level view of the approach.

The main milestone to deliver a revised set of SNCWVs for DESC to vote upon is planned for the December DESC meeting.

3.0 NDM Sample Update (FOR INFORMATION)

- An update will be provided on the current sample numbers available for the Algorithm Performance analysis due to be presented at the December DESC meeting. Sample data is needed for the period Gas Year 2018/19.