

Agenda Items Summary

2. Seasonal Normal Review 2020 – FOR REVIEW – VOTE REQUIRED

- DESC will be presented with the draft Seasonal Normal Composite Weather Variable (SNCWV) profiles to be used from Gas Year 2020/21 onwards. The presentations provide the calculations that have been performed since DESC approved the approach to deriving the SNCWV values at its meeting on 5th November.

DESC will be asked to vote on the proposed new profiles.

3. Evaluation of Algorithm Performance for Gas Year 2018/19 – FOR REVIEW

- One of DESC's obligations is to review the performance of the demand models. At this meeting we shall be reviewing Gas Year 2018/19. The analysis includes Strand 1 Weather Analysis which provides context when reviewing the other strands. Strand 2 reviews the levels of Unidentified Gas and Strand 3 compares the actual consumption from the NDM sample data with the allocated values.

4. NDM Sample Update – FOR REVIEW

- This item will reflect on the sample data that has been collected to support the evaluation of algorithm performance work and provide updates on any identified issues.

5. Modelling Approach – Spring 2020 – FOR REVIEW

- This item is to prompt DESC to start thinking about the approach to modelling in Spring 2020 which will be creating NDM profiles for Gas Year 2020/21. The main headline here is that the modelling will be performed using the new CWV definitions and SNCWV values. The approach to modelling will be reviewed and voted upon formally at the February DESC meeting next year.