

Legal Text Provision (Improvements to the status quo)

UNC Workgroup 0676R – Review of Gas Transporters Joint Office Arrangements

Action Ref 1102: Gas Transporters to consider an appropriate proposal for Option 1 – improvement to the current process for improved legal text provision.

Proposals:

- Amend the Modification Template (Summary section) to require the proposer to state the section(s) of code impacted.
- Proposer to ensure the Solution section of the Modification Template only contains clearly defined business rules that will result in contractual changes to the UNC or associated information pertinent to the required changes.
- Action on the Workgroup to review/consider the relevant section(s) of code, prior to legal text drafting and write the business rules in a way that is consistent with the existing text. This is likely to reduce queries from the legal text provider to the proposer.
- For complex Modifications, Gas Transporters may procure the services of external legal text providers.