

# Governance Changes: An overview



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## What has changed?

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- Code Governance Review Final Proposals
- CAP188 implemented 30<sup>th</sup> December 2011
- Charging Methodologies now Section 14 of the CUSC
- Subject to CUSC Modification Process

## Where are the Methodologies?

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- Section 14 of the CUSC
- National Grid's website:
  - <http://www.nationalgrid.com/uk/Electricity/Codes/systemcode/contracts/>
- The Statement of Use of System Charges is **not** part of the CUSC
  - <http://www.nationalgrid.com/uk/Electricity/Charges/chargingstatementsapproval/index.htm>

## Who can raise a change?

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- CUSC Party
- BSC Party
- National Consumer Council (Consumer Focus)
- “Materially Affected Party”
  - “any person or class of persons designated by the Authority as such, in relation to the Charging Methodologies”

## How do I raise a change?

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- Download the Modification Proposal form for Charging Methodology proposals
  - [http://www.nationalgrid.com/uk/Electricity/Codes/systemcode/amendments/forms\\_guidance/](http://www.nationalgrid.com/uk/Electricity/Codes/systemcode/amendments/forms_guidance/)
- Use the guidance notes in the form and/or call the CUSC team for assistance
- Send the completed form to the Panel Secretary

# How long does it take?

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- That depends!
- Several routes for CUSC Modification Proposals
  - Workgroup
  - Straight to industry consultation
  - Self-governance (non-material impacts only)
- Workgroup
  - Terms of reference signed off by Panel
  - Maximum duration 4 months, unless extension approved
- Material changes take roughly 6 – 12 months

# How can I find out more?

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- Contact the CUSC team at National Grid
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