

Uniform Network Code Modification Proposals

18th March 2009

New Proposals

UNC Modification 0243

- Title:
 - Amendments to the process for initialisation of Enduring NTS Exit (Flat) Capacity at the Moffat NTS Exit Point
- Raised by:
 - Electricity Supply Board on 03 March 2009
- Status:
 - Closed-Out
 - Seventeen Responses
 - Fourteen Support, Two Qualified Support, One Comments
- Next stages:
 - March Modification Panel for recommendation

UNC Modification 0243

- Title:
 - Delaying the implementation of the Ad-hoc application principle of the enduring offtake arrangements
- Main Features:
 - Defers initial allocation of capacity at Moffat only until 2010 or 2011
 - Allows capacity certification arrangements based on downstream usage to be amended

UNC Modification 0246

- Title:
 - Quarterly NTS Entry Capacity User Commitment
- Raised by:
 - National Grid NTS on 12 March 2009
- Status:
 - Raised
- Next stages:
 - March Modification Panel for decision on consultation/development

UNC Modification 0246

- Title:
 - Quarterly NTS Entry Capacity User Commitment
- Main Features:
 - Requires security to be provided prior to participation in QSEC auctions
 - Establishes commitment to provide ongoing security and payment of QSEC auction bid amounts

Proposal Closed-Out

UNC Modification 0233

- Title:
 - Changes to Outstanding Energy Balancing Indebtedness Calculation
- Raised by:
 - British Gas Trading on 31 October 2008
- Status:
 - Revision tabled
- Next stages:
 - Consideration at march Modification Panel

Proposals with Ofgem

UNC Modification 0230

- Title:
 - Amendment to QSEC and AMSEC Auction Timetables
- Raised by:
 - National Grid NTS on 08 October 2008
- Status:
 - February Modification Panel did not recommend implementation (2/10)
 - 2 preferred it to 0230AV
- Next stages:
 - Ofgem decision

UNC Modification 0230AV

- Title:
 - Amendment to QSEC and AMSEC Auction Timetables
- Raised by:
 - E.ON UK on 22 January 2009 (as variation to 0230)
- Status:
 - February Modification Panel did not recommend implementation (5/10)
 - 4 preferred it to 0230
- Next stages:
 - Ofgem decision

UNC Modification 0239

- Title:
 - Reinstatement of NTS Interruption
- Raised by:
 - National Grid NTS on 12 November 2008
- Status:
 - January Modification Panel recommended implementation (10/10)
- Next stages:
 - With Ofgem

UNC Modification 0241

- Title:
 - Delaying the implementation of the Ad-hoc application principle of the enduring offtake arrangements
- Raised by:
 - National Grid NTS on 20 January 2009
- Status:
 - February Modification Panel recommended implementation (10/10)
- Next stages:
 - With Ofgem

Review Proposals

UNC Review 0217

- Title:
 - Gemini Code Contingency Arrangements
- Raised by:
 - National Grid NTS on 10 June 2008
- Status:
 - Report agreed to March 2009 Panel
- Next stages:
 - National Grid NTS to raise Proposal

UNC Review 0221

- Title:
 - Review of Entry Capacity and the Appropriate Allocation of Financial Risk
- Raised by:
 - National Grid NTS on 13 August 2008
- Status:
 - Completed work except for agreeing Review Group Report
- Next stages:
 - Review Group Report to April 2009 Panel
 - National Grid NTS has raised Proposal 0246

Implemented Proposals

UNC Modification 0219

- Title:
 - Publication of UK Wholesale Gas Market Liquidity Data
- Raised by:
 - E.ON UK on 31 July 2008
- Status:
 - Approved 05 March 2009 for implementation 01 November 2009
- Next stages:
 - None

UNC Modification 0235

- Title:
 - Recovery of Debt and Smearing of Revenues via Energy Balancing Neutrality
- Raised by:
 - E.ON UK on 31 October 2008
- Status:
 - Approved 05 March 2009 for implementation 01 April 2009
- Next stages:
 - None

UNC Modification 0237

- Title:
 - Disposal of Dynevor Arms LNG Storage Facility
- Raised by:
 - National Grid NTS (LNG) on 12 November 2008
- Status:
 - Approved 10 March 2009 for implementation 12 March 2009
- Next stages:
 - None

UNC Modification 0240

- Title:
 - Promoting Competition in Operating Margins Provision
- Raised by:
 - National Grid NTS on 10 December 2008
- Status:
 - Approved 16 February 2009 for implementation 17 February 2009
- Next stages:
 - None

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