

## iGT UNC / iGT INC Consultation Response

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<b>Reference</b>	iGT057S Modification Proposal Consultation
<b>Title</b>	Creating CSEP NExA Ancillary
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<b>Position on the Modification</b>	Support Modification

### Facilitation of the relevant objectives

*How this proposal will, if implemented, better facilitate the “code relevant objectives”, as defined in Standard Condition 9 of the Gas Transporters Licence. For those answered Yes to, please provide a detailed explanation below the table.*

<i>Relevant Objective</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
a. the efficient and economic operation of the pipe-line system to which this licence relates	
b. so far as is consistent with sub-paragraph (a), the coordinated, efficient and economic operation of the pipe-line system of one or more other relevant gas transporters	
c. so far as is consistent with sub-paragraphs (a) and (b), the efficient discharge of the licensee's obligations under this licence	
d. so far as is consistent with sub-paragraphs (a) to (c) the securing of effective competition between relevant shippers and between relevant suppliers	
e. so far as is consistent with sub-paragraphs (a) to (d), the provision of reasonable economic incentives for relevant suppliers to secure that the domestic customer supply security standards are satisfied as respects the availability of gas to their domestic customers	
f. so far as is consistent with sub-paragraphs (a) to (e), the promotion of efficiency in the implementation and administration of the network code and/or the uniform network code referred to in paragraphs 2 and 5 respectively of this condition	YES
g. so far as is consistent with sub-paragraphs (a) to (f), the compliance with the Regulation* and any relevant legally binding decisions of the European Commission and/or the Agency for the Co-operation of Energy Regulators	

\* Regulation 2009/715/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 July 2009

*Relevant Objectives to be better facilitated:*

f. so far as is consistent with sub-paragraphs (a) to (e), the promotion of efficiency in the implementation and administration of the network code and/or the uniform network code referred to in paragraphs 2 and 5 respectively of this condition

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Including a version number and to and from application dates will introduce increased transparency and certainty to Users of when the referenced Table included in Appendix CI-1 is valid from.

The creation of an Ancillary Document will introduce a reference point where details of all historic versions of the CSEP NExA Table can be located. This will improve accessibility and ensure that existing Users and new entrants have an available reference point to locate and validate the applicable AQ value for new connection points over an historic period. As a consequence this will assist Shippers Users in the validation of Transportation Charges.

### Likely impact on environment?

*No Expected Issues*

### Implementation issues including impact on your systems

*No Expected Issues*

### Additional Information and Comments

The AQ values currently set out in the AQ Table represent an estimate of the annual quantity of gas consumed in accordance with the property type and geographical location. Any new domestic premises connected on an iGT network will be allocated an AQ from the AQ table currently located in Appendix CI-1 of the code.

Scottish Power identified that the CSEP NExA tables are not subject to governance and that historic versions of the CSEP NExA Table were not published. This Modification will ensure that subsequent revision to the CSEP Ancillary documents to be appropriately version numbered. We believe this Modification will contribute to the efficient implementation and administration of the code and increase certainty and confidence in the iGT UNC arrangements for all parties that need to access the CSEP NExA Tables.

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