

Consultation Response**iGT101F: Amending iGT UNC legal text to reflect changes to the UNC made by UNC570**

Responses invited by: 01 09 2017

Respondent Details

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Support Implementation ☒

Qualified Support ☐

Neutral ☐

Do Not Support ☐

Please briefly summarise the key reason(s) for your support / opposition

Npower believes that this modification fulfils the CMA order's requirement for annual reads, which is ultimately beneficial for industry settlements. Also, increasing the number of meter readings submitted into the settlement system should lead to an increase in the accuracy of gas settlements and allocation.

We therefore support this modification and agree that the obligation to take a meter reading at least once every year for billing purposes for non-daily metered sites, should be put into the UNC.

Self-Governance Statement

Do you agree with the Modification Panel's determination with respect to whether or not this should be a self-governance modification?

Yes

Please state any new or additional issues that you believe should be considered

N/A

Relevant Objectives

How would implementation of this modification impact the relevant objectives?

Positively

Impacts and Costs

What development and ongoing costs would you face if this modification was implemented?

There are no additional costs and impacts from implementing this change.

Implementation

What lead time would you wish to see prior to this modification being implemented, and why?

Implementation should be aligned to the implementation of the CMA Gas Settlement Order in April 2018.

Legal Text

Are you satisfied that the legal text will deliver the intent of the modification?

Yes

Further Comments

Is there anything further you wish to be taken into account?

No

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