

DCUSA CHANGE DECLARATION

DCP 174 – Qualification and Application of LV Sub-Station Tariffs

VOTING DATE: 01 November 2013

DCP 174	WEIGHTED VOTING		
	DNO	IDNO	SUPPLIER
CHANGE SOLUTION	Accept	Reject	Accept
IMPLEMENTATION DATE	Accept	Reject	Accept
RECOMMENDATION	<p>Change Solution – REJECT. In respect of each Party Category that was eligible to vote, the sum of the Weighted Votes of the Groups in that Party Category which voted to accept the change solution was less than 50% in all Categories.</p> <p>Implementation Date – REJECT. In respect of each Party Category that was eligible to vote, the sum of the Weighted Votes of the Groups in that Party Category which voted to accept the implementation date was less than 50% in all Categories.</p>		
PART ONE / PART TWO	Part One – Authority Determination Required		

PARTY	SOLUTION (A / R)	IMPLEMENTATION DATE (A/R)	COMMENTS
DNO PARTIES			
Electricity North West Ltd	Accept	Accept	N/A
Northern PowerGrid - North East	Accept	Accept	N/A
Northern PowerGrid - Yorkshire	Accept	Accept	N/A
Scottish Power - Distribution	Accept	Accept	N/A
Scottish Power – Manweb	Accept	Accept	N/A
SSE - Distribution plc	Accept	Accept	N/A
SSE – Hydro plc	Accept	Accept	N/A
UKPN - Eastern Power Networks	Accept	Accept	We agree that DCUSA General Objective 4 is improved as this proposal does clarify the definition of an LV Substation connection.
UKPN - London Power Networks	Accept	Accept	We agree that DCUSA General Objective 4 is improved as this proposal does clarify the definition of an LV Substation connection.
UKPN - South Eastern Power Networks	Accept	Accept	We agree that DCUSA General Objective 4 is improved as this proposal does clarify the definition of an LV

			Substation connection.
Western Power Distribution - East Midlands plc	Accept	Accept	N/A
Western Power Distribution - South Wales plc	Accept	Accept	N/A
Western Power Distribution - South West plc	Accept	Accept	N/A
Western Power Distribution - West Midlands plc	Accept	Accept	N/A
IDNO PARTIES			
GTC (ETCL & IPNL)	Reject	Reject	This CP does not address the underlying issue at hand, therefore we believe it does not facilitate DCUSA objective 4 and on that basis we cannot support this change. This is on the basis that it perpetuates the inconsistency where a customer who connects his assets (LV cable) to the outgoing bars of the LV substation has to pay charges towards LV assets because his meters may be outside the Transformer chamber (for whatever reason).
SUPPLIER PARTIES			

EDF Energy	Accept	Accept	N/A
GDF Suez	Accept	Accept	N/A
Npower	Accept	Accept	We agree with the proposed change. It rectifies a current issue without raising issues elsewhere.
Scottish Power Energy Retail Ltd	Accept	Accept	N/A
SSE Energy Supply Ltd	Accept	Accept	N/A