

Meeting Session	DCUSA Panel (Open Session)
Paper Reference	Panel_2017_1018_09_Initial Assessment Report: DCPs 311, 312 and 313
Meeting Date	18 October 2017
Action	For Decision

Initial Assessment Paper

1. Synopsis

- 1.1 This paper refers DCUSA Change Proposals (DCPs) 311, 312 and 313 to the DCUSA Panel for agreement on their progression.
- 1.2 The Change Proposals (CPs) have been assessed by the Secretariat in accordance with Section 10.11 of the DCUSA. The CPs have met the requirements set out in the DCUSA and ElectraLink has prepared a set of recommendations for consideration by the Panel.

2. DCP Overview

- 2.1 Table 1 details the CPs that has been received by the DCUSA Secretariat.
 - It is the view of the Proposer that DCP 311 be classed as a Standard change and a Part 1 Matter.
 - It is the view of the Proposer that DCP 312 be classed as a Standard change and a Part 1 Matter.
 - It is the view of the Proposer that DCP 313 be classed as a Standard change and a Part 1 Matter.
- 2.2 The DCUSA Panel should, with reference to DCUSA Clause 9.4, determine whether in their opinion each change relates to a Part 1 or Part 2 Matter, taking into account the Proposer's opinion.

Table 1 – DCUSA Change Proposals

DCP No.	Title	Proposer	Part 1 / Part 2 Matter	Proposed Implementation Date	Impacted Clauses	CP Area	Summary
311	Clarification of NUF cap and collar calculations	Andrew Enzor – Northern Powergrid	Part 1	Next scheduled release following approval	Schedule 17 and 18, clause 18.8	EDCM	The intent of this Change Proposal is to modify schedules 17 and 18 to clarify which years should be used when determining NUF caps and collars to be applied for each charging year, and to remove an additional year lag which has been built into the legal text for the cap and collar calculations for 2023/24 charges.
312	Standardisation of the Reporting of HH Portfolio Billing Data by EDNOs	Donna Townsend – ESP Electricity Ltd	Part 1	Next scheduled release following approval	Schedule 19	General	The intent of this Change Proposal to develop a consistent approach to the formatting of HH Portfolio Billing data for reporting purposes under Schedule 19.
313	Eligibility Criteria for EDCM Generation Credits	Andrew Enzor – Northern Powergrid	Part 1	01 April 2020	Schedule 17 & Schedule 18, Clause 6.5 or 5.31 & 5.32	EDCM	The intent of this Change Proposal is to improve transparency of the eligibility criteria for EDCM generators to receive super red credits, and to improve consistency in the application thereof.

3. Progression of the Change Proposals

DCP 311

- 3.1 ElectraLink recommends that DCP 311 is progressed to a Working Group as a Part 1 Matter.
- 3.2 The proposed timetable for the progression of DCP 311 is as follows:

Table 2 – Proposed Timetable for DCP 311

Activity	Target Date
Initial Assessment Report	11 October 2017
Change Report Agreed	17 January 2018
Party Voting Ends	09 February 2018
Change Declaration Issued	13 February 2018

DCP 312

- 3.3 ElectraLink recommends that DCP 312 is progressed to the Change Report phase as a Part 1 Matter.
- 3.4 The proposed timetable for the progression of DCP 312 is as follows:

Table 3 – Proposed Timetable for DCP 312

Activity	Target Date
Initial Assessment Report	11 October 2017
Change Report Agreed	15 November 2017
Party Voting Ends	08 December 2017
Change Declaration Issued	12 December 2017

DCP 313

- 3.5 ElectraLink recommends that DCP 313 is progressed to a Working Group as a Part 1 Matter.
- 3.6 The proposed timetable for the progression of DCP 313 is as follows:

Table 4 – Proposed Timetable for DCP 313

Activity	Target Date
Initial Assessment Report	11 October 2017
Change Report Agreed	17 January 2018
Party Voting Ends	09 February 2018
Change Declaration Issued	13 February 2018

4. Recommendation

4.1 For DCP 311, the DCUSA Panel is invited to:

- **ACCEPT** the referral of the CP;
- **AGREE** that the CP should be treated as a Standard change;
- **AGREE** that DCP 311 should be treated as a Part 1 Matter;
- **AGREE** that DCP 311 should be progressed to a Working Group; and
- **AGREE** the progression of the CP in accordance with the timescales set out in section 3.2

4.2 For DCP 312, the DCUSA Panel is invited to:

- **ACCEPT** the referral of the CP;
- **AGREE** that the CP should be treated as a Standard change;
- **AGREE** that DCP 312 should be treated as a Part 1 Matter;
- **AGREE** that DCP 312 should be progressed to the Change Report phase; and
- **AGREE** the progression of the CP in accordance with the timescales set out in section 3.4

4.3 For DCP 313, the DCUSA Panel is invited to:

- **ACCEPT** the referral of the CP;
- **AGREE** that the CP should be treated as a Standard change;
- **AGREE** that DCP 313 should be treated as a Part 1 Matter;
- **AGREE** that DCP 313 should be progressed to a Working Group; and
- **AGREE** the progression of the CP in accordance with the timescales set out in section 3.6

5. Attachments

- Attachment 1 – DCP 311 Change Proposal Form
- Attachment 2 – DCP 312 Change Proposal Form
- Attachment 3 – DCP 313 Change Proposal Form

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