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Ofgem's CGR3 Final Proposals Update

This paper provides the DCUSA Panel with an update on the status of progress made, alongside an updated DCUSA action plan, in respect of requirements put forward by Ofgem within its Code Governance Review Phase 3 (CGR3) Final Proposals.

1. Background

- 1.1 On 31 March 2016, Ofgem set out its Final Proposals as part of CGR3. The third phase of the review has sought to review the effectiveness of the key measures introduced under previous phases of the CGR, in order to identify further reforms.
- 1.2 The reforms put forward by Ofgem seek to both ensure that the governance arrangements of all industry codes deliver both non-material self-governance changes and more complex changes in an efficient and timely way and that the governance arrangements also promote transparency and accessibility for all industry participants.
- 1.3 This paper is a standing agenda item to provide the DCUSA Panel with monthly project updates and considerations for the DCUSA Panel in order to progress the CGR3 outcomes.

2. Project Update

- 2.1 A Code Administrator meeting was held on 17 January 2017. The main discussion points are outlined below.

Cross Code Forward Work Plan

- 2.2 Code Administrator's discussed the template of the code Forward Work Plan which was presented by Elexon following previous feedback. The plan is currently 47 pages and members agreed that this needs to be reduced to a more manageable summary. It was suggested that ELEXON would arrange a separate meeting in order to summarise the plan, with the proposal that another Workgroup would take it forward. A centralised strategic paper is due to be fed back to Panels in March 2017.

Centralised Modification Register

- 2.3 Previously, there was some discussion as to whether the Forward Work Plan and the Centralised Modification Register should be combined. Code Administrators discussed that it was beneficial to

keep the two documents separate, as the Modification Register allows parties to quickly find current changes.

Ofgem's Code Administrator's survey

2.4 Ofgem raised that the results of their Code Administrator survey have been delayed and will now be published in April 2017.

3. Recommendation

The DCUSA Panel is invited to:

- **NOTE** the contents of the paper.

4. Attachments

- Attachment 1 - DCUSA Action Plan - Ofgem's CGR3 Final Proposals

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