

DCP 268 Working Group Minutes

Meeting Name	DCP 268 Working Group
Meeting Number	02
Date	27 April 2016
Time	10:00
Venue	Web-Conference

Attendee	Company
Lee Wells [LW] (Chair)	Northern Powergrid
Bernard Kellas [BK]	SSE Energy Supply
Chris Ong [CO]	UK Power Networks
Claire Campbell [CC]	Scottish Power
Daniel Hickman [DH]	npower
Donald Preston [DP]	SSE
George Moran [GM]	British Gas
Helen Fosberry [HF]	E.ON
Julia Haughey [JH]	EDF Energy
Pamela Howe [PH]	Northern Powergrid
Simon Yeo [SY]	Western Power Distribution
Tom Chevalier [TC]	Power Data Associates
Claire Hynes [CH] (Secretariat)	ElectraLink

Apologies	Company
Chris Barker	ENWL
Emma Clarke	SSEPD
Kevin Spencer	Elexon

1 ADMINISTRATION

- 1.1 The minutes of the previous meeting were agreed without amendment. The actions log is included as Appendix A.
- 1.2 The Working Group reviewed the “Competition Law Do’s and Don’ts”. All Working Group members agreed to be bound by the Competition Laws Do’s and Don’ts for the duration of the meeting.

2 REVIEW OF THE DCP 268 WORKING PAPER

- 2.1 The Working Group reviewed the DCP 268 working paper (Attachment 1) on DUoS¹ Charging Using HH² Settlement Data, Mapping and Issues. The working paper acts as a strawman to explain the background to this change and how the mapping of tariffs is proposed to work whilst highlighting any issues for discussion by the Working Group.

¹ DUoS – Distribution Use of System

² HH – Half Hourly

- 2.2 The LV³ domestic tariffs introduced by DCP 179⁴ will be utilised for mapping the Non-Half Hourly (NHH) domestic tariffs. Unmetered supplies will be mapped to the LV Unmetered Supplies (UMS) tariffs.
- 2.3 Members considered which tariff medium non-domestic tariffs should be mapped to. The working paper proposes for those tariffs to be mapped to the relevant HH tariff with a default capacity value. It was noted that medium non-domestic tariffs will see a significant step change for this tariff type and it would cause an increase in their tariffs. Members considered that the majority of customers will no longer be on these tariffs by April 2018 when this change is proposed to be implemented. Furthermore a Change Proposal is expected to remove these tariffs types from the CDCM.
- 2.4 Members considered a solution for offpeak tariffs could be to map offpeak tariffs using an SSC⁵ that has no fixed charge against it and then map it against a different timeband that maps to a different SSC which does have a fixed charge applied to it. The Working Group agreed to ask whether Parties agreed with the approach taken to offpeak tariffs in the consultation.
- 2.5 Members considered that under DCP 179 each DNO confirmed with Elexon the red, amber and green timebands that would be used. DNO attendees agreed to confirm the timebands for this change.
- 2.6 The Working Group agreed to ask consultation questions on the following topics:
- Parties preference for Elexon to provide pseudo MPANS or for Parties to undertake the relevant work on their billing systems;
 - Mapping of the tariffs; and
 - Offpeak tariff mapping.
- 2.7 CO agreed to provide a first draft of the legal text to the Working Group to review.

ACTION 02/01: ELECTRALINK

3 NEXT STEPS

- 3.1 The DCP 268 Working Group agreed the next steps as follows:
- To update the DCP 268 consultation based on discussions on the DCP 268 working paper and circulate to the chair on the 27 April 2016;

ACTION 02/02: ELECTRALINK

- For the chair to review the DCP 268 consultation with other experts by Wednesday, 04 April 2016 and circulate to the Working Group for their review: and

ACTION 02/03: ALL

- The consultation to be circulated to industry parties for a period of two weeks with a note to advise them to request an extension to the response time provided if they require it.

³ LV – Low Voltage

⁴ DCP 179 'Amending the CDCM tariff structure'

⁵ SSC – Standard Settlement Configuration

- For the next Working Group meeting to be scheduled following the closure of the DCP 268 consultation to consider the responses.

4 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- 4.1 There were no items of any other business.

5 NEXT MEETING

- 5.1 The next meeting will be scheduled following the closure of the DCP 268 consultation to consider the responses.

6 ATTACHMENTS

- Attachment 1 – DCP268 (DUoS Charging Using HH Settlement Data) Mapping and Issues

APPENDIX A: SUMMARY OF ACTIONS**NEW AND OPEN ACTIONS**

Action Ref.	Action	Owner	Update
02/01	Provide a first draft of the legal text for review by the Working Group	Chris Ong	
02/02	Update the consultation based on discussions on the DCP 268 working paper	ElectraLink	
02/03	Review the DCP 268 consultation with other experts by Wednesday 04 May 2016 and circulate it to the Working Group for review.	All	

CLOSED ACTIONS

Action Ref.	Action	Owner	Update
01/01	Draft a working paper to capture the main questions that needed to be addressed by this change	LW, CO, TC & KS	Completed.
01/02	Draft a skeleton consultation using the Power Data Associates DCMF MIG presentation on DUoS Charging using Half Hourly Settlement Data as a basis and add wording on the mapping of charges;	ElectraLink & LW	Completed