

DCP085 – Urgent Change Proposals

Definitions

Urgent Change Proposal	has the meaning given to that term in Clause 10.712.
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Criteria for Urgent Change Proposals

10.7 ~~A Change Proposal specified as urgent in accordance with Clause 10.4.8 shall be an Urgent Change Proposal.~~ The criteria for assessing whether a Change Proposal should properly be treated as ~~an Urgent Change Proposal~~ are that:

- 10.7.1 there is a very real likelihood of significant adverse commercial impact upon the Parties (or a class of Party) and/or electricity consumers if the Change Proposal is not dealt with urgently;
- 10.7.2 the safety and security of the Distribution Network is likely to be adversely affected if the Change Proposal is not dealt with urgently; or
- 10.7.3 the Change Proposal is linked to an imminent date-related event.

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10.12 The Panel shall consider the Change Proposal and the accompanying documents referred to in Clause 10.11.2:

- 10.12.1 in respect of ~~Urgent~~ Change Proposals specified as urgent in accordance with Clause 10.4.8, within five Working Days of the proposal's submission;
- 10.12.2 in respect of all other Change Proposals, within 25 Working Days of the proposal's submission,

and, where necessary, the Panel Secretary shall convene a Panel meeting for such purpose. The Panel shall consider whether to accept or refuse the Change Proposal, and whether or not the Change Proposal should, in light of the criteria set out in Clause 10.7, properly be treated as urgent. Only Change Proposals that the Panel considers should be treated as urgent shall be treated as **Urgent Change Proposals**.