

DCUSA CHANGE DECLARATION

DCP 106 - Visibility to DCUSA Parties Regarding Applications to the Authority by DNOs to Change Allowed Revenue

VOTING DATE: 10 August 2012

DCP 106	WEIGHTED VOTING		
	DNO	IDNO	SUPPLIER
CHANGE SOLUTION	Reject	Reject	Accept
IMPLEMENTATION DATE	Reject	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			
Eastern Power Networks plc, London Power Networks plc, South Eastern Power Networks plc	REJECT	REJECT	N/A
Electricity North West Limited	REJECT	REJECT	N/A
Northern Powergrid	REJECT	REJECT	In rejecting this change proposal we would also like to draw the Authority's attention to the detailed response we provided to the working group's consultation. We have a range of concerns about this change proposal.
SP Distribution/SP Manweb	REJECT	REJECT	We prefer Ofgem to publish such application in a standardised format and we would expect Ofgem to take the lead in providing notification, assuming they believe it necessary to do so.
Southern Electric Power Distribution plc and Scottish Hydro Electric Power Distribution plc	REJECT	REJECT	Whilst we support the principle of providing transparency and advanced information to Suppliers and other DCUSA parties around DUoS charges, we do not consider the approach proposed in this DCP is proportionate. Since there are already existing License conditions and practices that are in place to address these issues, we do not feel this additional step is

			necessary given the existing Ofgem consultation process for changes to revenue.
Western Power	REJECT	REJECT	We reject DCP106 on the grounds that Ofgem already consult on changes to allowed revenue and DNOs provide information in the quarterly DCP066A return.
IDNO PARTIES			
GTC	REJECT	REJECT	N/A
SUPPLIER PARTIES			
EDF Energy	ACCEPT	ACCEPT	N/A
GDF SUEZ Marketing Limited	ACCEPT	ACCEPT	N/A
Npower	ACCEPT	ACCEPT	We do not see any reason why the DNOs should <u>not</u> provide this information to suppliers. The working group has addressed the issue of confidentiality by allowing the DNO to keep the reason for the request confidential.
Scottish Power Energy Retail Ltd	ACCEPT	ACCEPT	As the change report states, this change will allow suppliers to receive revised data inputs for forecasting out with the quarterly reporting schedule. This should help to increase the accuracy of longer

			term forecasting.
SSE Energy Supply Ltd	ACCEPT	ACCEPT	N/A