

Meeting Session	DCUSA Panel (Open Session)
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Action	For Decision

Accession Applications

This paper puts forward any new Accession Applications for consideration by the Panel in accordance with Clause 4 of the DCUSA.

1. ACCESSION PROCESS

- 1.1 In accordance with Clause 4 of the DCUSA, the Panel is asked to consider the Accession Applications submitted. The Panel may only reject an application if it considers that an Applicant has no reasonable prospect of satisfying the relevant conditions precedent set out in Clause 16 and/or 37 of the DCUSA.
- 1.2 If an application is accepted, the Panel is required to:
 - notify each Party and the Authority of the Applicant identity, the information that will become its Party Details, and to prepare an Accession Agreement for the Applicant; and
 - make a recommendation to the Board that, upon receipt of the Accession Agreement duly executed by the Applicant, it executes the Accession Agreement on behalf of all Parties.

2. ACCESSION APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

- 2.1 The Secretariat notes that between the previous Panel meeting and the drafting of this paper, one new Accession Application has been received.

Applicant/s	Party Category	Date of Licence/ REC Accreditation	MPID	Contract Manager
AC ELECTRICS (CLELAND) LTD	Safe Isolation Provider (SIP)	07 December 2023	ACCL	Kevin Smith

- 2.2 It should be noted that the MPID of ACCL is not live in Market Domain Data (MDD) but the Secretariat has seen confirmation that the Applicant, AC ELECTRICS (CLELAND) LTD, has reserved this MPID via the MDD Coordinator. The Panel should note that this is in line with the expectations set out in relevant REC information page on the REC Portal which describes the process to be followed one of which is to 'Set up a Market Participant Identifier (MPID)' which notes that an entity without an MPID would need to "request/reserve/agree a unique MPID" and that the next step is for the entity to 'Demonstrate the ability to successfully send and receive Market Messages through the Data Transfer Network (DTN)'.

3. RECOMENDATIONS

- 3.1 For each Accession Application, the DCUSA Panel is invited to:

- **CONSIDER** the Accession Application;
- **INSTRUCT** the Panel Secretary to notify each Party and the Authority of the Applicant's identity and the information which will form the Party details;
- **INSTRUCT** the Panel Secretary to prepare an Accession Agreement for the Applicant; and
- **RECOMMEND** that the Board executes the Accession Agreement on behalf of all Parties.

4. ATTACHMENTS

- Attachment 1 – AC ELECTRICS (CLELAND) LTD

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