

# DCUSA MHHS Stakeholder Group - Meeting 16

04 April 2025 at 13:00

Location/ Web-Conference/Teleconference

Attendee	Company
Peter Waymont (PW)	UKPN
Kara Burke (KB)	NPg
Chris Ong (CO)	UKPN
Donna Jamieson (DJ)	IDCSL
Monique Pereira (MP)	Indigo Networks
Amanda Dainty (AD)	Total Energies
Alexander Pentecost (AP)	Eclipse Power
Robert Johnston (RJ)	YGP
Erik Baguzis (EB)	Indigo Networks
Alex Lam (AL)	NESO
Lili Zou (LZ)	SSE
Paul Saker (PS)	EDF
Dawn Isele (DL)	SEMBCORP
Cathy Mulliss (CM)	Eon Next
Christopher Butcher (CB)	Smartest Energy
George Doucy (GD)	Octo Energy
Charlotte Gilbert (CG)	BU-UK
Tony Collings (TC)	Ecotricity
Karl Maryon (KM)	Drax

<b>Dia Pareek (DP)</b>	Drax
<b>Jonathan Coe (JC)</b>	OVO Energy
<b>Mark Treanor (MT)</b>	
<b>Morven Hunter (MH)</b>	Last Mile Uk
<b>Simon Moore (SM)</b>	Bryt Energy
<b>Samantha Wilcock (SW)</b>	Shell Energy
<b>Ralph Azagoh-Kouadio (RAK)</b>	FS Energy
<b>David Todd (DT)</b>	Total Energies
<b>Nikta Keyhan</b>	Regent Gas
Code administrator	
<b>Andy Green [AG]</b>	ElectraLink
<b>John Lawton (JL)</b>	ElectraLink
<b>Apologies</b>	
<b>Lee Stone</b>	Eon

## 1. Administration

- 1.1 The Chair asked members if they were comfortable for this Stakeholder Group call to be recorded. No members objected to this request. The purpose of this recording is purely to aid the Technical Secretariat in producing an accurate report of the meeting. The recording will be deleted after the Minutes have been signed off.
- 1.2 The Stakeholder Group reviewed the “Competition Law Guidance” and “Terms of Reference”. All Stakeholder Group members agreed to be bound by the Competition Law Guidance for the duration of the meeting and agreed to the Terms of Reference
- 1.3 The actions from this Stakeholder Group have been captured in an action log. The action log can be found at [appendix 1](#).

## 2. Purpose of the Meeting / Timeline for Delivery

- 2.1 The Chair explained that the purpose of this meeting is to review the MHHS programs progress to date and review DCUSA changes that need to be made between M6 (The milestone covering changes to DCUSA introduced by DCP445) and M10 (system go live) and to agree next steps.
- 2.2 It was also noted by the Chair that the Stakeholder Group meetings would start to occur weekly again for the next couple of months and that the day the weekly meeting should be held on would also be discussed at the end of the meeting.

2.3 The pack that the Stakeholder Group reviewed can be found in **Attachment 1 DCUSA MHHS SG 16.**

### 3. Review MHHS DCUSA development plan timeline.

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3.1 JL began to take the Stakeholder Group through a new Change Proposal (CP) that the MHHS program were looking to raise. This CP can be found within the Attachment 1 folder.

3.2 JL Explained that [DCP 445](#) was approved by the Authority and the implementation date for this change is M8, which is currently scheduled for September 2025.

3.3 JL went on to state that as this CP was raised nearly 12 months ago, the program had been looking at some of the issues that needed to be resolved for the implementation before M8 in order to ensure the MHHS process works effectively.

3.4 JL explained that some of the areas that needed to be remedied included design issues that needed to be resolved and tested and an issue that was raised around a data message variant in schedule 16 which was incorrectly registered within this scheduled.

3.5 It was also explained that DCP 445 didn't cover the ownership of the data flows and amendments of data flows within EMDS (Energy Market Data Specification) and as the DCUSA will be owning some data flows, it thus would be responsible for any changes to these data flows.

3.6 Finally, it was noted that [DCP 433](#) (Limitation of Backdating of Rebates Under Schedule 32) had been approved by the Authority, and this had been approved after DCP 445 formally went into the change process so there would be some consequential impacts to the legal text within Schedule 32.

### 4. Control Log

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4.1 The Stakeholder Group then moved on to review the Control Log. This can be found within the Attachment 1 folder and is called M8 Control Log v1.4.

4.2 JL noted that there are 266 items on this list across all the codes however, only 19 of these items apply to the DCUSA.

4.3 JL went on to state that these items had been reviewed and that an updated list of these items would be available by the end of March.

4.4 JL also went on to say that all the DCUSA items had been identified and reviewed and are included within the CP that the Stakeholder Group had discussed earlier.

4.5 It was noted that this is the current view and that this may change over the passage of time if any new items are identified.

4.6 It was raised that not all people in the meeting had received the meeting pack prior to the meeting so the Chair agreed to resend the meeting pack again.

4.7 It was also agreed that the Stakeholder Group would review the pack prior to the next meeting so the Stakeholder Group could sign off the changes that were required at this time.

4.8 JL then walked through the legal text changes. This can be found within the Attachment 1 zip folder.

4.9 It was explained that there are currently only two minor changes in this document however JL noted he will be reviewing the legal text on after 01 April 2025 to ensure that any changes within the April DCUSA release are reflected in the MHHS legal text.

- 4.10 It was explained that the legal text includes the DCP 445 and DCP 433 changes.
- 4.11 It was also raised that [DCP 439](#) had been sent back by the Authority and this DCP was seeking to amend one of the paragraphs that the MHHS legal text was also updating.
- 4.12 It was agreed that this could be dealt with in the Working Group for DCP 439 and that it all in flight and new change proposals will need to consider its impact to MHHS moving forward.

## 5. Timeline review

- 5.1 The Stakeholder Group moved on to review the timeline document which can be found within the Attachment 1 folder.
- 5.2 It was explained that this document was a draft and that it is being submitted to the DCUSA panel in April and that it had not been shared with the program yet.
- 5.3 It was noted that the intention is to submit all the changes at the CDWG meeting on 13 May 2025 and then any further amendments will be submitted on 10 June 2025.
- 5.4 Below is a table showing the initial dates for each part of the process and an alternative timeline.

Activity	Date	Alternative date
CDWG	13 May	10 June
CCAG	28 May	25 June
Ofgem direction	04 June	03 July
Submit Change Report	04 June	03 July
Panel Meeting	18 June	11 July (ex Com)
Panel meeting (Change Report)	16 July	25 Jul (ex-com)
Vote	18Jul- 08Aug	29Jul-12Sep
Change declaration	12 August	14 August
Ofgem decision	05 September	05 September
M8 go live	22 September	22 September

- 5.5 It was noted if the alternative timeline is implemented, voting would be reduced to two weeks instead of the usual three weeks.

## 6. A.O.B

- 6.1 It was discussed which day to host these meeting on moving forward. It was decided to have the next meeting on 11 April 2025 at 2pm and then each Friday after that.
- 6.2 It was noted that 18 April 2025 was a bank holiday and that the Stakeholder Group would review its progress at the meeting on 11 April 2025 to see if a meeting was needed for W/C 14 April 2025

## 7. Attachments

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- Attachment 1 DCUSA\_MHHS\_SG\_16

## Appendix 1 – Actions Log

### New and Open Actions – (Open/Closed Session) or (Board)

16.1	Reissue the meeting pack for DCUSA MHHS Stakeholder Group to the distribution list again	Andy Green	Closed post meeting
16.2	The MHHS Stakeholder Group to review the change proposal prior to the meeting on 11 April 2025 in order to sign off.	All	Open

### Closed – (Open/Closed Session) or (Board)

Ref.	Action	Owner	Update
1.1	Update slide pack with correct DCUSA logo	John Lawton	Closed
1.2	Create a strawman version of the changes required for items 1, 2, 3 and 4 for the Stakeholder to begin a review	Peter Waymont	Closed
3.1	AG to send Stakeholder Group the updated legal text for schedules 8, 16, 32 and 33	Andy Green	Closed
3.2	The Stakeholder Group to review the updated legal text for schedules 8, 16,	All	Closed

	32 and 33 prior to the next Stakeholder Group meeting on 22-02-2023.		
3.1	AG to send Stakeholder Group the updated legal text for schedules 8, 16, 32 and 33	Andy Green	Closed
4.1	AG to update the legal text from DCP 415 into the draft legal text.	Andy Green	Closed
5.1	AG to speak with the MHHS programme and the REC to establish if SSCs and TPRs will be retained and if the LMA process can link into this	Andy Green	Closed
6.1	AG to request SSC/TPR data off distributors with demand-controlled areas and share with RECCo	Andy Green	Closed
7.1	AG to send the RECCo the questions posed by the Stakeholder Group	Andy Green	Closed
7.2	AG to set up Doodle Poll to agree the next meeting date once the RECCo had answer the questions posed in meeting 07	Andy Green	Closed
9.1	AG to raise a request at the next closed panel session to send final agendas only for the weekly meetings	Andy Green	Closed
7.2	AG to set up Doodle Poll to agree the next meeting date once the RECCo had answer the questions posed in meeting 07	Andy Green	Closed

12/1	Update the DCUSA consequential change legal text after the Stakeholder Groups review.	John Lawton	New Action
14/1	Send JL the updated legal text	Andy Green	New Action
14/2	Investigate if any testing for the REP-900 and REP-901 DIP flows has been agreed by the MHHS Programme	Peter Waymont	New Action