

THE NATIONAL GRID COMPANY plc
GRID CODE REVIEW PANEL
GRID CODE - OC5 REVIEW PROGRESS REPORT

1. Introduction

- 1.1. This paper reports on the progress made on the review of OC5. The first stage of the review, leading to a restructuring of OC5 without changing its meaning has been completed and approved by the Authority for implementation on 1st December 2001.

2. Review Group Meeting

- 2.1. At a meeting of the OC5 Review working group on 30th October 2001, The new areas of the Connection Conditions which are proposed to be referenced in OC5 were discussed. Members were asked to consider if the list was acceptable, and whether any additional provisions should be included.

3. Review Timetable

- 3.1. Working group members were requested to make any comments on the proposed list by 16th November. National Grid will then draft some proposed text for inclusion in OC5 and distribute this to working group members by 15th December for comment.
- 3.2. A further working group meeting will probably be held in late January 2002, following which further drafting amendments will take place.
- 3.3. The working group expects to report back to the meeting of the Grid Code Review Panel on 23rd May 2002.

4. Recommendation

- 4.1. The Grid Code Review Panel is invited to note the progress being made by the OC5 Review working group.