

CMP376

7 March 2023

Online Meeting via Teams

WELCOME





Workgroup Responsibilities

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Expectations of a Workgroup Member

Contribute to the discussion

Be respectful of each other's opinions

Language and Conduct to be consistent with the values of equality and diversity

Do not share commercially sensitive information

Be prepared - Review Papers and Reports ahead of meetings

Complete actions in a timely manner

Keep to agreed scope

Your Roles

Help refine/develop the solution(s)

Bring forward alternatives as early as possible

Vote on whether or not to proceed with requests for Alternatives

Vote on whether the solution(s) better facilitate the Code Objectives



Objectives and Timeline

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Timeline for CMP376 as at 8 February 2023

Milestone	Date	Milestone	Date
Workgroup Nominations (15 working days)	Closed	Panel sign off that Workgroup Report has met its Terms of Reference	31 March 2023
Workgroups 1 – 5	28 October 2021, 13 December 2021, 28 January 2022, 6 September 2022 and 27 September 2022	Code Administrator Consultation (20 Working Days)	4 April 2023 to 5 May 2023 (5pm)
Workgroup 6 – Agree the Milestone timings; Agree how Modification Applications impact on the Milestones set out in the Construction Agreement; Clarify the Original proposal and confirm if any possible alternatives; Review updated version of Legal Text; and Note possible questions to be raised as part of the Workgroup Consultation	21 October 2022	Draft Final Modification Report (DFMR) issued to Panel (5 working days)	18 May 2023
Workgroup 7 – Clarify solutions to be consulted upon, check in on Transmission vs Distribution differences, finalise Legal Text, finalise Workgroup consultation (including agreeing Workgroup Consultation questions), check in on progress vs Terms of Reference	17 November 2022	Panel undertake DFMR recommendation vote	26 May 2023
Workgroup Consultation (20 Working Days)	25 November 2022 to 23 December 2022 (5pm)	Final Modification Report issued to Panel to check votes recorded correctly (5 working days)	30 May 2023
Workgroups 8, 9 and 10 - Assess Workgroup Consultation Responses, further review of Original and alternatives (including legal text) and carry out Alternative Vote	9 January 2023, 26 January 2023 and 30 January 2023	Final Modification Report issued to Ofgem	7 June 2023
Workgroups 11 and 12 - Finalise solution(s) and legal text, agree that Terms of Reference have been met, Review Workgroup Report and hold Workgroup Vote	8 February 2023 and 7 March 2023 Showstopper Meeting: TBC	Ofgem decision	TBC
Workgroup report issued to Panel (5 working days)	23 March 2023	Implementation Date	10 working days after Authority Decision



**Review any showstopper comments on
Legal Text and Solutions**

All



Review any showstopper comments on Workgroup Report

All



Terms of Reference

- Have we addressed them all?

All

CMP376 Terms of Reference V2

Workgroup Term of Reference	Location in Workgroup Report
a) Consider EBR implications.	“Interactions” section
b) Consider how the ESO communicates it’s acceptance (or not) of the evidence of milestone completion provided by the User.	“Workgroup Considerations – Evidence” section
c) Consider how the ESO will monitor User compliance, verify evidence provided by Users, and when action is taken to enact any termination rights.	“Workgroup Considerations – Evidence” and “Termination” section
d) Consider interaction with other provisions in the CUSC, Construction Agreements and Connection Agreements that deal with project delays and termination of agreements (e.g. Quarterly Updates).	“Workgroup Considerations – Termination” section – this still needs to be further discussed
e) Consider how this is enacted when a User seeks to delay beyond their originally contracted milestone dates i.e. does this lead to automatic termination of any Construction Agreement or is there any scope to delay connection dates. Consider previous work on CAP150 in this regard.	“Workgroup Considerations – Termination” section
f) Consider requirement to ensure Construction Agreement Milestones (Appendix J) responsibilities are clearly defined specifically with respect to consents and land rights.	“Workgroup Considerations – Evidence” section
g) Consider any strategic or regulatory driver behind reallocation of capacity following a termination e.g. Electricity System Restoration Standard.	“Workgroup Considerations – Scope and Implementation”
h) Consider the route to align Transmission and Distribution agreements for same User connections, including consideration of whose milestones take priority for User compliance.	“Workgroup Considerations - Distribution vs Transmission consistency considerations”
i) Consider how other CUSC arrangements may need to change as a result of promoting Users up the queue following a termination of another User (e.g. User Commitment for those Users, who are allowed to advance their connection date).	“Workgroup Considerations – Termination” section
j) Clarify any enduring interaction between the CUSC legal text and the ENA Queue Management guidance document.	“Implementation Approach”



Workgroup Vote

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Can I vote? and What is the Workgroup Vote?

To participate in any votes, Workgroup members need to have attended at least 50% of meetings

Stage 2 – Workgroup Vote

- 2a) Assess the original and WACMs (if there are any) against the CUSC objectives compared to the baseline (the current CUSC)
- 2b) Vote on which of the options is best.



Any Other Business

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Next Steps

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