Headline Report – 16 March 2023

Security and Quality of Supply Standards (SQSS) Panel

The SQSS Panel Headline Report is produced after every Panel and aims to provide an overview of the key decisions made. Minutes for this meeting will be published separately. For more information, the slides can be found here.

Approval of Panel Minutes

The meeting minutes from the Panel on 09 November 2022 were approved, and these have been uploaded to our website.

New Modifications

The following new Modification Proposal was presented to the Panel:

GSR032: Implementation of the Electricity System Restoration Standard

This Modification is proposing a number of changes to the SQSS to facilitate the direction issued by BEIS in accordance with Special Condition 2.2 of National Grid's Electricity System Operator's Transmission Licence. Implementing an Electricity System Restoration Standard (ESRS) which requires 60% of electricity demand to be restored within 24 hours in all regions, and 100% of electricity demand to be restored within 5 days nationally.

The Panel agreed that GSR032 Terms of Reference need revising before approval. A meeting has been scheduled for 30 March 2023.

New Authority Decisions

Awaiting Decisions

There are no SQSS Modifications awaiting a decision from Ofgem.

In flight Modifications

The next Modification Tracker will be published on 06 April 2023.

GSR029: Review of Demand Connection Criteria to Align with EREC P2/7 timeline change pending approval post Panel.

GSR031: Introducing Competitively Appointed Transmission Owners proposal title change approved.

Workgroup Reports

There were no Workgroup Reports presented to the Panel.

Draft Final Modification Reports

There were no Draft Final Modification Reports presented to the Panel.

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Other

Frequency Risk and Control Report:

The ESO provided an update on the next iteration of the FRCR Methodology and Report and to seek approval for submission to Ofgem.

Questions or feedback?

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