

Special Grid Code Review Panel (GCRP) 12 July 2023

Special Grid Code Review Panel Minutes

Date: 12/07/2023	Location: Microsoft Teams
Start: 13:00 PM	End: 15:00 PM

Participants

Attendee	Initials	Representing
Jon Wisdom	JWi	Acting Independent Grid Code Review Panel Chair
Milly Lewis	ML	Panel Secretary Representative
Shazia Akhtar	SA	Panel Technical Secretary, Code Administrator
Alan Creighton	AC	Panel Member, Network Operator Representative
Alastair Frew	AF	Panel Member, Generator Representative
David Monkhouse	DM	Panel Member, Offshore Transmission Licensee Representative
Darshak Shah	DS	Panel Member, Generator Representative
Graeme Vincent	GV	Alternate, Network Operator Representative
Jamie Webb	JW	Panel Member, National Grid ESO
John Harrower	JH	Panel Member, Generator Representative
Nadir Hafeez	NH	Authority Representative
Robert Longden	RL	Panel Member, Supplier Representative
Ross Kirkwood	RK	Panel Member, Onshore Transmission Licensee
Sigrid Bolik	SB	Panel Member, Generator Representative

Apologies

Attendee	Initials	Representing
Gurpal Singh	GS	Authority Representative
Rashmi Radhakrishnan	RR	Panel Member, BSC Representative
Steve Cox	SC	Panel Member, Network Operator Representative
Trisha McAuley	TM	Independent Grid Code Review Panel Chair

Presenters / Observers

Attendee	Initials	
Antony Johnson	AJ	ESO, Proposer of GC0156

1. Introductions and Apologies

9624. Apologies were received from Gurpal Singh, Rashmi Radhakrishnan, Steve Cox and Trisha McAuley. No declarations of interest were noted.

2. Draft Final Modification Reports

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9625. ML explained that the objective of the Special Grid Code Review Panel meeting was to go through the remaining 21 legal text queries raised through the Code Administrator Consultation for **GC0156**, which due to time constraints Panel did not manage to cover off at the 29 June 2023 Grid Code Review Panel.

9626. The Panel reviewed each of the remaining queries on the legal text and unanimously agreed that typographical changes were required to IDs: 15, 22, 25, 33, 40, 41, 56, 57, 60, 61 and 74. The Panel also unanimously agreed that typographical changes were required to IDs: 35, 37, 38, 58 and requested that ML and AJ circulate the finalised wording with the GC0156 Final Modification Report for Panel verification.

9627. The Panel unanimously agreed that no changes were required to IDs: 31, 39, 52, 64 and 78 and by majority that no change was required to ID: 27.

9628. The Panel unanimously agreed that all the changes requested were typographical, and therefore instructed the Code Administrator to make the amendments under Governance Rule.22.4(i). For further information on the legal text queries raised and the changes that were agreed, please refer to Annex 23 Summary of legal text queries raised through the Code Administrator Consultation.

9629. The Panel agreed there were no Electricity Balancing Regulation (EBR) impacts and held their recommendation vote. The Panel agreed by majority that the Original and WAGCM1 better facilitated the Grid Code Objectives than the baseline. The Panel also recommended by majority that WAGCM1 (8 out of 10 votes) was the best option.

Post Panel Note: *The GC0156 Final Modification Report and legal text (incorporating all the typographical amendments) was circulated to Panel on 14 July 2023 to check. Further discussions were held on IDs 35, 37, 38 and 58 at the Special Grid Code Review Panel meeting on 14 July 2023. Please refer to the 14 July 2023 Panel meeting minutes for further information on this.*

3. Any Other Business (AOB)

9630. AJ thanked the Panel and the Code Administrator for all their help and contribution on getting GC0156 finished.

4. Close

9631. The Chair brought the meeting to a close.

The next Special Grid Code Review Panel meeting focussed on GC0161 will be held on 14 July 2023 via Microsoft Team.

The Special Grid Code Review Panel Papers were circulated on the 11 July 2023 and can be found [here](#).