

Headline Report – 13 December 2023

System Operator Transmission Owner Code (STC) Panel

The STC 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.

Approval of Panel Minutes

The meeting minutes from the Panel on 29 November 2023 were approved and these have been uploaded to our [website](#).

New Modifications

There was one new Modification Proposal to presented to the Panel.

PM0134 - Introducing Connections process to facilitate Competitively Appointed Transmission Owners

This modification aims to introduce the concept of Competitively Appointed Transmission Owners (CATOs) to the STCPs to enable Onshore Network Competition for the design, build and ownership of Onshore Transmission assets.

PM0134 documents can be found [here](#).

New / Pending Authority Decisions

Ofgem provided an update on Modifications that are currently awaiting their decision since the last STC Panel.

Awaiting Decisions

Modification	What this seeks to achieve	Expected Decision Date
CM080 Transmission Impact Assessment process	Process for aggregated assessment of Distributed Generators that impact (or may impact) on the National Electricity Transmission System.	Expected decision date of this and related CUSC Modification (CMP298) was originally due 20 October 2023, Panel members were advised by the Ofgem Representative this has been moved and an indication will be provided by Ofgem by 15 December 2023.
CM089/CM091 Emergency and Restoration Code Phase II	Clarify the requirements on STC parties in order to implement the requirements of the EU Emergency and Restoration Code.	Relates to GC0156/GC0148, expected decision date of 30 January 2024.

Ofgem publish a table that provides the expected decision date, or date they intend to publish an impact assessment or consultation, for code modifications/proposals that are with them for decision. This was last updated on 08 December 2023 and is published [here](#).

In flight Modifications

The next Modification Tracker will be published on 8 January 2024.

Workgroup Reports

There were two Workgroup Reports presented to Panel this month.

CM086 – Introducing Competitively Appointed Transmission Owners & Transmission Service Providers

This modification aims to introduce the concept of Competitively Appointed Transmission Owners (CATOs) to the STC to enable Onshore Network Competition for the design, build and ownership of Onshore Transmission assets. To review CM086 please follow this [link](#).

The Panel unanimously recommended that **CM086** has met all the Terms of Reference and should proceed to Code Administrator Consultation in line with the agreed timeline.

CM087 – Introducing Connections Process to facilitate Competitively Appointed Transmission Owners

This modification is concerned with issues around TO-CATO Connections process to facilitate the introduction of Competitively Appointed Transmission Owners (CATOs) to the STC. This is to enable Onshore Network Competition for the design, build and ownership of Onshore Transmission assets. To review **CM087** please follow this [link](#).

The Panel unanimously recommended that **CM087** has met all the Terms of Reference and should proceed to Code Administrator Consultation in line with the agreed timeline.

Draft Final Modification Reports

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

Questions or feedback?

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