

Non Urgent Modification Workgroup Meeting – August CUSC Panel Update

Following the April 2024 CUSC Panel, Panel members agreed that based on the volume of ESO and industry resource being utilised by the Urgent CUSC Modifications Workgroup meetings that all other modification Workgroup meetings should take a hiatus. As agreed, on a rolling monthly basis, the CUSC Panel will discuss the following ahead of a modification exiting the Workgroup meeting hiatus; whether resource is available, the prioritisation of the modification, and availability of Workgroup meeting materials.

At the August 2024 CUSC Panel it was agreed that the Workgroup meeting hiatus should continue and as such no Workgroup meetings will be arranged until further notice; the ESO have committed to do the following:

Mod Number	Title	% of Workgroup Members* on the Urgent CUSC Modifications (* with currently 50%+ attendance)	Committed Activity
CMP426	TNUoS charges for transmission circuits identified for the HND as onshore transmission	25% (2 of 8 Workgroup Members)	The ESO are progressing the analysis requested by the Workgroup and are looking to host a zoning and offshore session with industry in September 2024.
CMP402	Introduction of Anticipatory Investment (AI) principles within the User Commitment Arrangements	25% (2 of 8 Workgroup Members)	The new proposed solution has been shared with the Workgroup on 13 June 2024 for them to feedback. Currently there have been no responses.
CMP419	Generation Zoning Methodology Review	30% (4 of 13 Workgroup Members)	The ESO is looking to host a zoning and offshore session with industry in September 2024.
CMP417	Extending principles of CUSC Section 15 to all Users	44% (4 of 9 Workgroup Members)	The Proposer and Connections SME are continuing to complete work alongside the subgroup to investigate intermediary solutions.
CMP423	Generation Weighted Reference Node	15% (2 of 13 Workgroup Members)	The ESO will continue with the required further analysis, develop the legal text and share the transport model with the Workgroup members that have signed the software license agreement. Monthly Proposer check ins are in place to ensure progress.
CMP288	Explicit charging arrangements for customer delays and backfeeds	33% (3 of 9 Workgroup Members)	The Workgroup Consultation Document will be finalised and circulated for Workgroup approval ahead of being published to industry
CMP344	Clarification of Transmission Licensee revenue recovery and the treatment of revenue adjustments in the Charging Methodology	50% (2 of 4 Workgroup Members)	Ahead of the next Workgroup meeting there is potentially the need for Panel to approve limited workgroup membership. The Workgroup is awaiting external analysis ahead of the next Workgroup meeting. The ESO will continue to work on addressing the Send Back deficiencies in preparation for the next Workgroup meeting.
CMP328	Connections Triggering Distribution Impact Assessment	27% (3 of 11 Workgroup Members)	Following discussion with the Authority, the Connections Team have been re-engaged on the appropriate next steps to address the Send Back deficiencies in preparation ahead of future Workgroup meetings being scheduled.
CMP432	Improve “Locational Onshore Security Factor” for TNUoS Wider Tariffs	29% (2 of 7 Workgroup Members)	Following feedback from the May TNUoS Task Force meeting the Proposer will reach out to the ESO Network Team for clarification on how future network reinforcements are designed.

If you have any queries around specific modifications please contact cusc.team@nationalgrideso.com