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MEETING NAME Imbalance Settlement Group

Meeting number 208

Date of meeting 21 August 2018

Purpose of paper Information

Classification Public

Synopsis This report sets out the headlines and key decisions of the most recent ISG

meeting.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE PANEL

1. CP1505 'Allowing off-site Commissioning of Current Transformers preinstalled in cut outs or switchgear at manufacture for use in Low Voltage installations' – ISG208/03

The Imbalance Settlement Group (ISG) recommended by majority (six to one) that the Panel, at its meeting on 13 September 2018:

a) **REJECTS** CP1505 'Allowing off-site Commissioning of Current Transformers preinstalled in cut outs or switchgear at manufacture for use in Low Voltage installations'

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2. Non-standard BMU Roosecote Battery – ISG208/01

Centrica applied for a non-standard BM Unit for its energy storage scheme at Roosecote. The ISG were invited to approve the application.

The ISG:

b) **APPROVED** the non-standard BM Unit application.

Non-standard BMU Hornsea One WF – ISG208/02

Hornsea 1 Limited (DONG013) applied for three non-standard BM Units for the assets associated with its Hornsea One wind farm.

The ISG:

- a) **APPROVED** the three non-standard BMU applications.
- 4. CP1505 'Allowing off-site Commissioning of Current Transformers preinstalled in cut outs or switchgear at manufacture for use in Low Voltage installations' ISG208/03

On 19 June 2018, the ISG deferred its decision on CP1505 pending further information. The ISG reconsidered the Assessment Report along with the new information included.

The ISG:

 AGREED the amendments to the proposed redlining for CoP4 for CP1505 made following the CP Consultation; and



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b) **RECOMMENDED** by majority that the BSC Panel rejects the proposed changes to CoP4 for CP1505.

5. Metering Dispensation D/488 – ISG208/04

SSE applied for a lifetime Metering Dispensation (D/488) against Code of Practice 2 for the location of the Metering Equipment associated with the Generating Units for Grudie Bridge and Achanalt Hydro Power Stations. SSE's application also sought to use the existing non-compliant class 0.2 current transformers (CTs).

The ISG:

a) **APPROVED** the Metering Dispensation application D/488 on a lifetime basis.

6. LLF methodology audit report – ISG208/05

The Line Loss Factor (LLF) Methodology Statements submitted by Licensed Distribution System Owners (LDSOs), in accordance with BSCP128 were reviewed. All methodologies were changed to accommodate 'Principle 17'. The Imbalance Settlement Group (ISG) were invited to approve the recommendations and subject to approval by the Supplier Volume Allocation Group (SVG), ELEXON will publish the LLF methodologies submitted by the LDSOs on the ELEXON Portal.

The ISG:

- a) **NOTED** the proposed changes to all LDSO methodology statements.
- b) **APPROVED** the LDSO methodologies.
- c) **NOTED** the Embedded LDSOs' intention to Mirror the Host LDSOs' LLFs
- d) **NOTED** that ELEXON will seek the SVG's approval of LLF methodologies at its 4 September 2018 meeting.

OPEN SESSION - INFORMATION ITEMS

7. CP1508 'Updating the references to the British and International Standards within the relevant Codes of Practice and Balancing and Settlement Procedure 601' – ISG208/07

ELEXON presented new Change Proposal (CP) CP1508 and outlined the proposed progression timetable for this change.

The ISG:

- a) **NOTED** that CP1508 had been raised
- b) **NOTED** the proposed progression timetable for CP1508
- c) NOTED that CP1508 will be presented to the SVG on 4 September 2018
- d) **PROVIDED** comments and/or additional questions for inclusion in the CP Consultation

OPEN SESSION – TABLED ITEMS

8. System Price Analysis Report (SPAR) – ISG208/02

8.1 The SPAR provides an overview on price calculations and analysis of System Prices and the Balancing Mechanism for July 2018.



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The ISG:

e) **NOTED** the report.

9. BSC Operations Headline Report – 281/02

The BSC Operations Headline Report provides an overview of the operations of the BSC for July 2018.

The ISG:

a) **NOTED** the report.

10. Change Report – 281/03

This report presents a comprehensive monthly overview of the changes in the BSC Change Process.

The ISG:

a) **NOTED** the report.

OPEN SESSION – VERBAL UPDATES

11. EL02870: Incorrect calculation of the Market Index Data by data providers

- 11.1 ELEXON gave a verbal update on the incorrect calculation of Market Index Data by data providers, its materiality and its resolution. ELEXON also explained that, in light of the issue with MID, the delay in presenting the annual MIDS rReview at the ISG's August 2018 meeting was to ensure data quality and the accuracy of its findings and recommendations.
- 11.2 The ISG:
 - a) **NOTED** the update.

