

# Approval of P375 Configurable Item changes for the June 2022 BSC Release

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Summary **This paper invites the ISG to approve the changes to BSC Configurable Items amended for P375 as part of the June 2022 BSC Release**

## 1. Changes to BSC Configurable Items required for the June 2022 BSC Release

- 1.1 This paper invites the Imbalance Settlement Group (ISG) to approve changes to BSC Configurable Items for [P375 'Settlement of Secondary BM Units using metering behind the site Boundary Point'](#), which Ofgem approved on 24 February 2021 for implementation on 30 June 2022 as part of the June 2022 Standard BSC Release.
- 1.2 P375 will allow the use of Metering Equipment behind the defined Boundary Point ('behind the Meter') for Balancing Services, for Settlement purposes rather than the Boundary Point Meter. This will allow balancing-related services on-site to be separated from imbalance-related activities, more accurately reflecting the balancing-energy volumes provided by the Balancing Service Provider (BSP). A full description of the P375 solution can be found in the P375 Final Modification Report and P375 Business Requirements, available on the [P375 webpage](#).
- 1.3 The majority of BSC Configurable Items requiring amendment for P375 were issued for industry review between 5 July and 2 August 2021 and were approved by the BSC Panel at its meeting on 9 September 2021 ([318/06](#)).
- 1.4 The New Electricity Trading Arrangements (NETA) Interface Definition and Design (IDD) Part 1 Document and spreadsheet were not ready for inclusion in the industry review of the BSC Configurable Items and so are being progressed separately.

## 2. Industry Review

- 2.1 We published the NETA IDD Part 1 document and spreadsheet for industry review between 8 September 2021 and 22 September 2021. Please note that the version circulated also included the changes for [P399 'Making the identity of Balancing Service providers visible in the Balancing Services Adjustment Data'](#). These changes are being presented for approval by the ISG separately in its October 2021 meeting and, if approved, will be implemented in the November 2021 BSC Release and so will be present once P375 is implemented in June 2022.
- 2.2 We received no responses to the industry review.
- 2.3 Following the review, as part of our ongoing quality assurance work, we identified two issues that have been rectified:
  - 2.3.1 A minor error was found in the IDD Part 1 spreadsheet in the 'Valid Sets' tab, which has been corrected as below

MSID Pair Indicator	D	T	MSID Pair is not an Associated MSID Pair to an AMSID Pair in a Secondary BM Unit
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MSID Pair Indicator	D	A	MSID Pair is an Associated MSID Pair to an AMSID Pair that will be used for the purposes of Asset Metering in a Secondary BM Unit
MSID Pair Indicator	D	<del>M</del> D	MSID Pair is an Associated MSID Pair to an AMSID Pair that will be used for the purposes for Asset Differencing.

2.3.2 Our service provider identified that the original proposed structure of the P0311, where the 'Metering System ID' and 'Settlement Date' were mandatory data items, would prevent the P0311 being used in certain scenarios. The revised structure of the P0311, has the 'Metering System ID' and 'Settlement Date' as optional data items, and an additional header has been included to ensure that the recipient of the P0311 can identify which data flow the P0311 relates to. This change will impact Half Hourly Data Aggregators (HHDA's) and Half Hourly Data Collectors (HHDCs), as the P0311 will be issued in response to invalid D0385s from HHDA's and invalid Dxxxxs<sup>1</sup> from HHDCs.

### 3. BSC Configurable Items for approval

3.1 The draft redlining can be found in Attachment A of this paper.

3.2 Table 1 below lists the documents amended by P375 requiring approval as part of this paper:

Impacted BSC CIs
NETA Interface Definition and Design Document Part 1 – Interfaces with BSC Parties and their Agents
NETA Interface Definition and Design Document Part 1 - spreadsheet

### 4. Recommendations

4.1 We invite the ISG to:

- a) **APPROVE** the amendments to the documents listed in Table 1, as detailed in Attachment A, to be implemented on 30 June 2022 as part of the June 2022 standard BSC Release.

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### Attachments

Attachment A – P375 Configurable Items

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<sup>1</sup> 'Dxxxx' (Asset Metering System Half Hourly Metered Data) is a new Market Message being introduced for Half Hourly Data Collectors to send Asset Metering System half Hourly Data to the Supplier Volume Allocation Agent (SVAA). The formal Message Number will be assigned under Retail Energy Code (REC) governance.