

Headline report

Meeting name **Trading Dispute Committee**

Purpose of paper **For Information**

Meeting number **279**

Classification **Public**

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Synopsis This report sets out the headlines and key decisions of the most recent TDC meeting.

DECISION PAPERS

1. Trading Dispute DA1148 – TDC279/01

1.1 An error has occurred in Settlement due to a high Estimated Annual Consumption (EAC) being applied to a Meter.

The TDC:

- a) **AGREED** the end date of 1 June 2020;
- b) **AGREED** that the Trading Dispute was raised in accordance with the Dispute Deadline;
- c) **DETERMINED** to exercise discretion under Section W of the Code and grant exceptional circumstances;
- d) **AGREED** that the materiality exceeds £3,000;
- e) **AGREED** that a Settlement Error has occurred;
- f) **UPHELD** the Trading Dispute; and
- g) **AGREED** means of rectification through the Post-Final Settlement Run.

2. Trading Dispute DA1145 – TDC279/02

2.1 A Supplier raised Trading Dispute DA1145 following the identification of HH Data being recorded by a factor of x10 higher than actual consumption. The investigation concluded that the Pulse, Meter Register, and Outstation Multipliers had all been set incorrectly since the Supply Start Date.

The TDC:

- a) **AGREED** the end date of 3 May 2020;
- b) **AGREED** that the Trading Dispute was raised in accordance with the Dispute Deadline;
- c) **DETERMINED** to exercise discretion under Section W of the Code and grant exceptional circumstances;
- d) **AGREED** that the materiality exceeds £3,000;
- e) **AGREED** that a Settlement Error has occurred;

- f) **UPHELD** the Trading Dispute; and
- g) **AGREED** means of rectification through the Post-Final Settlement Run.

3. Trading Dispute DA1138 - – TDC279/04

- 3.1 Settlement volumes for two MPANs at the National Exhibition Centre (NEC) were double-counted through the Boundary Point Metering System, leading to a Settlement Error.

The TDC:

- a) **AGREED** the end date of 11 May 2020;
- b) **AGREED** that the Trading Dispute was raised in accordance with the Dispute Deadline;
- c) **DETERMINED** to exercise discretion under Section W of the Code and grant exceptional circumstances;
- d) **AGREED** that the materiality exceeds £3,000;
- e) **AGREED** that a Settlement Error has occurred;
- f) **UPHELD** the Trading Dispute; and
- g) **AGREED** means of rectification through the Post-Final Settlement Run.

INFORMATION PAPERS

4. Overview of Open Disputes - TDC279/05

- 4.1 This paper provides an overview of the Trading Disputes currently open and those awaiting rectification. Of the Trading Disputes currently open, this paper provides details of those regarded as long outstanding or presenting a significant impact on Settlement.

The TDC:

- a) **NOTED** the Trading Disputes currently awaiting rectification and open Trading Disputes; and
- b) **NOTED** the long outstanding Trading Disputes.

5. EAC AA Market and GSP Group Level SEAE - TDC279/06

- 5.1 This paper provides information to the Trading Dispute Committee (TDC) to address the issue of Erroneous Large Estimated Annual Consumptions (EACs)/Annualised Advances (AAs) in Settlement.

The TDC:

- a) **NOTED** that the current levels of error within the SEAE Graphs and further analysis do not meet the Entry criteria for a Trading Dispute; and
- b) **NOTED** the content of the paper and attachments.