
Headline Report

BSC Panel

Meeting number	348	Venue	Ellexon Offices – Ice Blue Room/Video Conference
Date of meeting	14 March 2024	Classification	Public

This report sets out the headlines and key decisions of the most recent BSC Panel meeting. Please note that unless otherwise stated, all Panel decisions were unanimous.

Part I: Non-Modification Business (Open Session)

1. Consultation on the Implementation of Energy Code Reform (Verbal)

- 1.1 The BSC Panel:
- a) **NOTED** the update.

2. Review of BSC Specified Charges (348/14)

- 2.1 The BSC Panel:
- a) **APPROVED** the new SVA Specified Charge of £0.01318/SVA MSID per month.
 - b) **APPROVED** the new MHHS Monthly Implementation Charge of £0.06049/SVA MSID per month
 - c) **APPROVED** the new Notified Volume charge of £0.0005 MWh per month
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Part II: Modification and Change Business (Open Session)

IWA: Initial Written Assessment | **AC:** Assessment Procedure Consultation | **AR:** Assessment Report
RC: Report Phase Consultation | **DMR:** Draft Modification Report

3. Change Report and Progress of Modification Proposals (348/02)

- 3.1 The Modification Secretary (IM) presented the contents of the March Change Report.
- 3.2 The BSC Panel:
- a) **APPROVED** a 10 month extension for P459; and
 - b) **NOTED** the contents of the March 2024 Change Report.

4. P469 'Credit Default Refusal and Rejection Period Modification – IWA (348/08)

- 4.1 The BSC Panel:
- a) **AGREED** that P469 progresses to the Assessment Procedure;
 - b) **AGREED** the proposed Assessment Procedure timetable;
 - c) **AGREED** the proposed membership for the P469 Workgroup; and
 - d) **AGREED** the Workgroup's Terms of Reference as per Panel discussion.
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5. P455 'On-Site Aggregation as a method to facilitate Third Party Access' Assessment Procedure (348/09)

5.1 The BSC Panel:

- a) **AGREED** that P455:
 - i **DOES** better facilitate Applicable BSC Objective (c); and
 - ii **DOES** better facilitate Applicable BSC Objective (e);
- b) **AGREED** an initial view that P455 should not be treated as a Self-Governance Modification;
- c) **AGREED** that P455 **DOES** impact the EBGL Article 18 terms and conditions held within the BSC;
- d) **AGREED** an initial recommendation to the Authority that P455 Proposed Modification should be **approved**;
- e) **AGREED** an initial Implementation Date of:
 - i **29 June 2024** if an Authority decision is received on or before 6 June 2024; or
 - ii **5 working days after Authority decision** (though no earlier than 4 July 2024), as part of a special BSC Release if an Authority decision is received after 06 June 2024;
- f) **AGREED** the draft Legal Text for the Proposed Modification;
- g) **AGREED** the draft amendments to the Code Subsidiary Documents;
- h) **AGREED** that P455 is submitted to the Report Phase; and
- i) **NOTED** that Elexon will issue the P455 Draft Modification Report (including the draft Legal Text) for one month consultation and will present the results to the Panel at its meeting on 9 May 2023.

6. P470 'Protecting the Imbalance Price from IOLC related distortions' Initial Written Assessment(348/07)

6.1 The BSC Panel:

- a) **AGREED** that P470 progresses to the Assessment Procedure;
- b) **AGREED** the proposed Assessment Procedure timetable as amended in Panel discussion;
- c) **AGREED** the proposed membership for the P470 Workgroup; and
- d) **AGREED** the Workgroup's Terms of Reference as amended in Panel discussion.

7. CP1592 'Upgrade of NHHDA and EAC/AA systems from Oracle 12c to version 19.21' - Assessment Report (348/06)

7.1 The BSC Panel:

- a) **APPROVED** CP1592 for implementation on 2 December 2024 as part of a Special BSC Release.

8. P468 'Enabling Elexon to support the (currently in draft) Electricity Support Payments and Levy Regulations 2024' - Draft Modification Report (348/04)

8.1 The BSC Panel:

- a) **AGREED** that P468
 - i **DOES** better facilitate Applicable BSC Objective (d);
- b) **AGREED** an initial view that P468 should not be treated as a Self-Governance Modification;
- c) **AGREED** that P468 **DOES NOT** impact the EBGL Article 18 terms and conditions held within the BSC;
- d) **AGREED** an initial recommendation to the Authority that P468 should be **approved**;
- e) **APPROVED** an initial Implementation Date of:
 - i **5 Working Days after Authority Decision**
- f) **APPROVED** the draft Legal Text; and
- g) **APPROVED** the P468 Modification Report.

9. P466 ' Section N Modernisation' - Draft Modification Report (348/05)

9.1 The BSC Panel:

- a) **AGREED** that P466 **DOES** better facilitate Applicable BSC Objective (d)
- b) **AGREED** that P466 should not be treated as a Self-Governance Modification;
- c) **AGREED** that P466 **DOES** impact the EBGL Article 18 terms and conditions held within the BSC; and
- d) **AGREED** that P466 is neutral against the EBGL objectives;
- e) **APPROVED** an initial Implementation Date for P466 of:
 - i) **7 November 2024** as part of the Standard November 2024 BSC Release if an Authority decision is received on or before **9 September 2024**.
 - ii) **14 November 2024** if an Authority decision is received after **9 September 2024** but on or before **7 November 2024**; or
 - iii) **5 Working Days** after an Authority decision if that Authority decision is received after **7 November 2024**
- f) **APPROVED** the updated draft Legal Text for P466.

10. Issue 101 'Ongoing Governance, Funding and Operation of the DIP' Issue Report (348/10)

10.1 The BSC Panel:

- a) **NOTED** the contents of the Issue 101 Issue Report.

11. Potential Modification to allow more flexibility in procurement of BSC Agents

11.1 The BSC Panel:

- a) **NOTED** the update

Part III: Non-Modification Business (Open Session)

12. Elexon Report Minutes of previous meetings and Actions arising

12.1 The BSC Panel approved the draft minutes for BSC Panel meeting 347 and reviewed the Actions arising.

13. Chair Report (Open)

13.1 The BSC Panel:

- a) **NOTED** the update.

14. Elexon Report – (348/01)

14.1 The Elexon CEO noted:

14.2 The BSC Panel:

- a) **NOTED** the contents of this paper.

15. Standing and Tabled Reports

15.1 The BSC Panel noted the reports from the ISG, SVG, TDC and PAB.

16. ESO Report

16.1 The BSC Panel:

- a) **NOTED** the update.

17. Ofgem Report

17.1 The BSC Panel:

- a) **NOTED** the update.

18. Request to approve the appointment of Kim Balmer as the new Chair of the BMRS Change Board BCB (348/11)

18.1 The BSC Panel:

a) **APPROVED** the appointment of Kim Balmer as the new permanent Chair of the BCB, with immediate effect.

19. P454 Modification 'BMRS Transition date' (348/12)

19.1 The BSC Panel:

a) **AGREED** to set the BMRS Transition Date as 31 March 2024

20. Amending Baseline Methodology Document for P415 (348/13)

20.1 The BSC Panel:

a) **COMMENTED** on the option proposed by Elexon to amend the Baseline Methodology Document for P415;

b) **PROVIDED** comments or additional questions for inclusion in the consultation; and

c) **AGREED** the period of three weeks for the consultation.

21. Next meeting

21.1 The next scheduled meeting of the BSC Panel will be held on Thursday 11 April 2024.