

SVG211/01 – MDD CHANGE REQUESTS FOR VERSION 273

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Purpose of paper Decision

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Summary This paper invites the Supplier Volume Allocation Group (SVG) to approve three General Change Requests, and note nine Fast Track Change Requests, for implementation in Version 273 of Market Domain Data (MDD) with a go-live date of 19 September 2018. This includes a Fast Track Change Request, M3169 'MPID IRES for Party IRESA (Iresa Limited) to be transferred to Party Mercury (Octopus Energy Limited)'.

1. Introduction

- 1.1. Updates to Market Domain Data (MDD) are made through monthly releases. ELEXON progresses MDD changes in accordance with [BSC Procedure \(BSCP\) 509 'Changes to Market Domain Data'](#).

General Change Request process

- 1.2. BSCP509 requires that General MDD Change Requests undergo validation by ELEXON, and impact assessment by the Supplier Volume Allocation Agent (SVAA) and Market Participants, before we present them to the SVG for decision. Unmetered Supplies (UMS) Charge Codes are initially reviewed by the UMS User Group (UMSUG) in accordance with [BSCP520 'Unmetered Supplies'](#), and also go out for Market Participant impact assessment before coming to the SVG. We collate all comments received through the impact assessment and include them in this paper to assist the SVG in making a decision on each change.

Fast Track Change Request process

- 1.3. BSCP509 contains a Fast Track process for housekeeping changes and new participant registrations. These still undergo ELEXON validation and SVAA impact assessment. However, BSCP509 does not require Fast Track changes to be issued for Market Participant impact assessment or to be approved by the SVG. This means that they can be submitted later in the monthly process than General Change Requests, and that we present them to the SVG for information rather than approval.
- 1.4. New Party Agents and existing Licensed Distribution System Operators (LDSOs) registering in a GSP Group must have their Qualification approved by the Performance Assurance Board (PAB) before registering in MDD. However, they can submit their Fast Track Change Request before the PAB meeting for the next MDD version to go live after the PAB's decision. Should the PAB not approve the Qualification application, ELEXON will refuse the MDD Change Request. New Suppliers and new LDSOs do not require PAB approval of their Qualification before registering in MDD, and new Suppliers need not have obtained their Supply Licence.

2. This month's changes

- 2.1 This paper includes three General MDD changes and nine Fast Track MDD changes to be incorporated into MDD 273 with a go-live date of 19 September 2018.

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General Change Requests

2.2 The table below provides an overview of this month's General Change Requests.

CR no.	MPID	Role Code	Details of Change Request	MP IA response
M3163	PENL	R	Creation of new LLFCs, and new valid HH & NHH Combinations <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>	N
M3164	SOUT	R	Creation of new LLFCs and new valid HH Combinations <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>	N
M3165	ELEXON	-	Inclusion of Charge Codes and Switch Regimes <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>	N

N = No Market Participant comments have been made regarding the change

Y = Market Participant comments have been made regarding the change

R Distributor

Market Participant Impact Assessment comments on General Change Requests

- 2.3 During the impact assessment, a Market Participant again raised a general comment asking why Profile Class (PC) 5-8 combinations are still being created in volume, as these sites should now be settled Half Hourly (HH). The Market Participant recognised that some PC 8 combinations are required for export meters, but is not sure that any new combinations for import metering will be used.
- 2.4 The Market Participant also highlighted that some other LDSOs have no PC 4 combinations. They believe that this is restricting consumer choice for non-domestic customers who require Economy 7 heating or other configurations that are supported by PC 4.
- 2.5 The Market Participant has previously made the same comments during the impact assessment for MDD270 (see SVG paper [209/01](#)). ELEXON has reiterated to them that we have no oversight over whether the PC combinations registered by LDSOs are the correct ones for the customers connected to their networks. The only obvious way around this would be to set up every possible PC combination for every LDSO, but this would result in MDD data that may never be used. In the above scenario, ELEXON believes it is more likely that a non-domestic Economy 7 customer is assigned to an incorrect PC / combination (resulting in less accurate Settlement) rather than being restricted in their choice of switched load. A Supplier can raise an MDD Change Request to register a new PC 4 combination by liaising with the LDSO. Longer term, the intention of Market-wide HH Settlement (part of Ofgem's Significant Code Review on Electricity Settlement Reform) is to replace the current profiling arrangements, including PCs, altogether.

Fast Track Change Requests

2.6 The table below provides an overview of this month's Fast Track Change Requests.

CR no.	MPID	Role Code	Details of Change Request
M3166	ANGE	X	Registration of Additional BM Units <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>
M3167	EDGE	X	Change of Name and Address for Market Participant Role 'X' <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>

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CR no.	MPID	Role Code	Details of Change Request
M3168	FLEX	X	Registration of Additional BM Units <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>
M3169	IRES	X	Change of Name and Address for Market Participant Role 'X' - following the transfer of MPID IRES for Party IRESA (Iresa Limited) to Party Mercury (Octopus Energy Limited) <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>
M3170	MANW	R	Change of Line Loss Factor Class Descriptions <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>
M3171	MIDE	R	Change of Line Loss Factor Class Descriptions <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>
M3172	SEEE	X	Creation of new Market Participant, new Market Participant Role 'X', and new Base BM Units <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>
M3173	SMAR	X	Registration of Additional BM Units <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>
M3174	SPAL	X	Change of Name and Address for Market Participant Role 'X' <i>Effective from Date: 19/09/2018</i>

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3. Line Loss Factor validations

3.1 There are two Change Requests for MDD 273 which request the opening of new LLF Classes (LLFCs) to be effective from 19 September 2018. The relevant LDSOs have submitted their D0265 files ('Line Loss Factor Data Files') for their Mid-Year Submissions. The following table provides further details.

CR no.	LDSO	No. of new LLFCs	MS Specific LLF Class Indicator(s)
M3163	PENL	38	A
M3164	SOUT	1	C

A General LLFC for Import Active Energy C General LLFC for Export Active Energy

3.2 ELEXON has validated the D0265 files to ensure that the structure of the files and the submitted LLF values comply with the audit scope of Section 3.5 of [BSCP128 'Production, Submission, Audit and Approval of Line Loss Factors'](#). The submitted D0265 files have passed validation.

4. Recommendations

4.1 ELEXON invites the SVG to:

- APPROVE** the three General Change Requests for implementation in MDD 273 with a go-live date of 19 September 2018;
- NOTE** the nine Fast Track Change Requests for implementation in MDD 273 with a go-live date of 19 September 2018; and

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c) **APPROVE** the proposed LLFCs for two LDSOs for use in Settlement from 19 September 2018.

Appendices

Appendix 1 – Fast Track Submissions Criteria

Attachments

Attachment A – UMS Charge Codes (Generic LED)

Attachment B – UMS Charge Codes

Attachment C – UMS Switch Regimes

Attachment D – UMS Variable Power Switch Regimes (VPSRs)

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APPENDIX 1 – FAST TRACK SUBMISSIONS CRITERIA

Fast Track Change Requests
Green Deal Market Participant IDs
New Entrants (into MDD)
LLFC Description Changes
Additional BM Unit registration of existing Suppliers
Base Calendar & Scottish Day Types Annual Update
SVAA Annual Clear down
Market Participant Name Change
Market Participant Address Change
Market Participant Name and Address Change