
Headline report

Meeting name	Supplier Volume Allocation Group (SVG)	Purpose of paper	For Information
Meeting number	253	Classification	Public
Date and time	1 March 2022		

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

OPEN SESSION – INFORMATION PAPER

1. Protocol Approvals - Energy Assets, Stark Software International and TESGL – (SVG253/08)

1.1 Energy Assets Group Limited (EAHH), Stark Software International Ltd (SSIL) and TESGL Limited (TESG) have applied for Protocol Approval for various integral Outstation Meter types. SSIL has also informed us of amendments to its data collection software. We invited the SVG to note that; we have issued Certificates of Protocol Approval to EAHH and SSIL; updated the Code of Practice Compliance and Protocol Approval list with these approvals and added TEGS to the list; and issued Newscast articles covering these approvals, including TEGS's, and SSIL's data collection software amendments.

The SVG:

- a) **NOTED** we issued Energy Assets Group Limited (EAHH), a Half Hourly Data Collector, with Certificates of Protocol Approval for the EDMI Mk10 and Mk7 and the Honeywell/Elster A1700/A1700i, A1140 and AS230 integral Outstation Meter types;
- b) **NOTED** we issued Stark Software International Ltd (SSIL), a Half Hourly Data Collector, with a Certificate of Protocol Approval for the EM-Lite EMA1 integral Outstation Meter type;
- c) **NOTED** TESGL Limited (TESG), a Half Hourly Data Collector, will be using TMA Data Management Ltd (TMA) for its data collection, using approved protocols within TMA's MDR (v3.4) data collection software;
- d) **NOTED** we updated the 'CoP Compliance and Protocol Approval' list to include the protocol approvals for EAHH and SSIL, added an entry for TEGS and amended the relevant data collection system entries for SSIL; an
- e) **NOTED** we issued Newscast articles notifying BSC Parties and BSC Party Agents of the protocol approvals for EAHH and SSIL and updates for the TEGS protocol approval application and the SSIL data collection system amendments

OPEN SESSION – DECISION PAPER

2. MDD Change Requests for Versions 321 – (SVG253/01)

2.1 This paper invited the SVG to approve eight General Change Request and note 13 Fast Track Change Requests, for implementation in Version 321 of Market Domain Data (MDD) with a go-live date of 16 March 2022.

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The SVG:

- a) **APPROVED** eight General BAU Change Request for implementation in MDD 321 with a go-live date of 16 March 2022; and
- b) **NOTED** 13 Fast Track Change Requests for implementation in MDD 321 with a go-live date of 16 March 2022.

3. SVG Terms of Reference – (SVG253/02)

- 3.1 Elexon has reviewed the Terms of Reference (ToR) for the SVG BSC Panel sub-committee. This paper presented the proposed changes to the SVG ToR.

The SVG:

- a) **NOTED** the proposed changes to the SVG's Terms of Reference;
- b) **COMMENTED** on the proposed changes to the SVG's Terms of Reference;
- c) **ENDORSED** the updated Terms of Reference; and
- d) **NOTED** that the updated Terms of Reference will be presented to the BSC Panel in March 2022 for approval.

4. Line Loss Factor Audit Report 2022/23 – (SVG253/04)

- 4.1 This paper reported the results of Elexon's annual audit of Line Loss Factor (LLF) values for the 2022/2023 BSC Year, performed in accordance with BSCP128. We invited the Supplier Volume Allocation Group (SVG) to approve the Supplier Volume Allocation (SVA) LLF values for all Licensed Distribution System Operators (LDSOs). Elexon also invited the Imbalance Settlement Group (ISG) to approve the Central Volume Allocation (CVA) LLF values for all LDSOs on 1 March 2022

The SVG:

- a) **NOTED** that all SVA non-compliances have been resolved;
- b) **APPROVED** the SVA LLFs for use in Settlement from 1 April 2022 to 31 March 2023; and
- c) **NOTED** that we will seek the ISG's approval of the CVA LLFs at its meeting on 01 March 2022.

OPEN SESSION – INFORMATION PAPER

5. CP Progression Paper: Demand Control Event (DCE) Settlement Adjustment Process Clarifications – (SVG253/05)

- 5.1 We are presenting this paper to the Imbalance Settlement Group (ISG) and Supplier Volume Allocation Group (SVG) on 1 March 2022 to capture any comments or questions from Committee Members on this CP before we issue it for consultation.

The SVG:

- a) **NOTED** the proposed progression timetable for the CP; and
- b) **PROVIDED** any comments or additional questions for inclusion in the CP Consultation.
- c) **NOTED** that this CP will be presented to:
 - the ISG on 1 March 2022; and
 - the SVG on 1 March 2022.

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6. Exempt Supply Interim Process – (SVG253/06)

6.1 This paper was to sets out the interim process for exempt supply applications, which was requested by SVG members at the November 2021 SVG meeting.

The SVG:

a) **NOTED** the proposed interim process for exempt supply applications.

7. CP Progression Paper: New Registration data items and processes to support the transition to MHHS – (SVG253/07)

7.1 This document provided information on new Change Proposal (CP) and outlined our proposed progression timetable for this change, including when it would be issued for CP Consultation in the next suitable Change Proposal Circular (CPC) batch. We are presented this paper to the SVG on 1 March 2022 to capture any comments or questions from Committee Members on this CP before we issue it for consultation.

The SVG:

a) **NOTED** the proposed progression timetable for the CP; and

b) **PROVIDED** any comments or additional questions for inclusion in the CP Consultation.

8. CP1559 'Improvements to the Complex Site Process' – (SVG253/Verbal)

8.1 This verbal update was on CP1559 is being progressed in parallel with R0018 'Complex Sites Process Improvements' as a cross-code change

The SVG:

a) **NOTED** the verbal update.

9. 126-E 'Allowing non-BSC Parties to apply for Metering Dispensations – (SVG253/Verbal)

9.1 We intend to ask Panel to raise the Modification at their meeting on Thursday 10 March

We will recommend this Modification is progressed to the Assessment Phase for Workgroup Assessment

The SVG:

a) **NOTED** the verbal update.

10. 128-C 'Updating the SVA Data Catalogue documents to reflect the changes from CP1546 – (SVG253/Verbal)

10.1 CP1546, which was approved for implementation at the October SVG meeting, introduced two new Market Messages (formerly DTC data flows) for use in BSCP520 'Unmetered Supplies':

- UMS Inventory" (D0388) - a combined Summary Inventory and CMS Control File, sent from the UMSO to MA; and
- UMS Response" (D0389) - sent from the MA to the UMSO to accept or reject a D0388

During the assessment of CP1546, we missed the impact on the SVA Data Catalogue

The SVG:

a) **NOTED** the verbal update.