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**To** BSC Parties and other interested Parties  
**From** BSC Operations  
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## Consultation on changing the value of DMAT and CADL

### What is happening?

ELEXON is holding a consultation on the value of the pricing parameters De Minimis Acceptance Threshold (DMAT) and Continuous Acceptance Duration Limit (CADL). These parameters are used to classify and remove actions as part of the Imbalance Price Calculation.

A consultation document has been published on the [consultations page](#) of the ELEXON website. This contains information presented to the Imbalance Settlement Group (ISG) at its October 2018 meeting, and includes notes of the ISG discussions.

### Why are we proposing a change?

ELEXON reviews CADL and DMAT from time to time on behalf of the BSC Panel. Our analysis has suggested that the current values of these parameters are no longer appropriate.

### What are we proposing?

We are proposing reducing CADL from 15 minutes to 10 minutes and reducing DMAT from 1MWh to 0.1MWh.

### What do I need to do?

You are invited to respond to this consultation. Please reply using the consultation proforma on the [consultations page](#). Please email your response to [market.operations@elexon.co.uk](mailto:market.operations@elexon.co.uk) by **17:00 on Friday 9 November 2018**.

The ISG will consider responses to this consultation at its meeting on **Tuesday 20 November 2018**, where a final recommendation will be made to the BSC Panel for approval.

If you require further information, please email the Market Operations team at [market.operations@elexon.co.uk](mailto:market.operations@elexon.co.uk).