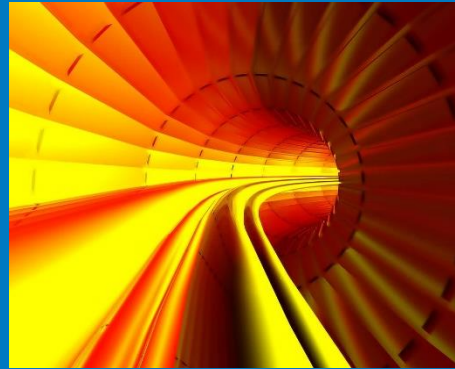
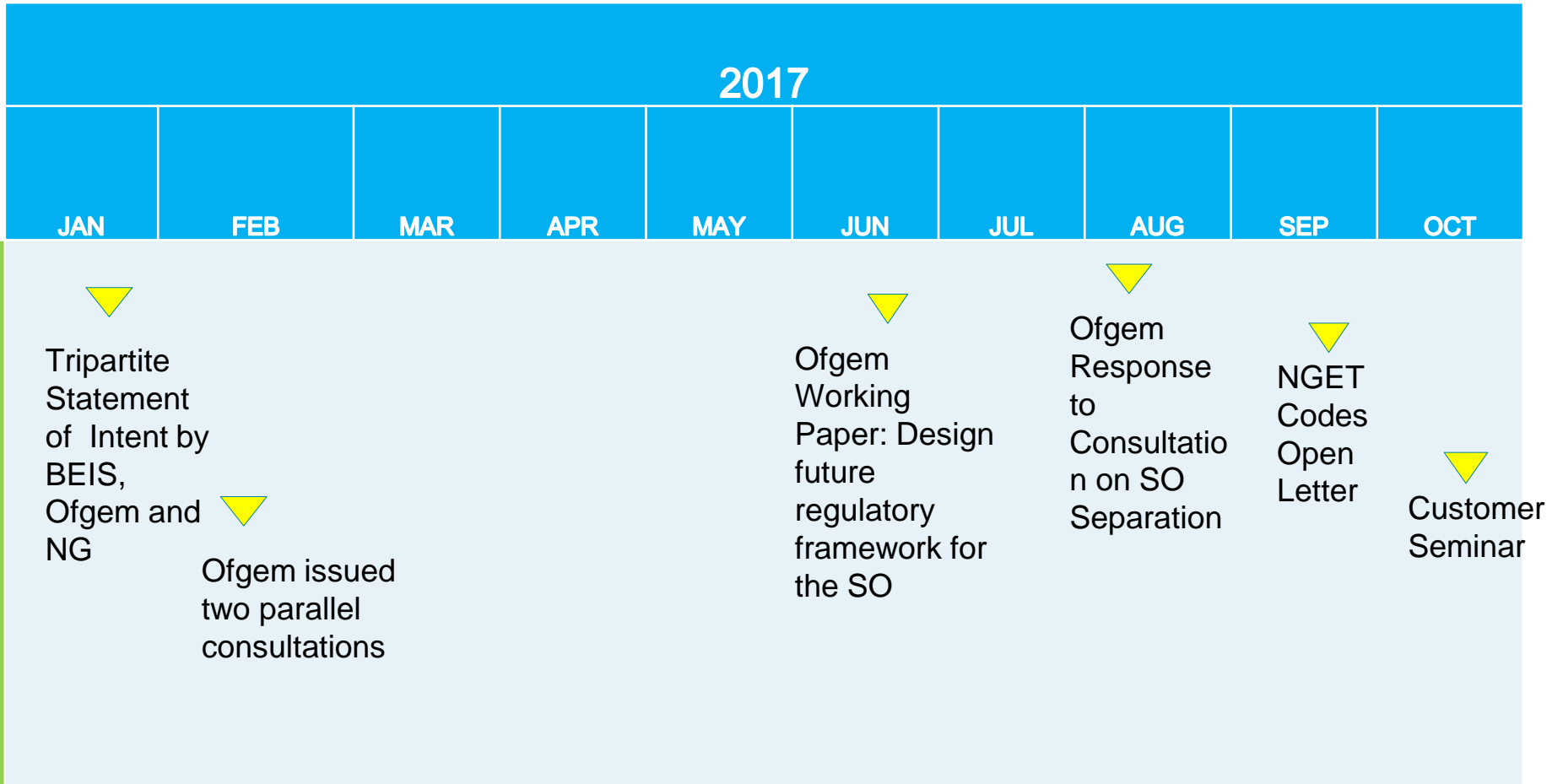


Grid Code Development Forum SO/TO Legal Separation



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Legal Separation Background



SO/TO Legal Separation - Modification Approach

- Industry codes will need to be modified to create a legally separate SO and associated novations
- A coordinated set of code of modifications utilising the normal GB code governance arrangements will be proposed by National Grid Electricity Transmission (NGET)
- Anticipate the effect of the Modifications on industry parties to be minimal
- If required open to cross code working to ensure best use of industry time

Impact to the Grid Code

- High level view of the indicative Grid Code changes to be included:
 - Entity Changes
 - OC7.6- Operational switching
 - OC9.4 – Black Start
 - PC4.3.2 - Week 42 Data
 - CC8, CC5.2 – Site Responsibility Schedules

Legal Separation – Next significant milestones

- Based on the current timeline NGET will submit the formal Modifications to the February/March 2018 Panel meetings
- Anticipated timescales for an Ofgem Modification decision September or October 2018
- Virtual Separation for National Grid from 1st October 2018 (in the absence of Licence and Code changes)
- Live separation 1st April 2019

Questions

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