
CMP191 Workgroup Report



CUSC Modifications Panel, 29th July 2011
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CMP191

- “NETSO Consultation in relation to any potential changes to the CUSC which takes place in forums other than the CUSC Modifications Panel”
- Raised by SSE on 14th February 2011
- BSC Modification P271 and Grid Code Panel Paper also raised
- Joint BSC, CUSC, Grid Code Workgroup established
- Held 5 meetings between March and July 2011

CMP191 Defect

- Third Energy Package adopted by EU in July 2009
 - Requires creation of European Network Codes (ENCs)
 - ENCs will be legally binding in GB
 - ENCs likely to have impact on GB codes including CUSC
- ENCs to be drafted by European Network of Transmission System Operator for Electricity members
- NGET is ENTSO-e member and will have access to ENC development process earlier than others in GB

CMP191 Solution (1)

- CMP191 proposes obligation be placed upon NGET to:
 - Consult with CUSC Parties via the CUSC Panel
 - Take into consideration views of CUSC Parties/ GB Stakeholders
- On matters discussed in forums that NGET attends as NETSO that other GB parties do not have access to
 - ENTSO-e meetings

CMP191 Solution (2)

- CMP191 proposes NGET fulfill its obligation through a cross-code forum
- including very helpful input from Paul Auckland Observer National Grid

Joint Workgroup Consultation

- 10 responses received
 - Majority support for CMP191 National Grid have concerns about the requirement for an 'obligation'
 - Unanimous support for implementation approach
 - Unanimous support for JESG prior to code modification process concluding

Workgroup Consultation Alternative Modification

- Developed by Workgroup post-consultation
- We have had an extensive debate at the joint Working Group about what the scope of an ‘obligation’ should mean
- More specific solution
 - “anything under the Third Package that could, in NGET’s reasonable and prudent opinion as NETSO within ENTSO-e, result in a change to the BSC, CUSC or Grid Code”
- Supported by majority of Workgroup members

Workgroup Conclusions

- Workgroup specific terms of reference:
 - Workgroup drafted terms of reference for “Joint European Standing Group” (JESG) this was an additional task to those set within our original Terms of Reference but was sanctioned by CUSC Panel
- Majority view that CMP191 better facilitates Applicable CUSC Objectives overall
- Implementation 10 Working Days after Authority Decision

Workgroup Vote

- 6 Workgroup members eligible to vote
- Majority voted CMP191 better facilitates Applicable CUSC Objectives (5/6)
- Majority voted CMP191 WACM better facilitates Applicable CUSC Objectives (4/6)
- Majority voted WACM is “best” option (4/6)

CMP191 conclusions

- Panel invited to:
 - AGREE Workgroup has completed terms of reference
 - ACCEPT Workgroup Report
 - AGREE progress CMP191 to Code Administrator consultation