

# CUSC Modification CMP256

Potential consequential changes to the CUSC as a result of CMP244

November 2015

welcome



Save today. Save tomorrow.



# CMP256 Proposal

The Modification Proposal is to consider potential legal text changes caused by CMP244 which fall outside section 14, namely:

**Section 3.14.3** “The Company shall give the User not less than 2 months prior written notice of any revised charges”.

**Section 11** which currently defines the TNUoS tariff forecasting timetable as “an annual timetable prepared and published by The Company by the end of January of each Financial Year (t) which sets out when The Company will publish updates in Financial Year (t+1) (being not less than quarterly) to the forecast of Transmission Network Use of System Charges for the Financial (t+2)”.



## Why is the Proposal needed?

Should CMP244 be approved, both section 3 and 11 would need to change to reflect the final agreed notice period and revised forecasting timetable agreed as part of CMP244.

However CMP244 was raised as a Charging Modification and therefore only section 14 of the CUSC can be modified.

A non-charging Modification needs to be raised to address sections of the CUSC outside section 14. However do not wish to duplicate any existing work taking place under 244 (*256 simply reflects 244 and does not introduce any new aspects*).



## Possible way forward?

If CMP256 raised today, the Modifications could be considered as being processed 'in parallel' with all relevant issues being dealt with through the existing CMP244 Workgroup.

Depending on whether any CMP244 alternatives are raised, potentially CMP256 could then report to the CUSC Panel when CMP244 reports, and both Modifications could go to Code Administrator Consultation together.



# Applicable CUSC Objectives

- a) The efficient discharge by the licensee of the obligations imposed upon it under the Act and by this licence;

National Grid is obliged to comply with Modification Proposals approved by the Authority and integrated into the CUSC. Where the two do not align as intended then this leads to inefficiency and a lack of clarity for CUSC parties.

- b) Facilitating effective competition in the generation and supply of electricity, and (so far as consistent therewith) facilitating such competition in the sale, distribution and purchase of electricity;

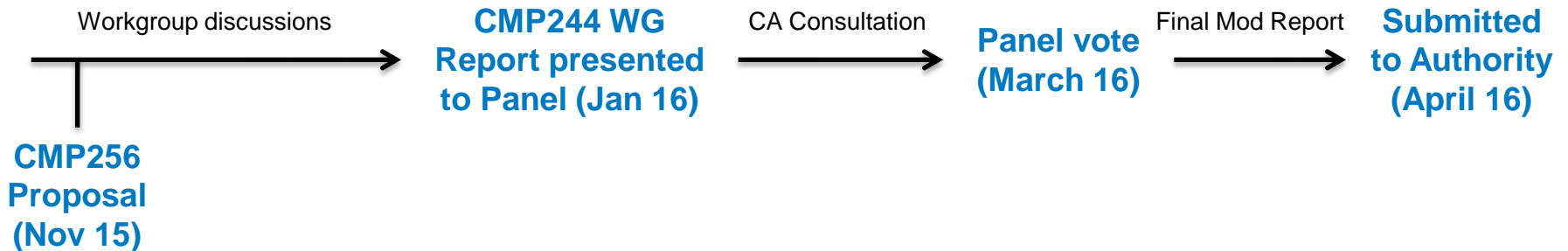
Generators and Suppliers pay TNUoS charges to access the National Electricity Transmission System. These costs end up in the final prices passed on to GB consumers. The proposed changes herewith will bring greater clarity in the CUSC to the notice period Suppliers and Generators will receive for their TNUoS tariffs, and to the forecasts they will receive ahead of final tariffs being published. This will enable both Generators and Suppliers to more clearly account for the impact of TNUoS costs into their prices, reducing uncertainty and thus improving competition.



# Possible way forward?

---

## CMP244 process



## Panel to consider;

- Whether CMP256 needs to be developed by a Workgroup
- If considered by CMP244 Workgroup, could CMP256 be progressed without a Workgroup Consultation? (CUSC states Workgroup process must include Consultation)
- If not considered by a Workgroup, could it reflect any alternatives to CMP244?

# CMP256 Progression

---

## The Panel is asked to agree:

- Whether CMP256 should be classed as Self-Governance
- How to progress CMP256
  - Workgroup
  - Code Administrator Consultation

## CMP256 Indicative timetable (Workgroup)

---

<b>1<sup>st</sup> December 2015</b>	Proposal discussed at next CMP244 Workgroup meeting
<b>W/C 4<sup>th</sup> January 2016</b>	Workgroup meeting 1 (following CMP244 Workgroup meeting)
<b>21<sup>st</sup> January 2016</b>	Submit final Workgroup Report to CUSC Panel
<b>29<sup>th</sup> January 2016</b>	Present Workgroup Report to CUSC Modifications Panel
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> February 2016</b>	Code Administrator Consultation issued
<b>24<sup>th</sup> February 2016</b>	Deadline for Responses
<b>1<sup>st</sup> March 2016</b>	Draft CUSC Modification Report issued for Industry comment
<b>8<sup>th</sup> March 2016</b>	Deadline for comment
<b>17<sup>th</sup> March 2016</b>	Draft CUSC Modification Report issued to CUSC Panel
<b>25<sup>th</sup> March 2016</b>	CUSC Panel recommendation vote
<b>28<sup>th</sup> March 2016</b>	Draft FMR circulated for comment
<b>4<sup>th</sup> April 2016</b>	Deadline for comments
<b>7<sup>th</sup> April 2016</b>	Final CUSC Modification Report sent to Authority
<b>13<sup>th</sup> May 2016</b>	Decision due



# CMP256 Indicative timetable (CA Consultation)

---

<b>3<sup>rd</sup> February 2016</b>	Code Administrator Consultation issued (alongside CMP244 CA Cons)
<b>24<sup>th</sup> February 2016</b>	Deadline for Responses
<b>1<sup>st</sup> March 2016</b>	Draft CUSC Modification Report issued for Industry comment
<b>8<sup>th</sup> March 2016</b>	Deadline for comment
<b>17<sup>th</sup> March 2016</b>	Draft CUSC Modification Report issued to CUSC Panel
<b>25<sup>th</sup> March 2016</b>	CUSC Panel recommendation vote
<b>28<sup>th</sup> March 2016</b>	Draft FMR circulated for comment
<b>4<sup>th</sup> April 2016</b>	Deadline for comments
<b>7<sup>th</sup> April 2016</b>	Final CUSC Modification Report sent to Authority
<b>13<sup>th</sup> May 2016</b>	Decision due