

Headline Report – 31 May 2023

System Operator Transmission Owner Code (STC) Panel

The STC Panel Headline Report is produced after every Panel and aims to provide an overview of the key decisions made. Minutes for this meeting will be published separately.

Approval of Panel Minutes

The meeting minutes from the Panel on 26 April 2023 were approved and these have been uploaded to our website.

New Modifications

The following new Modification Proposal was presented to the Panel:

PM0131 ‘STCP14-1 update for revised TO licence special conditions terminology’

This proposal seeks to make Housekeeping change to realign STCP14-1 references for Onshore TO revenue forecasting with updated terms in the transmission licence special conditions..

The Panel unanimously agreed that PM0131 should be implemented on the understanding that the Proposer will clarify specific concerns raised by OFTO representatives and address these outside the meeting and Panel Members will be informed of the outcome.

PM0131 documentation can be found [here](#)

PM0132/CM091 ‘Implementation of Emergency and Restoration Code Phase II’

These proposals are consequential changes required to align the STCPs with changes already being proposed to the Grid Code within [GC0148](#) to facilitate implementation of Phase II of the EU Emergency and Restoration Code. The proposers ask to panel was to merge the above modifications with [CM089/PM0128](#) as the modifications are interlinked and based on the current timelines [CM091/PM0132](#) will not arrive with Ofgem until after CM089/PM0128.

All but one Panel Member approved the merge of the modifications during the meeting, the final approval was received later on 31 May from the last Panel Member.

New / Pending Authority Decisions

Ofgem provided an update on Modifications that have been decided upon and are currently awaiting their decision since the last STC Panel.

Awaiting Decisions

| Modification | What this seeks to achieve | Expected Decision Date |
|--------------|--|---|
| CM078 | This Modification seeks to make changes to the System Operator Transmission Owner Code to reflect CUSC modification CMP328 relating to Transmission connections that trigger an impact assessment on the Distribution network. | CM078 is dependent on CUSC Modification (CMP328) which was sent back to CUSC Panel by Ofgem on 14 February 2023. Ofgem are awaiting the revised FMR before a decision can be made on either of these modifications. |
| CM080 | Process for aggregated assessment of Distributed Generators that impact (or may impact) on the National Electricity Transmission System. | Expected decision date of this and related CUSC Modification (CMP298) was 29 May 2023. A revised date of 7 July 2023 was communicated to Panel by the Ofgem Representative |
| CM088 | Fault Ride Through Definition | Final Modification Report sent to Ofgem 12 April 2023. Expected decision date is 9 June 2023 |

Ofgem publish a table that provides the expected decision date, or date they intend to publish an impact assessment or consultation, for code modifications/proposals that are with them for decision. This was last updated on 24 May 2023 and is published [here](#).

In flight Modifications

The next Modification Tracker will be published on 7 June 2023.

Workgroup Reports

There were no Workgroup Reports presented to the Panel.

Draft Final Modification Reports

There were no Draft Final Modification Reports presented to the Panel.

Questions or feedback?

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