Workgroup Consultation Response Proforma

**GC0161: Changes to OC6 to allow for site protection and demand disconnect rotation**

Industry parties are invited to respond to this consultation expressing their views and supplying the rationale for those views, particularly in respect of any specific questions detailed below.

Please send your responses to grid.code@nationalgrideso.com by **5pm** on **04 July 2023**. Please note that any responses received after the deadline or sent to a different email address may not receive due consideration.

If you have any queries on the content of this consultation, please contact Jonathan.whitaker@nationalgrideso.com or grid.code@nationalgrideso.com

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| **Respondent details** | **Please enter your details** |
| **Respondent name:** | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **Company name:** | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **Email address:** | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **Phone number:** | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| **Which best describes your organisation?** | [ ] Consumer body[ ] Demand[ ] Distribution Network Operator[ ] Generator[ ] Industry body | [ ] Interconnector[ ] Storage[ ] Supplier[ ] Transmission Owner[ ] Virtual Lead Party[ ] Other |

**I wish my response to be:**

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| (Please mark the relevant box) | [ ] Non-Confidential | [ ] Confidential |

*Note: A confidential response will be disclosed to the Authority in full but, unless agreed otherwise, will not be shared with the Panel or the industry and may therefore not influence the debate to the same extent as a non-confidential response.*

**For reference the Applicable Grid Code Objectives are:**

1. *To permit the development, maintenance and operation of an efficient, coordinated and economical system for the transmission of electricity*
2. *Facilitating effective competition in the generation and supply of electricity (and without limiting the foregoing, to facilitate the national electricity transmission system being made available to persons authorised to supply or generate electricity on terms which neither prevent nor restrict competition in the supply or generation of electricity);*
3. *Subject to sub-paragraphs (i) and (ii), to promote the security and efficiency of the electricity generation, transmission and distribution systems in the national electricity transmission system operator area taken as a whole;*
4. *To efficiently discharge the obligations imposed upon the licensee by this license and to comply with the Electricity Regulation and any relevant legally binding decisions of the European Commission and/or the Agency; and*
5. *To promote efficiency in the implementation and administration of the Grid Code arrangements*

**Please express your views in the right-hand side of the table below, including your rationale.**

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| **Standard Workgroup Consultation questions** |
| 1 | Do you believe that the Original Proposal and/or any potential alternatives better facilitate the Applicable Objectives? | Mark the Objectives which you believe the Original Solution better facilitates: |
| Original | [ ] A [ ] B [ ] C [ ] D [ ] E  |
| Click or tap here to enter text. |
| 2 | Do you support the proposed implementation approach? | [ ] Yes[ ] No |
| Click or tap here to enter text. |
| 3 | Do you have any other comments? | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| 4 | Do you wish to raise a Workgroup Consultation Alternative Request for the Workgroup to consider?  | [ ] Yes[ ] No |
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| **Specific Workgroup Consultation questions** |
| 5 | Do you agree with the proposed change to the wording in OC6.1.5 (if not, please provide your rationale)? | [ ] Yes[ ] NoClick or tap here to enter text. |
| 6 | Do you agree with the addition of the clause in OC6.5.3 (if not, please provide your rationale)? | [ ] Yes[ ] NoClick or tap here to enter text. |
| 7 | Do you understand the proposed modification to mean that not all consumers’ sites that are on the ESEC protected site list will be protected all the time? | [ ] Yes[ ] NoClick or tap here to enter text. |
| 8 | Do you believe that any other sections of the Grid Code will be impacted by this modification? | [ ] Yes[ ] NoClick or tap here to enter text. |