



CUSC Panel

Friday 12 April 2024

Online Meeting via Teams

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CMP428: User Commitment liabilities for Onshore Transmission circuits in the Holistic Network Design

Title Change	
Current Title	User Commitment liabilities for Onshore Transmission circuits in the Holistic Network Design
New Title	User Commitment liabilities for Onshore Transmission (reinforcement) in the Holistic Network Design

Rationale: The Workgroup determined that the title of the modification was not clear. The title amendment reflects the terminology used within the Authority’s asset classification decision.

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- **AGREE** the Modification Title change



Workgroup Report

**CMP428: User Commitment liabilities for Onshore
Transmission (reinforcement) in the Holistic Network
Design**

Claire Goult (Modification Chair)

Key points to note to the Panel

- CMP428 was originally raised in January 2024 and proceeded as Standard Governance with the CMP426 Workgroup. At the CUSC Panel on 23 February 2024, the Panel recommended by majority that the remainder of the modification proceeds on an Urgent basis, and agreed that the modification scope could be narrowed to ensure the Urgent timeline could be met.
- The Workgroup refined the legal text for the modification to ensure the definitions were transparent to industry.

Solution and Workgroup Vote

Solution:

- The Proposer's solution is to amend the Attributable Works definition in CUSC Section 11 by creating an exception for circuits deemed by the Authority to be onshore transmission (reinforcement). This would ensure onshore transmission (reinforcement) in the HND is not classified as Attributable Works. New definitions have also been created for Excepted Works and Centralised Strategic Network Plan.

Summary of Workgroup Vote:

- The Workgroup concluded unanimously (9 out of 9 votes) that the Original better facilitates the Applicable Objectives than the Baseline.

Terms of Reference

The Workgroup conclude that they have met their Terms of Reference and the references can be located below:

Workgroup Term of Reference	Location in Workgroup Report
a) Consider EBR implications	Interactions
b) Consider how to best ensure transparency of the treatment of the 'Excepted Works'	Workgroup Considerations (pages 9 and 13) Annex 4 – Legal Text

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- **AGREE** that the Workgroup have met their Terms of Reference
- **AGREE** that this Modification can proceed to Code Administrator Consultation
- **NOTE** that this Modification does not impact the Electricity Balancing Regulation (EBR) Article 18 terms and conditions held within the CUSC?
- **NOTE** the ongoing timeline

CMP428 Next Steps

Milestone	Date
Code Administrator Consultation (3 business days)	15 April 2024 to 5pm on 18 April 2024
Draft Final Modification Report issued to Panel	23 April 2024
Draft Final Modification Report presented to Panel	26 April 2024
Final Modification Report issued to Panel to check votes recorded correctly	26 April 2024 (4pm – 4:30pm)
Submission of Final Modification Report to Ofgem	26 April 2024 (by 5pm)
Ofgem decision date	ASAP
Implementation Date	14 June 2024



Discussions on Prioritisation

- **CARRY OUT** deep-dive assessment of all Modifications that sit within the prioritisation stack



Any Other Business

Activities ahead of the next Panel Meeting

Papers Day

18 April 2024

Panel Late Papers

– CMP428 User Commitment liabilities for Onshore Transmission
circuits in the Holistic Network Design DFMR

23 April 2024

Panel Meeting

26 April 2024
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Close



Rob Marshall

Acting Independent Chair, CUSC Panel