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Reference: CMP253 Self-Governance Statement

Dear Abid,

This is the CUSC Modifications Panel's Self-governance Statement to the Authority for CUSC Modification Proposal (CMP) 253. National Grid has prepared this Self-governance Statement on behalf of the CUSC Modifications Panel and submits it to you in accordance with CUSC Section 8.25.1.

On 25<sup>th</sup> September 2015 the CUSC Modifications Panel considered CMP253 and confirmed unanimously that it meets the Self-governance criteria.

As such, CMP253 is unlikely to discriminate between different classes of CUSC Parties and is unlikely to have a material effect on:

- i) Existing or future electricity customers;
- ii) Competition in the generation, distribution, or supply of electricity or any commercial activities connected with the generation, distribution or supply of electricity,
- iii) The operation of the National Electricity Transmission System
- iv) Matters relating to sustainable development, safety or security of supply, or the management of market or network emergencies
- v) The CUSC's governance procedures or the CUSC's modification procedures

The proposed timetable for the progression of CMP253 is as follows:

29 <sup>th</sup> September 2015	Code Administrator consultation issued (15 working days)
20 <sup>th</sup> October 2015	Deadline for responses
27 <sup>th</sup> October 2015	Draft CUSC Modification Report issued for industry comment
3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2015	Deadline for comment
19 <sup>th</sup> November 2015	Draft CUSC Modification Report issued to CUSC Panel
27 <sup>th</sup> November 2015	CUSC Panel determination vote
27 <sup>th</sup> November 2015	Appeals window open
18 <sup>th</sup> December 2015	Appeals window closes
6 <sup>th</sup> January 2016	Implementation date

The CMP253 form is available at;

<http://www2.nationalgrid.com/UK/Industry-information/Electricity-codes/CUSC/Modifications/CMP253/>

If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Sincerely,

Jade Clarke  
CUSC Modifications Panel Secretary.