CUSC Amendment Proposal Form

CAP:105

Title of Amendment Proposal:

Change of Company Name for National Grid Company plc (NGC)

Description of the Proposed Amendment (mandatory by proposer):

It is proposed that the CUSC is amended to reflect the recent Company Name change of National Grid Company plc (NGC) to National Grid Electricity Transmission plc (NGET).

Description of Issue or Defect that Proposed Amendment seeks to Address (mandatory by proposer):

On the 27th July 2005 the group Company Name for National Grid Transco changed to National Grid plc. Due to the similarity between the group company name and the Transmission Licence holder name, National Grid Company plc, the Transmission Licence holder name has been changed to National Grid Electricity Transmission plc (NGET).

It is proposed that the CUSC is amended to reflect the new company name to clearly identify National Grid Electricity Transmission plc.

Impact on the CUSC (this should be given where possible):

Changes to Section 11.3 - Definitions

The term NGC and its definition require amendment to reflect the new Company Name

NGC NGET

National Grid Electricity Transmission Company plc (No 2366977) whose registered office is at the 1 – 3 Strand, London, WC2N 5EH

The terms NGC Credit Rating, NGC's Engineering Charges and NGC Website, and any reference to NGC throughout the CUSC will require amendment.

An additional clause is required in section 6 to allow any references to NGC within any related documents following the implementation of this Proposed Amendment to have the same meaning as NGET.

Finally, an additional clause is required in section 8.23 to allow any existing Proposed Amendments that include references to NGC and that are implemented after this Proposed Amendment to have NGC replaced within NGET, prior to the amendment of the CUSC.

Impact on Core Industry Documentation (this should be given where possible): None anticipated

Impact on Computer Systems and Processes used by CUSC Parties (this should be given where possible):

None anticipated

Details of any Related Modifications to Other Industry Codes (where known):

CA014 – Potential Change of Company Name for National Grid Company (NGC) and Consequential Amendments to the STC

F/05 – Proposed change to Grid Code to incorporate the new Company Name

Justification for Proposed Amendment with Reference to Applicable CUSC Objectives** (mandatory by proposer):

The proposed amendment will aid efficiency in the implementation and discharge of licence objectives by accurately referring to the new name of Transmission Licence holder.

Details of Proposer: Organisation's Name:	National Grid Electricity Transmission plc
Capacity in which the Amendment is being proposed: (i.e. CUSC Party, BSC Party or "energywatch")	CUSC Party
Details of Proposer's Representative: Name: Organisation: Telephone Number: Email Address:	Emma Carr National Grid Electricity Transmission plc 01926 655843 emma.j.carr@ngtuk.com
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Notes:

- 1. Those wishing to propose an Amendment to the CUSC should do so by filling in this "Amendment Proposal Form" that is based on the provisions contained in Section 8.15 of the CUSC. The form seeks to ascertain details about the Amendment Proposal so that the Amendments Panel can determine more clearly whether the proposal should be considered by a Working Group or go straight to wider National Grid Consultation.
- 2. The Panel Secretary will check that the form has been completed, in accordance with the requirements of the CUSC, prior to submitting it to the Panel. If the Panel Secretary accepts the Amendment Proposal form as complete, then he will write back to the Proposer informing him of the reference number for the Amendment Proposal and the date on which the Proposal will be considered by the Panel. If, in the opinion of the Panel Secretary, the form fails to provide the information required in the CUSC, then he may reject the Proposal. The Panel Secretary will inform the Proposer of the rejection and report the matter to the Panel at their next meeting. The Panel can reverse the Panel Secretary's decision and if this happens the Panel Secretary will inform the Proposer.

The completed form should be returned to:

Richard Dunn
Panel Secretary
Commercial Frameworks
National Grid Company plc
NGT House
Warwick Technology Park
Gallows Hill
Warwick, CV34 6DA

Or via e-mail to: CUSC.Team@uk.ngrid.com

(Participants submitting this form by email will need to send a statement to the effect that the proposer acknowledges that on acceptance of the proposal for consideration by the Amendments Panel, a proposer which is not a CUSC Party shall grant a licence in accordance with Paragraph 8.15.7 of the CUSC. A Proposer that is a CUSC Party shall be deemed to have granted this Licence).

3. Applicable CUSC Objectives** - These are defined within the National Grid Company Transmission Licence under Section C10, paragraph 1. Reference should be made to this section when considering a proposed amendment.