

CUSC Amendment Proposal Form	CAP013
<p>Title of Amendment Proposal:</p> <p>Removal of Redundant Paragraph [6.6.1(b) - Energy related recurrent charges]</p>	
<p>Description of the Proposed Amendment <i>(mandatory by proposer):</i></p> <p>This Amendment proposes the removal of a redundant paragraph [6.6.1(b)] from the CUSC. The clause was codified into the CUSC from Section 14 of the MCUSA and relates to the manner in which National Grid previously invoiced generators for Energy related recurrent monthly charges (an element of the Infrastructure charge). This type of charge has not been payable since 1992/93 (the charges relate to the pre ICRP methodology) so the paragraph is no longer appropriate.</p>	
<p>Description of Issue or Defect that Proposed Amendment seeks to Address <i>(mandatory by proposer):</i></p> <p>Paragraph 6.6.1(b) of the CUSC is redundant as National Grid invoices Users for Connection Charges and Transmission Network Use of System (TNUoS) Charges pursuant to Section 6.6.1(a) and Balancing Services Use of System (BSUoS) Charges pursuant to Section 3.14.2.</p>	
<p>Impact on the CUSC <i>(this should be given where possible):</i></p> <p>Removal of Paragraph 6.6.1(b) and re-numbering of Paragraph 6.6.1(c) to 6.6.1(b).</p>	
<p>Impact on Core Industry Documentation <i>(this should be given where possible):</i></p> <p>None.</p>	
<p>Impact on Computer Systems and Processes used by CUSC Parties <i>(this should be given where possible):</i></p> <p>None.</p>	
<p>Details of any Related Modifications to Other Industry Codes <i>(where known):</i></p> <p>None.</p>	
<p>Justification for Proposed Amendment with Reference to Applicable CUSC Objectives <i>(mandatory by proposer):</i></p> <p>Removal of redundant paragraphs from the CUSC as put forward in this Amendment Proposal improves the clarity of the CUSC documentation thereby enabling National Grid to more easily and efficiently discharge its obligations under the Act and the Transmission Licence and fulfil its obligations to facilitate competition in the generation and supply of electricity.</p>	

Details of Proposer: Organisation's Name:	National Grid
Capacity in which the Amendment is being proposed: (i.e. CUSC Party, BSC Party or "energywatch")	CUSC Party
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Attachments (Yes/No): No	
If Yes, Title and No. of pages of each Attachment:	

Notes:

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.

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:

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Panel Secretary
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National Grid House
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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).