**Grid Code Administrator Consultation Response Proforma**

**GC0125 – EU Code Emergency & Restoration: Black Start testing requirements for Interconnectors, HVDC System Owners and Owners of Transmission DC Converters**

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

Please send your responses by **5:00pm** on **27 September 2019** to grid.code@nationalgrideso.com. Please note that any responses received after the deadline or sent to a different email address may not be included within the Draft Final Modification Report to the Grid Code Review Panel.

These responses will be included within the Final Modification Report which is submitted to the Grid Code Review Panel.

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| **Respondent:** | *Please insert your name and contact details (phone number or email address)* |
| **Company Name:** | *Please insert Company Name* |
| **Please** **express your views regarding the Code Administrator Consultation, including rationale.****(Please include any issues, suggestions or queries)** | 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

(e) To promote efficiency in the implementation and administration of the Grid Code arrangements |

**Code Administrator Consultation questions**

| **Q** | **Question** | **Response** |
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| 1 | **Do you believe that GC0125 better facilitates the Applicable Grid Code objectives? Please include your reasoning.** |  |
| 2 | **Do you support the proposed implementation approach?** |  |
| 3 | **Do you have any other comments in relation to GC0125?** |  |