# CUSC Workgroup Consultation Response Proforma

**CMP311** **Reassessment of CUSC credit requirements for Suppliers, specifically for “User Allowed Credit” as defined in Section 3, Part III section 3.27 of the CUSC**

Industry parties are invited to respond to this 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 **29 October 2019** to [cusc.team@nationalgrideso.com](mailto:cusc.team@nationalgrideso.com) Please note that any responses received after the deadline or sent to a different email address may not receive due consideration by the Workgroup.

Any queries on the content of the consultation should be addressed to Chrissie Brown at [christine.brown1@nationalgrideso.com](mailto:christine.brown1@nationalgrideso.com)

These responses will be considered by the Workgroup at their next meeting at which members will also consider any Workgroup Consultation Alternative Requests. Where appropriate, the Workgroup will record your response and its consideration of it within the final Workgroup Report which is submitted to the CUSC Modifications 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 Workgroup Consultation, including rationale.  (Please include any issues, suggestions or queries) | **For reference, the Applicable CUSC Objectives for the Use of System**  (a)The efficient discharge by the Licensee of the obligations imposed on it by the Act and the Transmission Licence;  (b)Facilitating effective competition in the generation and supply of electricity, and (so far as consistent therewith) facilitating such competition in the sale, distribution and purchase of electricity;  (c)Compliance with the Electricity Regulation and any relevant legally binding decision of the European Commission and/or the Agency \*; and  (d) Promoting efficiency in the implementation and administration of the CUSC arrangements.  *\*Objective (c) refers specifically to European Regulation 2009/714/EC. Reference to the Agency is to the Agency for the Cooperation of Energy Regulators (ACER).* |

**Standard Workgroup consultation questions**

| **Q** | **Question** | **Response** |
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| 1 | **Do you believe that CMP311 Original proposal (revised since originally proposed to just remove the Payment Record Sum) better facilitates the Applicable CUSC Objectives than current arrangements?** |  |
| 2 | **Do you support the proposed implementation approach, both in terms of allowing at least 12 months to make arrangements and the Workgroup suggestion to commence in April with the Financial Year?** |  |
| 3 | **Do you have any other comments?** |  |
| 4 | **Do you wish to raise a Workgroup Consultation Alternative Request for the Workgroup to consider?** | *If yes, please complete a WG Consultation Alternative Request form, available on National Grid's ESO website[[1]](#footnote-1), and return to the CUSC inbox at* [cusc.team@nationalgrideso.com](mailto:cusc.team@nationalgrideso.com) |

**Specific questions for CMP311**

| **Q** | **Question** | **Response** |
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| 5 | **What impact do you think this modification would have on suppliers entering the market?** |  |
| 6 | **What impact do you think this modification would have on existing suppliers and what would be the cost to your business?** |  |
| 7 | **Two potential solutions other than that Proposed have been discussed by the Workgroup, what are your views on these?** |  |
| 8 | **What impact do you believe this modification would have on the Consumer?** |  |

1. <https://www.nationalgrideso.com/codes/connection-and-use-system-code-cusc> [↑](#footnote-ref-1)