

Code Administrator Meeting Summary

Meeting Name: GC0109 Workgroup 8

Date: 12 November 2020

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Key areas of discussion

 GC0109 seeks to publish on BMRS any System Warning Alerts that are not currently shared with market participants.

- The first part of the meeting was reacquainting the Workgroup with previous discussions notably on the timing from receipt/issue of System Warning Alerts to publication and the list of System Warning Alerts proposed to be published.
- The Chair presented a revised timeline and the Workgroup agreed to target presenting the Workgroup Report to the January 2021 Panel.
- The Chair presented the Terms of Reference with a view to checking they remained fit for purpose. Given the parallels between GC0109 and GC0133, the Workgroup agreed to add consideration of Ofgem's comments in the GC0133 send back letter¹ as part of the Terms of Reference. To minimise the risk of a send back, the Chair set out the importance of ensuring the benefits of publication of these System Warning Alerts were clear in the final Workgroup Report. (Post Meeting Note: Updated Terms of Reference were approved at Grid Code Review Panel on 26 November 2020)

It does not describe the underlying evidence on the benefits and/or costs e.g., whilst GC0133 refers to "improving wider industry communications", it does not demonstrate or provide evidence on how GC0133 would lead to those end benefits.

¹ Need more detailed information on how specific market participants could use the system state updates in practice, and a demonstration of what positive steps they could take upon receiving these updates; and

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- The Chair presented an updated list of Workgroup consultation questions and the Workgroup agreed to the inclusion of these.
- The Proposer presented draft Legal text and it was agreed that this would be sent out with the Workgroup Consultation.

For further information, please contact Paul Mullen.

Next Steps

Milestone	Date
Chair to issue updated Terms of Reference, timeline, Workgroup Consultation and draft Legal text	16 November 12pm
Workgroup to provide comments on Workgroup Consultation and draft legal text	20 November 5pm
Meeting to discuss showstopper comments (if needed)	24 November 2pm to 3pm
Chair to issue Workgroup Consultation	25 November