

CAP189: Standard Gas Insulated Switchgear (GIS) Ownership Boundaries – Send Back Process



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Summary

- Code Administrator (CA) consultation closed 1 July 2011
 - Unanimous support for CAP189
- Industry response received after CA consultation closed
 - Response raised concern over legal text
- Panel Recommendation Vote July 2011: unanimous rejection due to legal text
- Panel requested Ofgem to use Send Back powers
- Send Back direction received 18th August 2011

Send Back direction

- Authority letter states:
 - “The current proposed legal drafting does not meet the intent of the proposed solution”
 - “The Panel should take the appropriate steps to revisit the legal drafting and address the concern raised.”
- CUSC 8.23.12 and 8.23.13 apply
 - Panel decides on level of analysis/consultation required
 - Panel agrees an appropriate timetable
 - Panel to revise final Mod Report and re-vote

Code Administrator proposed process

- Seek legal view on proposed revised legal text
- Informally seek ex-CAP189 Workgroup members' views on proposed revised legal text
- Confirm proposed revised legal text
- Code Administrator consultation for 3 weeks
- Panel Recommendation Vote at October Panel meeting

Timetable to reach October Panel

w/c 29th August 2011	Seek legal and ex-Workgroup views on legal text
6th Sept 2011	Issue Code Administrator consultation for 15 working days
27th Sept 2011	Code Administrator consultation closes
28th Sept 2011	Circulate draft Modification Report for industry comment
5th October 2011	Deadline for comments
20th Oct 2011	Publish updated draft Modification Report with Panel Papers
28th Oct 2011	Modifications Panel Vote