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## **Code Administrator Meeting Summary**

### GC0151: Grid Code Compliance with Fault Ride Through Requirements

Date: 07 July 2021

#### **Contact Details**

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### Key areas of discussion

- The Chair introduced the Workgroup and the objectives for the meeting, before running through the timeline for the modification. The Chair presented the Code Administrator lifecycle to the Workgroup to onboard any new parties to the process. The Chair presented the urgency timetable and the workgroup members agreed to reduce the workgroup consultation period from 15 working days 10 working days and agreed to amend the workgroup meeting dates to avoid having back to back meetings. The Chair will get approval from the Panel and the Authority on the revised timetable. The workgroup confirmed they were satisfied with the revised Workgroup dates.
- The Proposer presented his slides for the Fault Ride through process and the rationale for the modification which is set out below:
  - 1) Be placing Users (and in particular Generators) in compliance of a relevant legal requirement;
  - o 2) Have minimal commercial impact on Users and consumers;
  - $\circ$  3) Have a positive effect on the safety and security of the electricity system;
  - o 4) Apply a reasonable timing obligation on all stakeholders;
  - $\circ$  5) Apply a non-discriminatory process to all stakeholders; and
  - o 6) Ensure and enhance transparency of the FRT situation in GB.
- The solution has three core aspects:
  - (i) Time to investigate;
  - o (ii) MW Threshold; and

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- (iii) Degree of forced constraint.
- o Also looks to provide Further Clarity on Voltage Protection Setting
- The ESO presented their slides on the Fault Ride through process. The same slides were presented at the GCDF forum in the morning.
- The Workgroup reviewed their Workgroup Terms of Reference. Some contrasting views were expressed, and minor changes were made in draft. The Chair revisited the Terms of Reference at the end of the meeting, and the Workgroup agreed the final changes, which will be shared with the Grid Code Panel by circulation for approval by 15 July 2021.

Number	Action	Owner	Status
1	Code Admin to send Ofgem and the Grid Code Panel the revised timetable for GC0151	NA/BJO	Closed
2	Code Admin to circulate the Terms of Reference to Grid Code Panel for approval	NA/BJO	Open?
3	Code Admin to publish meeting summary documents after each meeting to ensure industry are kept informed of the Workgroup developments	NA/BJO	Remain Open
4	GG to draft business rules and send to ESO	GG	Open
5	AF to draft a strawman of concerns and circulate to the Workgroup	AF	Closed – email circulated on 08/07

#### **Actions Log**

For further information, please contact the Code Administrator.