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## **Code Administrator Meeting Summary**

### Meeting Name: CMP298 Workgroup 9

Date: 26 July 2021

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#### Key areas of discussion

- CMP298 seeks to introduce a more efficient aggregated assessment of Distributed Generators (DG) that have or may have an impact on the National Electricity Transmission System (NETS). This process (known in the industry as the Appendix G process) has been been trialled by Network Operators over the last few years and the learning from this will be applied to the CMP298 change. This new process will sit alongside the current process (the Statement of Works process) with a small change being applied to this existing process to clarify that multiple projects can now be applied for at the same time.
- As per the meeting on 28 June 2021, this was scheduled to be the last meeting before the Workgroup Consultation was issued; however, it became clear during the meeting that there was confusion about what is meant by Planning Limit and Total MW. This impacts the Product Document, Legal Text and Schedules. Therefore, a further Workgroup is required on 9 August 2021 and the date the Workgroup Consultation will be issued has been delayed from 5 to 12 August 2021.
- Further discussion was held on the implementation approach particularly on the contractual arrangements and publication:
  - On contractual arrangements, the Workgroup agreed there would need to be a 24 month transition period to update the contractual arrangements and noted that those Grid Supply Points on an Appendix G that not currently in line with the Transmission Impact Assessment process would take the longest to transition across; and
  - On publication, the Workgroup noted the importance of publishing which Grid Supply Points are on Statement of Works/Confirmation of Project Progression and which have a Transmission Impact Assessment. The Appendix Gs are currently published by each

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DNOs but the Workgroup stated that a central list held by the ESO would be a more robust solution. The Workgroup proposed 2 different options on how this can be published with one option including Active Power, Apparent Power and Reactive Power and the other option including the Materiality Trigger and Planning Limit.

#### **Next Steps**

| Milestone  | Who?             | When by?                     |
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| Updated Product Document, Legal Text and Schedules sent to Workgroup                       | Grahame<br>Neale | 30 July 2021 -<br>Completed  |
| Updated Workgroup Consultation sent to Workgroup   | Paul Mullen      | 30 July 2021 -<br>Completed  |
| Showstopper comments on Product Document, Legal Text, Schedules and Workgroup Consultation | Workgroup        | 5 August 2021 -<br>Completed |

For further information, please contact Paul Mullen.