Headline Report

Meeting Name:	CUSC Modifications Panel Meeting
Meeting No:	181
Date of Meeting:	18 December 2015
Venue:	National Grid House, Warwick

All presentations given at this Modifications Panel meeting can be found in the Modifications Panel area on the National Grid website¹

This note sets out the headlines and key decisions of the most recent meeting of the CUSC Modifications Panel under the CUSC constitution. Full minutes of the meeting will be produced and approved at the next meeting of the Panel and will then be published on the website.

1) Minutes of Previous Meeting

The minutes from the meeting held on 27 November 2015 were approved subject to changes and will be available on the National Grid website shortly.

2) New CUSC Modification Proposals

CMP258 'Rewording of the legal text to align the CUSC with the intentions of CMP235/6'

CMP258 has been proposed by National Grid Electricity Transmission plc and seeks to amend the current CUSC legal text so that the full intention of previously implemented CMP235/6 can be achieved. The CUSC Panel agreed that CMP258 should be classed as Self-Governance and should be sent directly to Code Administrator Consultation.

3) CUSC Modifications Panel Recommendation Vote

CMP242 'Charging arrangements for interlinked offshore transmission solutions connecting to a single onshore substation'

CMP242 was raised by National Grid Electricity Transmission plc and aims to ensure that there are appropriate charging arrangements for offshore transmission network where two offshore substations, connected to the same onshore substation, have a transmission connection (interlink) between them onshore.

The Panel voted on CMP242 Original and two WACMs against the Applicable CUSC Objectives. The Panel unanimously agreed that all options proposed under CMP242 better facilitate the CUSC Objectives than the Baseline, however agreed by majority that WACM1 was the best option and therefore should be implemented.

4) Authority Decisions

There have been no Authority decisions this month.

5) Next Meeting

The next standard CUSC Panel meeting will take place on **29th January 2016** at National Grid House, Warwick. There will be a special CUSC Panel meeting to discuss the CMP254 Workgroup Report on **18th January 2016**.

¹ <u>http://www2.nationalgrid.com/UK/Industry-information/Electricity-codes/CUSC/Panel-information/Panel-meeting-dates-and-documents-2015/</u>