### Joint European Stakeholder Group

### **Headline Report**

Meeting number: Meeting 64

**Date of meeting:** Tuesday 8 February 2022

Location: MS Teams

This note sets out the headlines from the latest meeting of the Joint European Stakeholder Group (JESG) and is provided in addition to the presentations from the meeting which are available within the Codes Calendar on the Electricity System Operator website. The material in the presentation is not duplicated in this report.

If you have any queries in relation to the content of this report, please email the JESG Technical Secretary Andrew Hemus at <a href="mailto:box.europeancodes.electricity@nationalgrideso.com">box.europeancodes.electricity@nationalgrideso.com</a>

### **Industry Updates**

# Cross Border Balancing Stakeholder engagement plan provided by Camille Gilsenan and Alex Markham, NGESO

Camille Gilsenan and Alex Markham provided an update on Cross-Border Balancing Stakeholder engagement <u>details available on the slides</u>.

**Action:** 2-1 Update JESG in March or April on the timelines, discuss thinking, interim recommendations and how NGESO is engaging with industry.

**Action:** 2-2 Circulate the questions from slide 9 in JESG weekly update.

## Day Ahead Capacity Calculation Update provided by Osaaf Syed and Chris Parsons, NGESO

Osaaf Syed and Chris Parsons provided an update on the Day Ahead Capacity Calculation details available on the slides.

**Action:** 2-3 Share stakeholder engagement plan for interest and to engage with wider industry at a later more appropriate date.

### CEP Article 6(4) Consultation walk through provided by Joseph Henry, NGESO

Joseph Henry provided a CEP Article 6(4) Consultation walk through and reminded people the consultation is now open until the 7 March 2022 details available on the slides.

https://www.nationalgrideso.com/calendar/gb-pricing-proposal-consultation

**Action:** 2-4 Arrange a drop in CEP Article 6(4) Consultation webinar prior to the consultation closing and to publicise via the JESG weekly update.

#### **AOB**

Helen Stack – Asked a question on recoupling with the EU. NGESO stated there is no information to share at this time but will update JESG when there is.

Josh Logan – Raised a recently published open letter from ACER with regards to remit data.

The letter can be read here: <a href="https://documents.acer-remit.eu/wp-content/uploads/Updated-Open-Letter-on-extension-of-possibility.pdf">https://documents.acer-remit.eu/wp-content/uploads/Updated-Open-Letter-on-extension-of-possibility.pdf</a>

Ofgem have provided this response:

There have been no changes in the GB framework for IIPs since the end of Transition Period – which can be found here. On IIPs, it says:

"Ofgem strongly encourages the use of appropriate Inside Information Platforms (IIPs) for the effective publication of inside information relating to the GB wholesale energy market. We currently consider these to be the Balancing Mechanism Reporting Service (BMRS) operated by Elexon for electricity, and National Grid's GB REMIT Central Collection and Publication Service for gas.

MPs considering using other IIPs for the publication of inside information relating to the GB wholesale energy market should consider whether those platforms will ensure that the inside information is as widely received by other relevant MPs operating in the GB market as that provided by the BMRS or the service operated by National Grid."

Ofgem also confirmed that for any exceptional reason, BMRS or National Grid's gas platform are temporarily unavailable, the next best alternative should be used, until these platforms resume

### Next Meeting and Future Agenda Items

The next JESG meeting will be **8 March 2022** starting at 10am.

Stakeholders are invited to submit agenda items and presentation material for this meeting by **25 February 2022** or any future meetings to the Technical Secretary by emailing: box.europeancodes.electricity@nationalgrideso.com.

## **Action Log**

The Technical Secretary noted the JESG Standing Actions and updates on current actions.

Sta	Standing Actions			
ID	Topic	Lead Party	Status	Source
S1	Continue to review the membership of the JESG and engage additional industry parties where appropriate.	JESG Chair	Standing Item	JESG S3
S2	Prepare a commentary / comparison document between the Network Code and the existing GB arrangements at appropriate stages in the Code development for each Network Code.	NGESO / Ofgem / BEIS	Standing Item	JESG S1
S3	Share any intelligence about how other member states are approaching demonstrating compliance through information gained from other government departments, regulators or parent companies.	BEIS / Ofgem / Industry parties with European parent companies	Standing Item	ECCAF 3/2

New 8	New & Open Actions				
ID	Topic	Lead Party	Status	Update	
2-1	Cross Border Balancing Stakeholder engagement plan - Update JESG in March or April on the timelines, discuss thinking, interim recommendations and how NGESO is engaging with industry.	Camille Gilsenan and Alex Markham (NGESO)	New		
2-2	Cross Border Balancing Stakeholder engagement plan - Circulate the questions from slide 9 in JESG weekly update.	Camille Gilsenan and Alex Markham (NGESO)	New		
2-3	Day Ahead Capacity Calculation Update - Share stakeholder engagement plan for interest and to engage with wider industry at a later more appropriate date.	,	New		
2-4	CEP Article 6(4) Consultation walk through - Arrange a drop in CEP Article 6(4) Consultation webinar prior to the consultation closing and to publicise via the JESG weekly update.	Joseph Henry (NGESO)	New		

Recer	Recently Closed Actions				
ID	Topic	Lead Party	Status	Update	
11-1	NGESO to create list of work being done to account for the exit from Europe.	NGESO	Closed	Document been circulated in the JESG Weekly during January.	
12-2	CEP Article 6(4) update - Walk JESG through consultation when open in Q1 2022	NGESO	Closed	Update given during JESG February.	
12-3	NGESO TCA Update on Cross-Border Balancing Technical Procedure - update JESG with industry engagement plan and the relationship with TERRE and MARI and how they all complement each other.	NGESO	Closed	Update given during JESG February.	

Meeting Attendees			
Name	Company		
Garth Graham	Chair		
Andrew Hemus	JESG Technical Secretary		
Helen Stack	Centrica		
Josh Logan	Drax		
Chris Wood	ELEXON		
Christian Parsons	NGESO		
Claire Huxley	NGESO		
Joseph Henry	NGESO		
Alex Markham	NGESO		
Camille Gilsenan	NGESO		
Osaaf Syed	NGESO		
Catherine Contiguglia	Ofgem		
Kirstin Nazareth	Ofgem		
Luke McCartney	Ofgem		
Graz Macdonald	Water Wye Associates		