Headline Report – 30 June 2022

Grid Code Review Panel

The Grid Code Review Panel Headline Report is produced after every Panel and aims to provide an overview of the key decisions made. Minutes for this meeting will be published separately.

Approval of Panel Minutes

The meeting minutes from the Panel on 26 May 2022 were approved and these will be uploaded to our website.

New Modifications

The following new Modification Proposals were presented to the Panel:

GC0157: Grid Code Housekeeping Modification

This Proposal seeks to make minor corrections in the Grid Code of errors identified from previous implementations. It also presents for information only an amended housekeeping process that will be used by the ESO going forwards.

The Panel will be agreeing by circulation within the next 5 working days (07 June 2022) whether GC0157 should follow the Self-Governance route and proceed to Code Administrator Consultation.

GC0157 documentation can be found here.

New / Pending Authority Decisions

Ofgem provided an update on Modifications that have been decided upon since the last Grid Code Review Panel on 26 May 2022.

Modification	What this seeks to achieve	Decision
GC0138 - Compliance process technical improvements (EU and GB User)	 This Modification seeks to update the existing compliance processes to: Allow for more efficient delivery of a successful and quick turnaround of final site compliance testing, Facilitate developments in generation and HVDC technology while maintaining effectiveness of compliance process Strengthen effectiveness of simulations. 	Decision received on 10 June 2022 approving GC0138 Original Proposal and was implemented on 24 June 2022



Awaiting Decisions

There are no Grid Code Modifications awaiting a decision from Ofgem. However, since 4 May 2021 Ofgem have published a table that provides the expected decision date, or date they intend to publish an impact assessment or consultation, for code modifications/proposals that are with them for decision. This was last updated on 22 June 2022 and is published here.

Prioritisation Stack

The latest prioritisation stack can be found here.

In flight Modifications

The next Modification Tracker will be published on 07 July 2022.

Workgroup Reports

There were no Workgroup Reports presented to the Panel as GC0148 - Implementation of EU Emergency and Restoration Code Phase II was sent back to the Workgroup to allow for further review of the draft legal text.

Draft Final Modification Reports

There were no Draft Final Modification Reports presented to the Panel.

Questions or feedback?

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