

# STCP Amendment Proposal Form

PA065

## **1. Title of Amendment Proposal**

Timescales for providing Transmission Services as defined in the STC

## **2. Description of the Proposed Amendment**

To define the timescales in which an Offshore Transmission Owner (OFTO) will be expected to provide Transmission Services, in particular,

- the availability of the OFTO to provide services and;
- the maximum time in which an OFTO can be expected to deliver the services

defined in STCP1-1.

## **3. Description of Issue or Defect that Proposed Amendment seeks to Address**

*(mandatory field)*

Section C of the STC obliges TOs to provide NGET with Transmission Services which will enable NGET to configure and direct flows through the NETS. The services and processes for delivery are defined in the STCPs. However, for some of the operational services, the STCPs do not state explicitly how these services will be delivered by the TO, in particular,

- to ensure safe and effective operation of the National Electricity Transmission System,
- communications and;
- operational actions needed.

The purpose of this amendment is to avoid any misunderstanding between the SO and TO in regard to the provision of Transmission Services.

## **4. Impact on the STC**

The STC obliges TOs to provide the Transmission Services but is silent on timescales. The intention of this proposal is to amend STCP1-1 and leave the STC unchanged.

## **5. Impact on other frameworks e.g. CUSC, BSC**

None

## **6. Impact on Core Industry Documentation**

## **7. Impact on Computer Systems and Processes used by STC Parties**

None

## **8. Details of any Related Modifications to Other Industry Codes**

None

**9. Justification for Proposed Amendment with Reference to Applicable STC Objectives**

STC Objectives

- a) efficient discharge of the obligations imposed upon transmission licensees by transmission licences and the Act;
- b) development, maintenance and operation of an efficient, economical and co-ordinated system of electricity transmission;
- c) protection of the security and quality of supply and safe operation of the national electricity transmission system insofar as it related to interactions between transmission licensees;
- d) promotion of good industry practice and efficiency in the implementation and administration of the arrangements described in the STC; and

<b>Details of Proposer</b> Organisation's Name	Brian Taylor National Grid
Capacity in which the Amendment is being proposed (i.e. STC Party or other Party as designated by the Authority pursuant to STC section B7.2.2.1 (b))	STC Party
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<b>Attachments (Yes/No): Yes</b>	
 Operational expectations on OF..	

**Notes:**

1. Those wishing to propose an Amendment to the STC should do so by filling in this "Amendment Proposal Form" that is based on the provisions contained in Section 7.2 of the STC.
2. The Committee Secretary will check that the form has been completed, in accordance with the requirements of the STC, prior to submitting it to the Committee. If the Committee Secretary accepts the Amendment Proposal form as complete, then she/he will write back to the Proposer informing them of the reference number for the Amendment Proposal and the date on which the Committee will consider the Proposal. If, in the opinion of the Committee Secretary, the form fails to provide the information required in the STC, then he/she may reject the Proposal. The Committee Secretary will inform the Proposer of the rejection and report the matter to the Committee at their

next meeting. The Committee can reverse the Committee Secretary's decision and if this happens the Committee Secretary will inform the Proposer.

The completed form should be returned to:

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National Grid House  
Warwick Technology Park  
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