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SEC Releases Update

1. Purpose

This paper presents an update to the Change Sub-Committee (CSC) on progress relating to upcoming Smart Energy Code (SEC) Releases up to and including the June 2026 SEC Release. There is also an indication of the current risk of individual modifications not being decided upon by the cut-off date for inclusion in the targeted release. A key to the blue/red/amber/green (BRAG) status can be found in Appendix 1.

2. February 2025 SEC Release

The table below summarises the status of the modifications currently in scope of the February 2025 SEC Release on 27 February 2025:

Approved Modifications:

Modification	Latest Update	Status
MP274 'Requirement for DCC Users to set TPS configurations'	Approved for inclusion.	

Targeted Modifications:

Modification	Latest Update	Status
MP277 'Virtual Gateway Connection'	The Modification Report Consultation has now closed. SECAS will present the modification to the Change Board on 26 February 2025 for final vote under Self-Governance. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 26 Feb 2025</i>	
MP280 'CPA Scheme Transition to SSC'	The Modification Report Consultation has now closed. SECAS will present the modification to the Change Board on 26 February 2025 for final vote under Self-Governance. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 26 Feb 2025</i>	

MP274 has been approved for inclusion by the Change Board since the January 2025 CSC meeting.
MP277 has been added to the scope of this Release since the January 2025 CSC meeting.

3. June 2025 SEC Release

The table below summarises the status of the modifications currently in scope of the June 2025 SEC Release on 26 June 2025:

Approved Modifications:

Modification	Latest Update	Status
MP239 'Enduring Solution for Resolving SMETS2 Device Certificate Misalignment Issue'	Approved for inclusion.	
MP246 'DCC User access to metadata via the DCC Self-Service Interface (SSI)'	Approved for inclusion.	

Targeted Modifications:

Modification	Latest Update	Status
MP085B 'Synchronisation of Smart Meter voltage measurement periods (meters currently installed)'	SECAS has identified the number of Devices impacted by the issue. This modification was discussed with the TABASC on 6 February 2025 to gather its view to feed into the Modification Report. SECAS will return to the CSC on 18 February 2025 to request the modification progress to the Report Phase. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 12 Jun 2025</i>	
MP271 'Sub-Committee seats for Other Users, Meter Data Retrievers and Registered Supplier Agents'	On 22 January 2025 the Change Board voted to recommend that the Authority should approve this modification. The modification is currently with the Authority for final determination. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 12 Jun 2025</i>	
DP279 'June 2025 SEC Releases & DUIS Housekeeping Changes'	On 21 January 2025, the Change Sub-Committee agreed MP279 should remain in Development Stage until April 2025 CSC to allow for any further housekeeping errors to be included. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 12 Jun 2025</i>	
DP282 'Removal of Registration Check for Suppliers Using SR8.9 Targeting SMETS2+ CHF'	SECAS is currently presenting this proposal to SEC Sub-Committee Chairs for initial comment before being taken to the Change Sub-Committee on 18 February to request it progress to the Report Phase. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 12 Jun 2025</i>	

Modification	Latest Update	Status
DP283 'Data Breach Reporting'	SECAS is currently presenting this proposal to SEC Sub-Committee Chairs for initial comment before being taken to the Change Sub-Committee on 18 February to request it progress to the Report Phase. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 12 Jun 2025</i>	

DP278 has been removed to the scope of this Release since the January 2025 CSC meeting.

DP282 and DP283 has been added to the scope of this Release since the January 2025 CSC meeting.

4. November 2025 SEC Release

The table below summarises the status of the modifications currently in scope of the November 2025 SEC Release on 6 November 2025:

Targeted Modifications:

Modification	Latest Update	Status
MP252 'Amending the process for Communications Hub returns'	The Modification Report Consultation closes on 18 February 2025. SECAS will present the modification to the Change Board on 26 February 2025 for final vote under Self-Governance. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 26 Feb 2025</i>	
MP268 'Certificate rotation and expired Certificates'	Following discussion at Change Board on Wednesday 22 January 2025, this modification has been sent back to Change Sub-Committee as there has been an amendment to the Proposed Solution, which will exclude any DCC System changes. SECAS will present the updated Proposed Solution to the CSC in March 2025. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 22 Oct 2025</i>	

There have been no changes to the scope of this Release since the November 2024 CSC meeting.

5. February 2026 SEC Release

There are currently no modifications targeted for the February 2026 SEC Release.

6. June 2026 SEC Release

The table below summarises the status of the modifications currently in scope of the June 2026 SEC Release on 25 June 2026:

Modification	Latest Update	Status
MP169 'Managing SEC Obligations and the Consumer's Right to refuse a Smart Meter'	SECAS is developing the Legal Text and cross-code changes associated with this modification before returning to the Change Sub-Committee in March 2025. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 25 Jun 2025</i>	
MP205 'Updating terminology to align with the NCSC'	The DCC Preliminary Assessment was returned and discussed at the SEC Working Group on 6 November 2024. Following Working Group feedback, SECAS are looking at options before determining next steps. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 25 Jun 2025</i>	
MP235 'Enhanced Meter Data Access for Other Users'	SECAS will present this modification to the Privacy Sub-Committee in February 2025 to discuss how Export Data should be classified before the Refinement Consultation opens. <i>Estimated cut-off date for inclusion: 25 Mar 2026</i>	

There have been no changes to the scope of this Release since the December 2024 CSC meeting.

The CSC will baseline the June 2026 SEC Release at the June 2025 CSC meeting.

MP244 and MP247 have been removed from the scope of this Release since the December 2024 CSC meeting, due to DSP re-procurement and the inability to request DCC Impact Assessments for the new DSP at this time.

Releases from June 2026 SEC Release and onwards may be impacted by DSP re-procurement.

7. Ad hoc releases

There are currently four modifications targeted for an Ad hoc release (pending approval), as stated below:

Modification	Latest Update	Estimated Implementation
MP275 'Communications Hubs Fixed Charges'	On 10 January 2025, the Change Board recommended the Authority approve the modification. SECAS is awaiting the Authority Decision. If approved, the modification will be implemented one Working Day following receipt of approval, as an ad hoc SEC Release.	February 2025
DP284 'Extension of life to FOC S1SPKI End Entity Certificates'	SECAS is currently presenting this proposal to SEC Sub-Committee Chairs for initial comment before being taken to the Change Sub-Committee on 18 February to request it progress to the Report Phase.	March 2025
MP273 'User Demand and Network Traffic Insights'	SECAS and the DCC are currently developing the Legal Text before issuing the Refinement Consultation.	May 2025

Modification	Latest Update	Estimated Implementation
MP219 'Access Consumption Data on behalf of SEC Parties'	This modification was approved by the Change Board via an Ad hoc meeting on 2 July 2024. On 29 November 2024, the Authority sent MP219 back to SECAS to make amendments to the Legal Text and Privacy Controls Framework. The Privacy Sub-Committee agreed to the Legal Text and Privacy Controls Framework changes which had been amended following the Ofgem Send Back. SECAS will present this modification to the Change Sub-Committee on 18 February 2025 to determine whether it should enter the Report Phase.	May 2025
MP241 'Interoperability Checker Update'	Following feedback at the January 2025 Working Group, this modification will be presented to the Change Sub-Committee on 25 March 2025 to re-enter the Report Phase.	September 2025

8. Recommendations

The CSC is requested to **NOTE** the updates on the SEC Releases referenced in this document, and **RE-BASELINE** the June 2025 SEC Release.

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Appendix 1: BRAG status key

The following framework is used to apply BRAG statuses to modifications in this report indicating the risk that they will miss their intended release date. Where exceptions are made to this framework this will be clearly indicated in the associated commentary.

Status	Justification
Red	The targeted release date allows for no extension to the modification timeline or allows for delay only if subsequent steps are expedited.
Amber	The targeted release date allows for an extension to the modification timeline of up to two months.
Green	The targeted release date allows for an extension to the modification timeline of over two months.
Blue	The modification has been approved for implementation.
	This modification is DCC Total System impacting.
	This modification is not DCC Total System impacting, however these changes will require amendments to DCC reporting systems, SharePoint, business processes etc.