



Smart Energy Code

Modification Report Consultation Responses: SECMP0020 ‘Removal of the confidential classification of the unique identifiers listed in SEC Schedule 5’

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This document contains the detailed responses for the SECMP0020 Modification Report Consultation.

A summary of the responses is contained within section 6 of the SECMP0020 Final Modification Report.

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1. Views of Large Suppliers

Summary of Large Supplier views against the SEC Objectives	
General SEC Objective	Proposed
a) To facilitate the efficient provision, installation, and operation, as well as interoperability, of Smart Metering Systems at Energy Consumers' premises within Great Britain.	1 Party
b) To enable the DCC to comply at all times with the General Objectives of the DCC and to efficiently discharge the other obligations imposed upon it by the DCC Licence.	N/A
c) To facilitate Energy Consumers' management of their use of electricity and gas through the provision to them of appropriate information by means of Smart Metering Systems.	N/A
d) To facilitate effective competition between persons engaged in, or in Commercial Activities connected with, the Supply of Energy.	N/A
e) To facilitate such innovation in the design and operation of Energy Networks (as defined in the DCC Licence) as will best contribute to the delivery of a secure and sustainable Supply of Energy.	N/A
f) To ensure the protection of Data and the security of Data and Systems in the operation of this Code	N/A
g) To facilitate the efficient and transparent administration and implementation of this Code.	✓ All

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Large Supplier Modification Report Consultation Responses - Proposed Modification Solution

SEC Voting Group Name and represented SEC Parties	Response	
	Approve?	Rationale
E. ON	Yes	E.ON believe this modification facilitates SEC objectives a) and g).
EDF Energy - Seeboard Energy Ltd - Seeboard Energy Gas Ltd	Yes	EDF Energy agree with the proposer's view that General SEC objective (g) is better facilitated by SECMP0020. Although we are not clear on the specific circumstances where it might be required, this Modification Proposal will enable SEC Parties to more easily map unique identifier information to SEC Party ID information should this be required. We can see no reason for the identifiers to continue to be marked as 'confidential' as is the case in the current legal text.
SSE - SSE Energy Supply Ltd - Southern Electric Gas Ltd - South Wales Electricity Ltd	Yes	SSE agree that SECMP0020 facilitates: General SEC Objectives (Section C1.1) (g) the seventh General SEC Objective is to facilitate the efficient and transparent administration and implementation of this Code."
Npower	Yes	Npower agree with the proposer that it will facilitate the efficient and transparent administration and implementation of this Code and improve the overall data quality of information the industry will have.

2. Views of Small Suppliers

No responses were received from Small Suppliers for this Modification Report Consultation.

3. Views of Networks

Summary of Network views against the SEC Objectives	
General SEC Objective	Proposed
a) To facilitate the efficient provision, installation, and operation, as well as interoperability, of Smart Metering Systems at Energy Consumers' premises within Great Britain.	N/A
b) To enable the DCC to comply at all times with the General Objectives of the DCC and to efficiently discharge the other obligations imposed upon it by the DCC Licence.	N/A
c) To facilitate Energy Consumers' management of their use of electricity and gas through the provision to them of appropriate information by means of Smart Metering Systems.	N/A
d) To facilitate effective competition between persons engaged in, or in Commercial Activities connected with, the Supply of Energy.	N/A
e) To facilitate such innovation in the design and operation of Energy Networks (as defined in the DCC Licence) as will best contribute to the delivery of a secure and sustainable Supply of Energy.	N/A
f) To ensure the protection of Data and the security of Data and Systems in the operation of this Code	N/A
g) To facilitate the efficient and transparent administration and implementation of this Code.	✓ All

Network Modification Report Consultation Responses - Proposed Modification Solution

SEC Voting Group Name and represented SEC Parties	Response	
	Approve?	Rationale
Northern Powergrid: - Northern Powergrid (Yorkshire) plc - Northern Powergrid (Northeast) Ltd	Yes	Northern Powergrid agree with the proposer that SEC 7th general objective (g) is better facilitated by the proposal.
Western Power Distribution (Electricity Network) - Western Power Distribution (South West) PLC - Western Power Distribution (South Wales) PLC - Western Power Distribution (West Midlands) PLC - Western Power Distribution (East Midlands) PLC	Yes	WPD agree with the proposer's views that General SEC objective (g) is better facilitated by SECMP0020 because greater efficiency and transparency will be achieved if the confidentiality restriction is lifted so that authorised users of the SEC Website can quickly and efficiently access the MPIDs of SEC Parties.
Scottish and Southern Electricity Networks: - Scottish Hydro Electric Power Distribution plc - Southern Electric Power Distribution plc	Yes	SSE are in agreement with the proposer that this Modification Proposal will enable SEC Parties to efficiently map unique identifier information to SEC Parties. SECMP0020 will aid SEC Parties to gain efficiency by enabling quicker identification of SEC Parties and organisations by having the MPID provided within the ID Allocation Procedure excel spreadsheet.
National Grid Gas Distribution Ltd	Yes	No Comment

4. Views of Other SEC Parties

Summary of Other SEC Parties views against the SEC Objectives	
General SEC Objective	Proposed
a) To facilitate the efficient provision, installation, and operation, as well as interoperability, of Smart Metering Systems at Energy Consumers' premises within Great Britain.	N/A
b) To enable the DCC to comply at all times with the General Objectives of the DCC and to efficiently discharge the other obligations imposed upon it by the DCC Licence.	N/A
c) To facilitate Energy Consumers' management of their use of electricity and gas through the provision to them of appropriate information by means of Smart Metering Systems.	N/A
d) To facilitate effective competition between persons engaged in, or in Commercial Activities connected with, the Supply of Energy.	N/A
e) To facilitate such innovation in the design and operation of Energy Networks (as defined in the DCC Licence) as will best contribute to the delivery of a secure and sustainable Supply of Energy.	N/A
f) To ensure the protection of Data and the security of Data and Systems in the operation of this Code	N/A
g) To facilitate the efficient and transparent administration and implementation of this Code.	✓ All

Other SEC Parties Modification Report Consultation Responses - Proposed Modification		
SEC Voting Group Name and represented SEC Parties	Response	
	Approve?	Rationale
Wheatley Associates Ltd		No Interest
Utility Funding Limited	Yes	Utility funding note the implementation of this Modification will greatly assist with the efficient provision, installation and operation of Smart Metering by removing the unnecessary confidentiality relating to MPIDs.