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SEC Change Update Report – June 2025

1. Purpose

This document provides an update on the progress of Smart Energy Code (SEC) Modifications and the recent and upcoming decisions of the Change Sub-Committee (CSC) under delegated authority from the Panel.

The Data Communications Company's (DCC's) performance report on Preliminary Assessments and Impact Assessments is included as Appendix A to this report. A SEC Releases update is included as Appendix B.

2. Recommendations

The Panel is requested to **NOTE** the contents of this report.

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15 July 2025

Attachments:

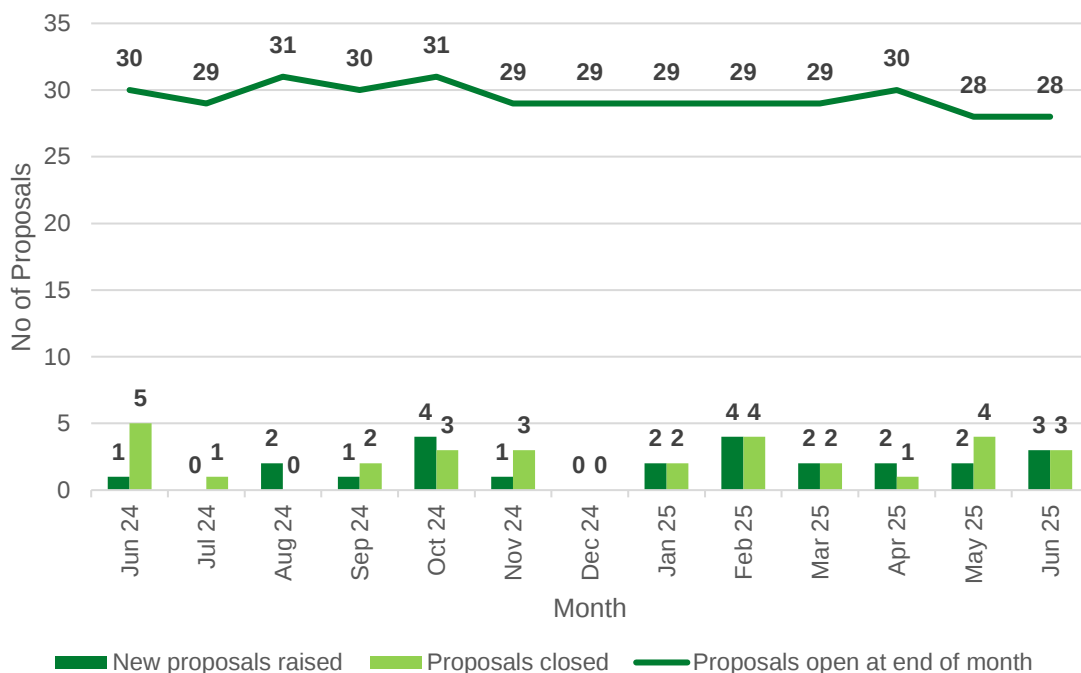
- **Appendix A:** DCC Assessments Performance Report (**CLEAR**)
- **Appendix B:** SEC Releases Update (**CLEAR**)

1. Overview

Number of proposals in each stage of the modification framework



Volume of proposals going through the modification framework



2. Modification updates and points to note

Modification	Priority	Update
MP169 'Managing SEC Obligations and the Consumers right to refuse a Smart Meter'	HIGH	The DCC Impact Assessments have been returned and an alternative Sec Agreed Procedure has been drafted and presented to the Working Group. The Working Group requested further development before a consultation is issued.
DP218 'Review of the SEC Charging Methodology'	HIGH	The DCC Consultation closed on 3 February 2025. The DCC will publish a consultation summary and their response, after which SECAS and DCC will determine the next steps. This has been delayed.

3. Points to Note

MP241 'Interoperability Checker Update'

On 26 June 2025 the Change Board voted, by split decision, to reject MP241. On 9 July 2025 the Proposer (the DCC) submitted a request to refer the decision to the SEC Panel. This will be presented to the August SEC Panel meeting.

DCC DSP2

SECAS has now begun requesting Assessments against the DSP2. We are working with the DCC to ensure that the highest priority modifications are progressed through the process first.

4. Change Sub-Committee decisions – June 2025

Modifications moving to Report Phase

MP288 'Erroneous Section J Default Notices'

MP290 'Incorporation of Category 3 Issue Resolution Proposal into the SEC – Batch 11 and GBCS Changes'

DP295 'Amendment to SMETS1 Cache Solution'

Modifications moving to Refinement Process

DP293 'Deferment of DCC Planned Maintenance during Adverse Weather'

DP294 'Review of DCC Maintenance Activities and Temporary Additional Allowance'

5. Change Board decisions – June 2025

Change Board – Approved

MP268 'Certificate rotation and expired Certificates'

Change Board – Rejected

MP241 'Interoperability Checker Update'

Authority determined Modifications - Approved

MP292 'DSP DBT Finance Facility'

Withdrawn proposals

There have been no Modification Proposals withdrawn since the last Panel meeting.

6. SEC Releases and Designations

SEC versions issued

SEC v115.0 was implemented on 26 June 2025 to implement changes to the SEC resulting from the June 2025 SEC Release.

SEC v116.0 was implemented on 1 July 25 to implement 'changes as a result of MP292 'DSP DBT Finance Facility'.

Upcoming Designations

SECAS are currently not expecting any Designations in July 2025.

7. Cross-Code working

Code Administration Code of Practice (CACoP) Forum update

The next CACoP meeting will be held in June 2025, however no date has been set yet.

Cross Code Steering Group (CCSG) update

The CCSG last met 2 June 2025. There were no new changes identified as impacting the SEC.