Highlights of the Code Administrator Code of Practice (CACoP) Forum

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Meeting summary

At every meeting, CACoP share industry updates. These updates are individual Code developments which have cross code impacts for consideration and discussion by all Code Administrators with the intention that these are highlighted to you.

Alongside this, the following points were discussed:

* The Central Modification Register (CMR) contains all Live modifications across all Codes. All new additions to the CMR since January 2019 were discussed to review and record any cross-code impacts. The Code Administrator for the impacted Code will notify you of any considerations or next steps. The CRM is available [here](https://smartenergycodecompany.co.uk/download/5380/).
* A line by line review was completed of the ‘Horizon Scan’. The Horizon Scan is a forward view from now until 2025 and beyond of industry change, designed to highlight the changing horizon and cross code impacts to you. The Horizon Scan is going to be reviewed and updated by all Code Administrators. When the latest version is available this will be communicated to you, so you know where to find it.
* Ofgem provided an update regarding the Code Review. Ofgem reported that an industry wide consultation would be issued in 2019 to seek views on options for reviewing the Codes, their content and the strategic direction of code governance.
* Ofgem discussed their views on the purpose of CACoP stating that breaking down the fragmented nature of different arrangements across Codes, creating co-ordination and increasing cross code working are the desires for CACoP in the current framework.
* CACoP approved the 2019 Forward Plan including
	+ Increased engagement with the industry, with quarterly newsletters and a face to face event – watch this space for more information!
	+ Each code to self-audit against the 14 CACoP principles to share best practices and align the modification process across Codes, making life easy and consistent for you!
	+ Reviewing the annual survey results when they are out later in the year. This will allow us to respond to direct feedback from you.

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