



# Smart Energy Code

## Change Board vote outcome: SECMP0011 'Including the MAP ID in the Smart Metering Inventory'

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This document contains the detailed views of each Change Board Member against SECMP0011. The views are grouped by Party Category.

A summary of the vote is contained within section 8 of the SECMP0011 Final Modification Report.

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## 1. Views of Large Supplier Members

The Large Supplier Party Category members by a majority voted to reject SECMP0011. One Large Supplier voted to approve SECMP0011. The views of all members are detailed below.

Large Supplier Change Board Members' views		
Member	Approve	SEC Objective and Rationale
Scottish Power	Yes	<p>The larger Supplier voted to approve SECMP0011 on the basis that the modification better facilitates SEC Objective (a) in relation to efficient provision of smart metering.</p> <p>The Large Supplier Member commented that while the issue does sit elsewhere under other codes, SECMP0011 is the only modification that has been brought forward and progressed to address the issue, and</p>
British Gas	No	<p>The Large Supplier Member did not believe that SEC Objective (b) is better facilitated by the Modification Proposal.</p> <p>The provided views that the information is available through other mechanisms such as the D0150 'Non Half-hourly Meter Technical Details' flow.</p> <p>They also provided a view that the resolution of this matter is best dealt with via the Ofgem Faster Switching Programme and the Centralised Registration Service (CRS)</p>
Co-op Energy		<p>The Large Supplier Member provided a view that the modification was detrimental to SEC Objective (a), that the costs not justified and there were no benefits to customers arising from the changes.</p> <p>The Large Supplier Member also provided the view that this matter is better resolved via the CRS.</p>
EDF Energy		<p>The Large Supplier Member provided the view that no SEC Objectives were better facilitated by SECMP0011.</p> <p>The Member commented that the information was available elsewhere, and that the matter would be better resolved via the Ofgem Faster Switching programme and the CRS.</p> <p>The Member also commented that despite the potential synergies that were expected with SECMP0004, due to the modification impact the same system functionality and Service Requests, the synergy benefits were very minor.</p>
E.ON		<p>The Large Supplier Member commented that they believed the modification was detrimental to SEC Objectives (a) and (d). The change would result in duplication of information elsewhere and that the intent of the change would be better resolved through appropriate changes to the Gas registration systems and processes.</p>
First Utility		<p>The Large Supplier Member commented that they believed the modification was detrimental to SEC Objective (a).</p>
Npower	<p>The large Supplier Member did not believe the SEC Objectives (particularly (a) and (d)) were better facilitated by the SECMP0011.</p>	

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Large Supplier Change Board Members' views		
Member	Approve	SEC Objective and Rationale
		The Member provided views that the matter would be better facilitated under other industry code changes, in line with similar views to the British Gas Large Supplier Change Board Member.
Ovo Energy		The Large Supplier Member provided a view that they agreed with the reasons already provided in relation to the Modification not better facilitated the SEC Objectives (particularly SEC Objective (a)). They also commented that the information was available elsewhere via the D0150 flow.
SSE		The Large Supplier Member provided the view that they believe the Modification Proposal is detrimental to SEC Objectives (a) and (d). The Modification also duplicates existing processes and that the matter is better resolve through the Ofgem Faster Switching Programme and the CRS.
Utilita		The Large Supplier Member did not identify any benefits against the SEC Objectives and believed the matter is better resolved through the Faster Switching Programme.

## 2. Views of Small Supplier Members

The Small Supplier Party Category unanimously voted to reject SECMP0011. Their views are below.

Small Supplier Change Board Members' views		
Member	Approve	SEC Objective and Rationale
Flow Energy	No	The large Supplier member provided the view that the Modification Proposal was detrimental against SEC Objectives (a) and (d) for similar reasons expressed by other Change Board Members.
Utiligroup		The Small Supplier member did not identify any benefits against the SEC Objectives and commented that Meter Asset Providers would benefit from a change that they do not have to pay the cost of.

### 3. Views of Network Party Members

The Network Party Category Members voted to reject SECMP0011. Two Network Parties abstained from voting. The views of all members are detailed below. Their views are below.

Network Change Board Members' views		
Member	Approve	SEC Objective and Rationale
National Grid	No	The change Board Member did not believe the SEC Objectives were better facilitated. the information is available elsewhere and should be dealt with via other mechanisms such as the Faster Switching Programme. They did not believe the end customer would benefit from the change.
Northern Power SSE Networks	Abstain	The Network Members that abstained did not have a view on the modification beyond that the information is available elsewhere.

### 4. Views of Other SEC Party Members

The Other SEC Party Category Members category voted to approve SECMP0011. Two Other SEC Party Members abstained from voting. The views of all members are detailed below

Other SEC Party Change Board Members' views		
Member	Approve	SEC Objective and Rationale
Landis and Gyr	Yes	The member believed it was more efficient per SEC Objective (a) to have the information centrally and to deliver it alongside a similar change in the form of SECMP0004.
Chameleon Technology Prescience	Abstain	The two Members were not affected by the change and therefore provided no views

### 5. Views of Consumer Member

The Consumer member did not attend.

SEC Objectives
<b>General SEC Objectives (SEC Section C1.1)</b>
(a) the first General SEC Objective is to facilitate the efficient provision, installation, and operation, as well as interoperability, of Smart Metering Systems at Energy Consumers' premises within Great Britain;
(b) the second General SEC Objective is to enable the DCC to comply at all times with the General Objectives of the DCC (as defined in the DCC Licence), and to efficiently discharge the other obligations imposed upon it by the DCC Licence;
(c) the third General SEC Objective is 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;
(d) the fourth General SEC Objective is to facilitate effective competition between persons engaged in, or in Commercial Activities connected with, the Supply of Energy;
(e) the fifth General SEC Objective is 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;
(f) the sixth General SEC Objective is to ensure the protection of Data and the security of Data and Systems in the operation of this Code;
(g) the seventh General SEC Objective is to facilitate the efficient and transparent administration and implementation of this Code.
(h) the eighth General SEC Objective is to facilitate the establishment and operation of the Alt HAN Arrangements.