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Technical Architecture and Business Architecture Sub-Committee (TABASC) Meeting Headlines on 6 February 2020

At each meeting, the TABASC receives updates from the DCC, BEIS and other Sub-Committees on matters of relevance to the TABASC. The TABASC also reviews the actions outstanding (TABASC_50_0602_02), and its Risk Register and Issues Log (TABASC_50_0602_10) monthly to ensure these are up to date.

Alongside these items, the following items were discussed:

- The TABASC noted the DCC's update on activities to mitigate the risk of Communications Hubs potentially not reaching the end of their commercial life due to lack of supporting 2G services, and their plans on next generation Test Automation. (TABASC_50_0602_02 & TABASC_50_0602_03)
- The DCC provided the TABASC with an update on [SECMP0067 'Service Request Traffic Management'](#) where the TABASC provided technical feedback on the solution. (TABASC_50_0602_04)
- SECAS and the DCC provided the TABASC with an assessment of options for minimising Alerts lost during DCC Scheduled Maintenance, where it was determined that further work is required by the DCC to understand the current reliability of the HAN communications to ascertain whether resolving the EUK problem as stated, would deliver the intended benefits. (TABASC_50_0602_05)
- The TABASC agreed to undertake the project to review smart export requirements with the DCC and relevant stakeholders to understand the interactions of the Import Supplier and Export Supplier User Roles as well as current export obligations within the SEC. (TABASC_50_0602_07)
- The TABASC noted SECAS' update on the progress which has been made on the design positions for Market-Wide Half Hourly Settlements (MWHHS) and the potential implications on the SEC. (TABASC_50_0602_08)
- The TABASC noted SECAS' update on the new Draft Proposal's and Modification Proposals raised since the December meeting. (TABASC_50_0602_13).
- The TABASC requested a further discussion to agree the implementation of the list of 20 Non DCC System impacting Issue Resolution Proposals (IRPs) included in [DP098 'Incorporation of multiple Issue Resolution Proposals into the SEC - Batch 3'](#). (TABASC_50_0602_14).
- The TABASC noted the lookback report against the Q3 (October – December 2019) Work Package, which confirmed the SECAS resource utilised and actual spend for the quarter were aligned with those forecasted.

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