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# MP133 ‘Consequential changes to SEC Section G’

## Conclusions Report – version 1.0

### About this document

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This document summarises the responses received to the Modification Report Consultation and the decision of the Change Board regarding approval or rejection of this modification.

### Summary of conclusions

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#### Change Board

The Change Board voted to **approve** MP133. It unanimously believed the modification better facilitated SEC Objective (g)<sup>1</sup> and a minority believed it better facilitated SEC Objective (f)<sup>2</sup>.

#### Modification Report Consultation

Four responses were received to the Modification Report Consultation. They all believed the modification should be approved. They considered the modification better facilitated Smart Energy Code (SEC) Objectives (g) and (f).

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<sup>1</sup> To facilitate the efficient and transparent administration and implementation of the SEC.

<sup>2</sup> To ensure the protection of data and the security of data and systems in the operation of the SEC.

## Modification Report Consultation responses

### Summary of responses

The four responses came from two Large Suppliers and two Network Parties, who all believed that the Modification Proposal should be approved. All of the consultation respondents believed the solution better facilitated SEC Objective (g) by ensuring that the obligations for Export Suppliers and Registered Supplier Agents (RSAs) would be set out clearly in the SEC. One respondent believed that SEC Objective (f) would be improved by ensuring the Export Suppliers and RSAs remain compliant with security obligations.

### Changes during the consultation

During the Modification Report Consultation, the Security Sub-Committee (SSC) agreed to a revised rewording of the legal text which was suggested by the Department of Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS). The revised change would add references to the specific 'Shared Resources' requirements in Sections G5.25 and G5.26 only to SEC Section G1.7, rather than the whole of Sections G5.25-G5.28, but the intent of the solution was not changed. This change was carried out due to Section G5.27 including details about critical commands which do not apply to Export Suppliers and RSAs and because Section G5.28's inclusion could cause unintended consequences. The Proposer has confirmed they are content with this change. These changes have been reflected in the legal text attached to the Modification Report.

## Change Board vote

### Change Board vote

The Change Board voted to **approve** MP133 under Self-Governance.

The vote breakdown is summarised below:

Change Board vote				
Party Category	Approve	Reject	Abstain	Outcome
Large Suppliers	6	0	0	Approve
Small Suppliers	2	0	0	Approve
Network Parties	2	0	0	Approve
Other SEC Parties	2	0	0	Approve
Consumer Representative	0	0	0	-
Overall outcome:				<b>APPROVE</b>

The Consumer Representative was absent for the vote.

## Views against the General SEC Objectives

### Objective (g)<sup>3</sup>

The Change Board unanimously believed that MP133 better facilitated SEC Objective (g) due to aligning the SEC to the technical requirements of a solution to a previous Modification Proposal and ensuring the two are identical.

### Objective (f)<sup>4</sup>

A minority of the Change Board believed that MP133 better facilitated SEC Objective (f) by ensuring the Export Suppliers and RSAs remain compliant with security obligations

## Change Board discussions

SECAS confirmed that the legal text had been altered in line with a suggestion by BEIS and the change was agreed by both the SSC and the Proposer. The Change Board members noted this before proceeding to the vote.

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