

## Appendix 1

# THE NORTHERN IRELAND AUTHORITY FOR UTILITY REGULATION NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 14(2) OF THE ELECTRICITY (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1992

## MODIFICATIONS PROPOSED TO THE ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION LICENCE HELD BY NORTHERN IRELAND ELECTRICITY NETWORKS

The Northern Ireland Authority for Utility Regulation ("the Authority") proposes to modify the conditions of a licence in exercise of its powers under Article 14(1) of the Electricity (Northern Ireland) Order 1992 (the "Order"),

In accordance with Article 14(2) of the Order the Authority gives notice as follows:

1. The Authority proposes to make modifications to the Electricity Distribution licence ("the Licence") held by Northern Ireland Electricity Networks (Distribution) Limited ("the Licensee").
2. The proposed modifications are to the conditions of the Licence as set out in section 3.7 of the Notice and Consultation on Energy Theft Codes of Practice Licence Modifications Paper.
3. Details of the proposed modifications are set out in section 3.6 of the Notice and Consultation on Energy Theft Codes of Practice Licence Modifications Paper and at the end of this notice.
4. The reasons for the proposed licence modifications are set out in sections 3.12 – 3.14 of the Notice and Consultation on Energy Theft Codes of Practice Licence Modifications Paper.
5. The effects of the proposed licence modifications are set out in sections 3.15 – 3.21 of the Notice and Consultation on Energy Theft Codes of Practice Licence Modifications Paper.
6. Representations with respect to the proposed modifications may be made on or before 5pm on Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2018 by writing to or e-mailing:

Richard Hume  
Utility Regulator  
Queens House  
14 Queen Street  
Belfast  
BT1 6ED  
e-mail: [richard.hume@uregni.gov.uk](mailto:richard.hume@uregni.gov.uk)

7. The Authority has, in accordance with Article 14(4) of the Order, sent a copy of this notice to the Licensee, the Department for Economy (DfE) and also to the General Consumer Council.
8. A copy of this notice and the proposed modifications can be obtained in hard copy form from the Authority by contacting Richard Hume at the contact details above.

Dated this 31<sup>st</sup> day of July 2018.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Jenny Pyper', with a stylized flourish at the end.

**Jenny Pyper**

**For and on behalf of the Northern Ireland Authority for Utility Regulation**

**Condition 39: Code of Practice for the Theft of Electricity**

1. The Licensee shall (and shall procure that its agents or sub-contractors shall) comply with the obligations applicable to it under, the Code of Practice for the Theft of Electricity.
2. The Authority, following consultation with the Licensee, the General Consumer Council and any other person who in the opinion of the Authority is likely to be interested or affected, may from time to time make such modifications to the Code of Practice for the Theft of Electricity, as the Authority considers are necessary or expedient.

3. In this Condition:

**Code of Practice for the Theft of Electricity** means the relevant document of that name, prepared and published from time to time by the Authority, relating to the activities for the prevention, detection, investigation and managing the outcome of investigation into the theft of electricity

In order to comply with the obligations of the Code of Practice for the Theft of Electricity, the Licensee shall establish and comply with procedures to facilitate the prevention, detection, investigation and managing the outcome of investigation into the theft of electricity

**Agent or Subcontractor** means any person directly or indirectly authorised to represent the Licensee in its dealings with electricity customers or other Licensees.

