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Dear Andrew

GNI (UK) Code Modification Proposal 27

Thank you for your recent submission of the Final Modification Report (FMR) in respect of the above named proposal. The purpose of the modification is to implement the requirements of the Capacity Allocation Mechanism Regulation (EU 984/2013) in relation to Incremental Capacity. This will provide a commercial framework for network users to trigger incremental capacity, and will protect consumers from stranded assets by requiring user commitment in advance of capacity delivery.

The Utility Regulator (UR) has considered the issues raised by this FMR.

GNI (UK) conclusion

GNI (UK) states in its FMR that the 'relevant objective' (condition 2.4 of the GNI (UK) Licence) would be better facilitated by the Licensee's Network Code as a result of this modification.

Authority review and conclusions

We note no responses were received by GNI (UK) during the consultation period. However we note that the proposed text the modification has been amended to reflect comments from a respondent to the equivalent modification to the Premier Transmission Network Code.

We have considered whether the proposal would better facilitate the 'relevant objective'.

Decision

As provided for in condition 2.4.7(c) of the GNI (UK) licence we direct GNI (UK) to implement the modifications as set out in the FMR dated 1st March 2017. The modifications should become effective as set out in FMR No. 27.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'T Hedley', written over a horizontal line.

Tanya Hedley
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For and on behalf of NIAUR