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Dear Joe

Consultation on Aggregated Generation Units (AGUs) and Demand Side Units (DSUs) Licensing Arrangements

NIE welcomes the opportunity to respond to the Utility Regulator's consultation paper.

NIE agrees that the current arrangements (which permit AGUs and DSUs to participate in the wholesale market) were only ever intended as a short term measure while licensing provisions were established. Therefore NIE agrees with, and is supportive of, the UR's proposals to move to a more sustainable licensing solution.

Yours sincerely

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