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Dear Rachel

Switching Programme Significant Code Review: Retail Energy Code v3.0 Consultation

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to the above consultation on version 3.0 of the Retail Energy Code (REC).

Questions 2.1 and 2.2 in the consultation essentially relate to gas distributors and suppliers. As we are responding as an electricity distributor, we have not answered those specific consultation questions and have focused our review on the REC schedules and Balancing and Settlement Code (BSC) consequential changes. We remain fully supportive of the REC consolidation programme and we believe you will find our drafting comments more helpful than us responding to the specific questions.

We have a small number of comments, which are mainly on the drafting of the BSC consequential changes and are generally around inconsistencies in the drafting. Those comments can be found in Appendix 1 – ‘rec_v3_consultation_response_NPg’.

We hope you find our comments helpful and we look forward to engaging further with Ofgem on this programme.

Yours sincerely

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