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Dear David,

Re: Proposed modifications to the Pension Regulatory Instructions and Guidance (RIGs) and reporting template for RIIO-2

We are pleased to enclose a joint response on behalf of SSEN Transmission (SSENT)¹ and SSEN Distribution² to Ofgem's consultation on the proposed modifications to the Pension Regulatory Instructions and Guidance (RIGs) and reporting template for RIIO-2. We are committed to working closely with Ofgem and the other Distribution and Transmission Owners (DNOs and TOs) to improve Pensions Regulatory Reporting.

Following review of the proposed modifications to the Pension RIGs and reporting pack template we believe the changes to be reflections of the passage of time transitioning from RIIO-1 to RIIO-2, and the correction of errors/anomalies identified in the previous version of this guidance. Consequently, we agree with the proposed modifications.

Additionally, the Licensee Questionnaire for the 2023 Pension Reasonableness Review appears materially unchanged from the version submitted previously and as such we have no objections.

Yours sincerely

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¹ References to SSEN Transmission encompass the licenced entity Scottish Hydro Electric Transmission plc Registered in Scotland No. SC213461.

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