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Dear David,

SSEN Response to Ofgem's Call for Input: Impact of high inflation on the network price control operation

We are pleased to enclose a response on behalf of SSEN Transmission and Distribution, collectively referred to as SSEN, to Ofgem's Call for Input on the above.

Inflation is a key cornerstone of regulatory price controls and as such any review of the operation of inflation is complex, requires care, and should be consulted on fully over a period of time. The impact of any changes to the treatment of inflation are of profound importance to the stability and operation of regulatory price controls and it is important to avoid making quick, permanent, and material changes to the operation of a price control based on a perceived issue which is in effect temporary in nature.

The UK regulatory regime is held in high regard worldwide and we encourage Ofgem to maintain regulatory certainty in order to support the delivery of a cleaner, secure, and affordable energy system.

Yours sincerely,



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