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Dear NATIONAL ENERGY SYSTEM OPERATOR,

<u>Strategic Innovation Fund – Approval of the Material Change request for NESO.</u> / CROWDFLEX

The Strategic Innovation Fund (SIF) supports network innovation that contributes to the achievement of Net Zero, while delivering net benefits to energy consumers. It facilitates collaboration with other public funders of innovation so that activities appropriately funded by network consumers are coordinated with activities funded by Government, and funding gaps are avoided. The SIF Governance Document sets out the governance and administration of the SIF.¹

On 18 July 2023, NESO was awarded SIF Funding for Crowdflex (the Project).² The purpose of the Project is to establish domestic flexibility as a novel, reliable flexibility resource of national significance, competing alongside BAU alternatives and accelerating decarbonisation. Further to this decision, on 18 July 2023 Ofgem³ issued a SIF Project Direction.⁴

On 8 July 2025 NESO submitted a Material Change request for the Project to the Authority. The Material Change request was submitted due to:

• The reallocation of funding across Cost Categories Project Partners

¹ https://www.ofgem.gov.uk/publications/updated-sif-governance-document

² https://www.ofgem.gov.uk/decision/strategic-innovation-fund-round-1-beta-projects-approved-funding

³ The terms the "Authority", "Ofgem", "we" and "us" are used interchangeably in this document. The Authority refers to the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority. Ofgem is the Office of the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority.

https://www.ofgem.gov.uk/decision/strategic-innovation-fund-round-1-beta-projects-approved-funding



• Change to scope or length on deliverables

The Material Change request proposed the following changes to the schedule of the SIF Project Direction issued on 6 September 2025:

- Increase the Total Project Costs for Labour costs from £13,443,751 to £13,569,729
- Increase Project Contributions for Labour from £3,652,357 to £3,668,812
- Increase Total SIF Funding Requested for Labour from £9,791,394 to £9,900,917
- Increase Total Project Costs for Subcontracting from £1,052,125 to £1,247,073
- Increase the Total SIF Funding Requested for Subcontracting from £752,000 to £946,948
- Reduce Total Project Costs for Other Costs from £7,831,795 to £7,527,324
- Reduce Total SIF Funding Requested for Other Costs from £7,827,210 to £7,522,739
- Reduce the Total Project Costs for Funding Party NESO from £12,868,200 to £12,758,677
- Reduce Total SIF Funding Requested for Funding Party NESO from £10,444,960 to £10,335,437
- Increase the Total Project Costs for Project Partner ERM LIMITED from £498,810 to £597,110
- Increase the Project Contribution for Project Partner ERM LIMITED from £62,352 to £74,652
- Increase the Total SIF Funding Requested for Project Partner ERM LIMITED from £436,458 to £522,458
- Increase the Total Project Costs for Project Partner OHME OPERATIONS UK LIMITED from £2,497,800 to £2,525,478
- Increase the Project Contribution for Project Partner OHME OPERATIONS UK LIMITED from £375,000 to £379,155
- Increase the Total SIF Funding Requested for Project Partner OHME OPERATIONS
 UK LIMITED from £2,122,800 to £2,146,323
- Increase Work Package 3 cost from £235,099 to £321,100
- Increase Work Package 5 cost from £1,134,291 to £1,352,762
- Reduce Work Package 7 cost from £8,703,935 to £8,399,464

Ofgem's review



As set out in chapter 1 of the SIF Governance Document, Ofgem is the decision-maker in the SIF. Furthermore, as set out in chapter 6, Ofgem will consider Material Changes in circumstances and requests to change SIF Project Directions on a case by case, and will engage with monitoring officers on Projects to support the assessment of Material Change requests.

Ofgem has reviewed this Material Change requested submitted by NESO and has engaged with the monitoring officer on the Project. Ofgem has reviewed the reasoning for the Material Change submitted by the NESO and considers it to satisfy the Eligibility Criteria in chapter 2 of the SIF Governance because:

- That the requested change to the Project Direction should be approved as the requested change does not violate any of the Eligibility Criteria outlined in Chapter 2 of the SIF Governance Document.
- That the requested change to the Project Direction should be approved as the requested change also does not violate the eligibility outlined in the Innovation Challenge Documentation.

As such, UKRI recommended approval of the Material Change request to Ofgem.

Decision

As a result of the reasons outlined above, Ofgem approves of this Material Change request.

In accordance with Section 17 of the Project Direction issued on 24 February 2025 and paragraph 6.22 of the SIF Governance Document, the amended SIF Project Direction for National Energy System Operator / Crowdflex is published in the Schedule 1 of this letter. The amended SIF Project Direction is effective as of the date of this letter and, unless stated otherwise, supersedes the SIF Project Direction issued on 24 February 2025. The letter constitutes notice pursuant to section 49A (Reasons for decisions) of the Electricity Act 1989 and 38A (Reasons for decisions) of the Gas Act 1986.

If you would like to discuss any of the issues, you can contact Ofgem via networks.innovation@ofgem.gov.uk. Alternatively, you can contact UKRI via SIF Ofgem@innovateuk.ukri.org.

Yours sincerely,



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For and on behalf of the Authority



Schedule: Amended SIF Project Direction

1. PROJECT DETAILS

SIF Project Direction reference: NESO/CrowdFlex/SIFWholeSystem/Rd1_Beta

Application number: 10070764

Project title: Crowdflex

Innovation Challenge/Project Phase: Whole system integration / Beta Phase round 1

Project start date: 11 December 2023

Project end date: 30 January 2026

SIF Approved Amount for SIF Funding: £18,552,299

2. PREAMBLE

This SIF Project Direction is issued by the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority (the "Authority") to NESO (the "Funding Party") pursuant to the SIF Governance Document issued pursuant to Special Condition 3.4 of the Electricity Transmission Licence (the "Licence"). It sets out the conditions to be complied with in relation to Crowdflex (the "Project") as a condition of it being funded under the SIF Funding Mechanism.⁵

Unless otherwise specified, defined terms in this SIF Project Direction have the meaning given to them in the Licence or Appendix 1 of the SIF Governance Document.

References to specific sections of the Funding Party's Application in this SIF Project Direction are, for ease of reference, made by referring to the section number in the Funding Party's Application.

3. PROJECT SPECIFIC CONDITIONS

In accepting funding for the Project, the Funding Party is subject to the following Project-specific condition(s):

Condition 1

The Funding Party must not spend any SIF Funding until contracts are signed with the Project Partners named in Table 1 for the purpose of completing the Project.

⁵ The SIF Funding Return Mechanism is defined in the SIF Governance Document.



Table 1. Project Partners

ERM LIMITED

NATIONAL GRID ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION PLC

OVO ENERGY LTD

SOUTHERN ELECTRIC POWER DISTRIBUTION PLC

CENTRE FOR NET ZERO LIMITED

OHME OPERATIONS UK LIMITED

AMAZON WEB SERVICES

ERM LIMITED

Condition 2 - Financial contribution

The Funding Party must report on the financial contributions made to the Project as set out in its Application. Any financial contributions made over and above that stated in its Application should also be reported and included within the Project costs template.

Condition 3 - Meeting arrangements

The Funding Party must participate in all meetings related to the Project that they are invited to by Ofgem, UKRI and DESNZ during and after the Beta Phase.

Condition 4 - Stage gate scoping

The Funding Party must, with support from Innovate UK/UKRI and, where applicable Ofgem, scope the requirements and success criteria for each stage gate within a Project at the quarterly reporting meetings ahead of any stage gate. These will be used to determine what criteria a Project must meet in order to pass a stage gate, and whether any additional information, such as a report, must be produced as part of the stage gate.

Condition 5 – Dissemination of annual progress report(s)

Each of the annual progress reports that the Funding Party publishes in the Beta Phase must, at a minimum, be uploaded to the ENA's Smarter Networks Portal. We also strongly encourage wider dissemination of the annual progress report(s) and support from all Project Partners in ensuring it reaches a wide audience.

Condition 6 - Impact monitoring

As part of the end of Project Phase report, the Funding Party must produce a Project Impact Monitoring and Evaluation Plan. This plan must outline how the Project plans to monitor and evaluate the delivery of benefits outlined in the Beta Phase Application following the end of the Beta Phase. The plan must also include the methodology that



will be utilised for quantifying and qualifying benefits realisation and how the Funding Party plans to report this to Ofgem 1, 3, 5 & 10 years post-Beta Phase completion. Further details on how to approach the development of this plan may be provided by Ofgem or IUK.

Condition 7 – SIF Community Forums

The Funding Party and all Project Partners must make reasonable attempts to attend, participate and/or contribute at SIF Community Forum events occurring during the Project delivery. We anticipate there being approximately one event per year.

Condition 8 – Policy, regulatory and standards barriers

The Funding Party must provide verbal updates at each quarterly meeting on any regulatory, policy and standards barriers and any change requirements which may impact delivery of the Beta Phase activities. The Funding Party must also include as an attachment to each of its annual progress report an update on any regulatory, policy and standards barriers which may require derogations and articulation of any proposed regulatory, policy and standards changes which would be necessary in deployment. The Funding Party must also provide an as an attachment to its end of Project Phase report a summary of the Project's findings on regulatory, policy and standards barriers, including any considerations for future work, and where applicable, where specific regulatory, policy and standards changes would be required for deployment.

Condition 9 - Updated 60-second videos

The Funding Party must provide within the first three months of the Project beginning (i.e. by 1 October 2023) an updated 60-second video. If the Project is greater than two years (longer than 24 months) in length, an updated video must also be provided at the Project's mid-point meeting. All Projects must also provide an updated 60-second video as part of their end of Project phase report. Innovate UK can share its guidance for 60-second videos with the Funding Party, if necessary.

Condition 10 - Consumer engagement

The Funding Party must provide an update as part of each stage gate scoping monitoring meeting on consumer engagement plans. This must include an update on any activities which involve engagement and interaction with energy consumers, and any impact the Project may have on existing or future energy consumers and their premises.



Condition 11 - Post-Beta Phase roadmap

The Funding Party must provide to the monitoring officer by the third quarterly monitoring meeting (i.e. in Q3) a roadmap for activities post-Beta Phase. This can build on the Project's Application question (question 11) and must focus on how and when the proposed solution will become business as usual within your network and across the other GB gas or electricity networks.

As part of this, the Funding Party must include consideration for:

- I. any steps the Project will take to ensure its innovation has suitable business as usual adoption;
- II. the Funding Party's strategy for adoption of the innovation or proposed solution, giving consideration to potential investment, ongoing costs and third-party involvement and;
- III. any early indication of interest from other networks in adopting the innovation. The Funding Party must provide an update on all the above at every two quarterly monitoring meetings (i.e. every six months) and must include a final update of this roadmap as attachment to its end of Project Phase report.

Condition 12 - Commercialisation strategy

The Funding Party must provide to the monitoring officer by the third quarterly monitoring meeting (i.e. in Q3) a roadmap for activities post-Beta Phase. This can build on the Project's Application question (question 12) and must focus on what considerations have the Project consortium made for the commercialisation of the proposed solution or innovation, and how the Project provides support for non-network partners to move towards commercialisation. As part of this, the Funding Party may wish to include consideration for:

- I. who the primary customer segment is beyond the Funding Party; the customer value proposition;
- II. if identified, the outline of the route to market and potential new partnerships;
- III. any additional Project Partner capital requirements in order to commercialize the innovation and;
- IV. how this product, process or service could be scaled across the GB network and taken to new markets.

The Funding Party must also include a final update of its strategy as an attachment to its end of Project Phase report. Ofgem and/or Innovate UK may issue a template for the final update as part of the end of Project Phase report.



Condition 13

As part of each of its Beta Phase annual progress report, the Funding Party must provide an attachment which summarises the insights developed by the Project and the flexibility service providers on consumer demographics to date or since its last annual progress report.

Condition 14

The Funding Party must provide an outline report to its monitoring officer ahead of initial trial commencement outlining how the raw participant data gathered by the Project will be made publicly available. We understand that publishing this data in a raw format would not be GDPR compliant without gathering consent from all participants. Where consent is obtained, we expect the raw data to be published. Where consent is not obtained, to ensure GDPR compliance, we expect the Funding Party to aggregate the data to remove personally identifiable information. A good example of this aggregation process can be observed in DNOs Data Privacy Plans (DPPs). The Funding Party may wish to aggregate to a slightly higher level than the DPPs as this information will be openly available and the risk to consumer privacy is higher. The Funding Party should aggregate the raw data in such a way that manages the trade-off between consumer privacy and facilitating the development of other innovative products or services, and also does not distort or restrict access to future Crowdflex services by other flexibility service providers entering the market. As part of this report, the Funding Party must outline how its approach complies with Ofgem's Data Best Practice and remains GDPR compliant. These arrangements will require sign-off from Ofgem policy and subject matter leads ahead of kick-off.

Condition 15

The Funding Party must provide as part of stage gate 1 (set out as Stage Gate 01 in the Gantt chart) and ahead of progressing to any trials a presentation clearly illustrating how the Crowdflex market will interact or complement and/or impact existing markets and the balancing mechanism. This presentation must illustrate these examples for both during trial delivery and for scenarios which may emerge upon Project completion. As part of this, the presentation must explain the potential impacts from Crowdflex on the Funding Party's business operations and why/how the Funding Party will look to integrate Crowdflex's approaches and markets into their business operations. Additionally, this presentation must also cover:

 how the Crowdflex incentives will impact other markets, including how it will be integrated alongside demand flexibility services and constraint management zones



- II. any potential market distortion effects and
- III. an explanation of the expected bidding structure for assets under this trial and how this complies with relevant market rules and if this has limitations in the long term (i.e. beyond the trial and beyond the Beta Phase).

We expect to see in this presentation representation from senior NESO representatives, NESO markets, and NESO's control rooms.

Condition 16

As part of stage gate 1 (set out as Stage Gate 01 in the Gantt chart) and ahead of progressing to any trials, the Funding Party must provide an explanation summarising how the Project and the data generated by the Project will align with the Funding Party's licence conditions for sharing data and will align with Ofgem's Data Best Practice Guidance.

4. COMPLIANCE

The Funding Party must comply with Special Condition 3.4 of the Electricity Transmission Licence (the "Licence"), the SIF Governance Document and with this SIF Project Direction.

5. SIF APPROVED AMOUNT

The SIF Approved amount of £18,552,299 (as detailed under Section 1: Project details of this Project Direction) will be recovered by National Energy System Operator from GB customers and transferred to the Funding Party. The Funding Party is responsible for notifying National Energy System Operator of the bank account details to which transfers must be made, in addition to completing Annex 2 of this SIF Project Direction. If a Funding Party is required to return funding to National Energy System Operator, the reverse applies. The Funding Party must provide bank account details to National Energy System Operator within two weeks of accepting this SIF Project Direction.

6. PROJECT BUDGET

The Project Budget is set out in Annex 1 of this SIF Project Direction.

The Funding Party must report on expenditure against each line under the category total in the Project Budget and explain any projected variance against each line as part of its detailed report which will be provided, in accordance with Chapter 7 of the SIF



Governance Document. The Funding Party must report variations in the Project budget as outlined in Chapter 6 of the SIF Governance Document.

7. PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION

The Funding Party must undertake the Project in accordance with the commitments it has made in the Application and with the conditions of this SIF Project Direction. These include (but are not limited to) the following:

- (i) undertake the Project in accordance with its Application,
- (ii) complete the Project on or before the Project completion date as detailed under section 1 of the schedule of this SIF Project Direction, and
- (iii) disseminate the learning from the Project at least to the level described in chapter 3 of the SIF Governance Document. Dissemination of learning must be carried out whether the Project was concluded successfully or otherwise.

8. REPORTING

Ofgem and UKRI may issue guidance (and amend it from time to time) about the structure and content of the Project reporting required by Chapter 6 of the SIF Governance Document. The Funding Party must follow this guidance in preparing the reports.

The Funding Party must submit an end of Project Phase report to UKRI monitoring officers for the Beta Phase. Within this report, the Funding Party must submit information related to questions on Project delivery as detailed in chapter 6, table 6 of the SIF Governance Document.

9. MONITORING

The Funding Party must comply with any reasonable request for information by its monitoring officer at UKRI and related deadlines. Ofgem, with the support of UKRI, will together monitor Project delivery, impacts and benefits. Throughout the term of the Project, progress is monitored by UKRI through a monitoring officer. The monitoring officer is the first point of contact for official notifications, queries and correspondence with UKRI and the Authority, unless otherwise required by this SIF Project Direction.

As detailed in Chapter 6 of the SIF Governance Document, meetings with the monitoring officer will take place at regular intervals, as advised by Ofgem or the monitoring officer during the delivery of the Project, and at the end of each Project Phase.



10. EVALUATION

The Funding Party has acknowledged when it submitted its Application for this Project, that reporting information and data gathered during the Project's timescales (as detailed in Section 1 of this SIF Project Direction) will be used to evaluate Project performance. In addition, the Funding Party may be required to provide requested information outside of the Project timescales and, in particular, for the period from the Project end date to the end of the SIF Programme. Further data and reporting information may be requested (frequency and method based on requirement) outside of standard monitoring and reporting requirements as deemed necessary. Further data and information requirements must be complied with by the Funding Party and Project Partners.

11. DATA SHARING

As set out in Chapter 3 of the SIF Governance Document, the Funding Party must follow Data Best Practice Guidance with regards to all data gathered or created in the course of a Project. We expect the Funding Party to document any reasons, such as commercial sensitivities, for desensitising data. As defined by, and in accordance with, Data Best Practice Guidance, Funding Parties must have a data triage process. Where multiple Project Partners are collaborating on a Project, the consortium must adopt a consistent Open Triage Process for the data related to the Project. Ofgem may require that Project information and data is also shared with other specified parties, such as parties working on complementary innovation funding programmes (subject to redaction of sensitive data).

12. CYBER SECURITY

It is the responsibility of the Funding Party and all Project Partners to implement and maintain appropriate security measures to protect personal data in accordance with The GDPR (General Data Protection Regulation)⁶ and <u>DPA (Data Protection Act) 2018</u>⁷. Protection of computer systems from unauthorised access or being otherwise damaged or made inaccessible must be in place alongside effective working practices. These must be maintained in line with the Funding Party's IT Management Strategies and policies.

13. PROJECT MILESTONES

The Funding Party must submit its end of Project Phase report to its monitoring officer that verifies the Project milestones have been achieved or explains why they have not.

⁶ https://ec.europa.eu/info/law/law-topic/data-protection/data-protection-eu en

⁷ https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2018/12/contents/enacted



Project milestones are outlined below in Table 3, based upon details contained within Question 7 and Appendix Question 9 in the Funding Party's.



Table 3. Project milestone⁸

Reference	Project milestone	Deadline	Overall objectives and key tasks	Summary of Milestones and Success Criteria	SIF Funding Request (100%)
Milestone 1	WP0: Project management	January, 2026	Overall work package objectives: To ensure the successful completion of the project on-time and within budget. To engage with all stakeholders, the public and all interested parties and ensure results are disseminated. To ensure that all data is managed and protected in	M0-1: Contract signed: Contract signed. (£155,018.73) M0-2: Completion of mini-trial 1: Mini-trial 1 complete. (£625,458.69) M0-3: Completion of mini-trial 2: Mini-trial 2 complete. (£260,134.81) M0-4: Completion of availability payment trial 1: Availability trial 1 complete. (£260,134.81) M0-5: Completion of availability payment trial 2: Availability trial 2 complete. (£438,011.51)	

⁸ As outlined in in the Application or Project Plan appendix.



	accordance with agreed		
	policies and approaches.	M0-6: Completion of mini-trial 3:	
		Mini-trial 3 complete. (£438,011.51)	
	Key tasks:	M07: Project Complete: Mini-trial 3	
	1. Governance: General	complete. (£625,079.17)	
	Management; Contracting		
	& legal; Finances;		
	Management meetings;		
	and Consortium Internal		
	Knowledge Sharing,		
	Undertake Project Change		
	Requests (as needed),		
	Develop market interaction		
	presentation for stage		
	gate.		
	2. Engagement:		
	Stakeholder identification		
	& mapping; Engagement		
	Planning; Monitoring		
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Innovation Developments;	
Dissemination &	
Engagement.	
3. Data and Information	
Management and Security:	
Establish Data	
Management process;	
Establish security and	
privacy protocols; Establish	
communication routes and	
approach; Ongoing	
monitoring of data	
management.	
4. Workstream A	
(Requirements and	
transition to BAU)	
Management: Steering	
Committee Meetings;	
Market-related	
consultation; Regulatory	



horizon monitoring; DESNZ
& Ofgem Engagement;
Plan for putting
derogations into-code
(optional; post-project) ,
Develop Project Impact
Monitoring and Evaluation
Plan.
5. Workstream B
(Modelling) Management:
Engagement with Industry
Panel(s) to gather input on
API Specification and
disseminate results; NESO
Virtual ES Advisory Group
Engagement.
6. Workstream C (Trialling)
Management: Management
of any Derogation
applications.



		30	Overall work package	M1-1: Initial	
		January,	objectives: To identify the	specifications/requirements	
		2026	NESO demand flexibility	(Baselining/Performance/API/model)	
			model owner/user and	produced to enable development to	
			gather their requirements	commence: NESO model spec	
			throughout the project.	produced as a living document.	
			To develop a common	(£649,804.30)	
	WP1: User		baselining approach and an	M1-2: NESO model acceptance:	
			agreed framework for	NESO model owner accepts	
Milestone 2	scoping and		assessing the performance	Domestic Demand Flexibility Model.	£1,291,114.38
Milestone 2	ongoing requirements		of the models.	(£641,310.08)	(7%)
	capture		To develop and agree both		
	Capture		model and API		
			specifications.		
			To monitor model		
			performance, identify data		
			gaps and feed these into		
			the model development		
			and trial plan along with		
			the evolving requirements		



to recommend trialling
updates.
Key tasks:
1. Confirm CrowdFlex
focus: Hold a series of
workshops to review and
agree the detailed model
requirements and trial
scoping for CrowdFlex:Beta
partners, given the time
since the Alpha and Beta
application.
2. Identify NESO model
user/owner: Key NESO
model owner who will
provide requirements.



3. Identify current
approach: Work with the
model owner to understand
the current (BAU)
approaches to forecasting.
4. Initial requirements
capture: Gather and
workshop the initial
requirements for the NESO
Domestic Flexibility model,
utilising the Alpha outputs
as the starting point.
5. Identify all model inputs
and outputs: Confirm the
key outputs and inputs for
both the NESO Domestic
Flexibility and FSP
Domestic Demand models.
6. Agree common
baselining approach:



	Review baselining	
	techniques and discuss and	
	agree a common baselining	
	approach for the models	
	(or understand the impacts	
	of deviations from this	
	standard where needed).	
	7. Agree forecasting	
	performance metrics:	
	Establish a common set of	
	forecasting performance	
	metrics so that	
	improvements (or declines)	
	in the prediction	
	performance of the models	
	can be assessed.	
	8. Create initial model	
	specification: Update the	
	specifications developed in	
	Alpha for the NESO	



Domestic Flexibility model
and the FSP Domestic
Demand models. To be
maintained/updated as
living documents.
9. Create initial API
Specification: Develop the
full specification for the
API(s), based on the work
in Alpha. To be
maintained/updated as a
living document.
10. Monitor model
performance, conduct
review, and feedback
requirements changes:
Ongoing process aligned
with agile development
tasks to utilise dashboards
and reporting systems for



periodic review and
feedback/update. Will
include assessing
baselining and model
performance.
11. Identification of data
gaps: NESO model owner
reviews the trialling in the
context of the model
performance to identify
where there are gaps and
the options for filling these.
12. Recommend changes
to the trialling: Based on
ongoing NESO
requirements and identified
data gaps,
recommendations will be
made for changes to the
trail focus / design. This



			will include, but is not		
			limited to, what the		
			trialling has already proven		
			and what new data is		
			required for the evolving		
			model(s) to give more		
			accurate predictions.		
			Recommendations will be		
			made for the Steering		
			Committee to review and		
			confirm.		
			13. Acceptance: NESO		
			model owner confirms		
			acceptance of the final		
			NESO Domestic Flexibility		
			Model.		
			1100011		
	WP2: System	30	Overall work package	M2-1: KPIs agreed: KPIs agreed by	
Milestone 3	impact and	January,	objectives:	NESO and DNOs. (£62,118.71)	£339,212.07
rinestone 3	ongoing cost	2026	To assess the impacts of	M2-2: Mid-Point update: Impact	(2%)
	benefit analysis		the models and flexibility	Assessment Data Gathered for Mini-	
			,		



services at the system (physical), economic, and environmental levels for both NESOs and DNOs.	Trials 1 & 2 and Availability Trial 1. (£118,362.29) M2-3: Completion of Impact & CBA	
To undertake a detailed cost-benefit analysis of these impacts and the	report: Impact & CBA report complete. (£158,730.88)	
transition into BAU. Key tasks:		
1. Develop Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) for system impacts:		
Agree performance indicators and baselines to assess impacts of the models and trials.		
Develop Project Impact Monitoring and Evaluation		



Plan - Develop plan	
outlining how the delivery	
of the benefits outlined in	
the Beta Phase Application	
will be monitored and	
evaluated following the	
end of the Beta Phase. The	
plan must also include the	
methodology that will be	
utilised for quantifying and	
qualifying benefits	
realisation and how the	
Funding Party plans to	
report this to Ofgem 1, 3,	
5 & 10 years post-Beta	
Phase completion.	
3. Undertake NESO impact	
assessment: Cross-NESO	
assessment of potential	
	outlining how the delivery of the benefits outlined in the Beta Phase Application will be monitored and evaluated following the end of the Beta Phase. The plan must also include the methodology that will be utilised for quantifying and qualifying benefits realisation and how the Funding Party plans to report this to Ofgem 1, 3, 5 & 10 years post-Beta Phase completion. 3. Undertake NESO impact assessment: Cross-NESO



	impact of flexibility as
	delivered by the modelling
	/ Virtual Energy System
	based flexibility
	implementation.
	4. Assessment of control
	room impact of trial
	events: Investigate Control
	Room and grid data from
	trial events and non-event
	periods with similar
	external factors (period of
	time/grid conditions) to
	demonstrate any impacts.
	5. Evaluate system impact
	of trial events (physical):
	Impact on system from
	kW/kWh perspective (i.e.,
	kWh of curtailment
	avoided/imbalance, etc.),



	firm capacity that flexibility
	could provide to replace
	conventional
	capacity/network in the
	future.
	6. Evaluate system impact
	of trial events (economic):
	Impact on system from an
	economic perspective (i.e.,
	avoided cost of
	curtailment/imbalance,
	etc.), savings of
	conventional
	capacity/network
	investment avoidance.
	7. Evaluate system impact
	of trial events
	(environmental): Impact
	on system from an
	environmental (CO2)



perspective (i.e., avoided
CO2 emissions of
curtailment/imbalance, etc.
via domestic flexibility).
8. Extrapolate for
integration into BAU:
Model the potential for the
future of domestic
flexibility.
9. Undertake DSO impact
assessment: Impact
assessment of flexibility
events on DNOs.
10. Assessment of primacy
rules and stacking options:
Review performance of
customers subject to
NESO/DSO primacy rules.



		30	Overall work package	M3-1: Completion of roadmap:	
		January,	objectives:	Roadmap complete. (£235,099.50)	
Milestone 4	WP3: Implementation strategy	2026	To assess any barriers to implementation. To develop the plans across the consortium partners for bringing the models and any services / products into BAU. Key tasks: 1. Identification of output model / services / products: Identify the specific models, services and products that can be taken forward into BAU. 2. Assess barriers to	Roadmap complete. (£235,099.50)	£235,099.50321,10(24%)
Milestone 4	Implementation		products into BAU. Key tasks: 1. Identification of output model / services / products: Identify the specific models, services and products that can be taken forward into BAU.		,



operational links between
the models and the
service. Includes an
assessment of the
arrangements for how
FSPs provide forecasts /
data to NESO on an on-
going basis.
3. Road mapping: Develop
a roadmap for bringing the
model, services and
products examined and
tested in CrowdFlex into
BAU.
4. Implementation
strategy: Develop the
learnings from CrowdFlex:
Beta into a strategy to
implement the flexibility
model into BAU. Includes



	initiation of further use	
	case prototyping to	
	operationalise the model	
	for integration into NESO	
	IT Systems.	
	5. Market development:	
	Development of a detailed	
	plan for implementing any	
	changes to operational	
	BAU markets / regulations	
	to enable the model	
	developed in CrowdFlex to	
	enter BAU (e.g.,	
	requirements for data	
	provision).	
	6. Update Roadmap, Plan	
	and Barriers: Update the	
	initial assessments of	
	impacts and barriers,	
	roadmap and	
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			commercialisation strategy. 7.Go-To-Market Plan: Industry partners will also develop internal plans for how they can enter new and existing markets, based on the outputs of CrowdFlex.		
Milestone 5	Removed	Removed	Removed	Removed	Removed
Milestone 6	WP4b: Iterative development of OVO's models of domestic demand	January, 2026	Overall work package objectives: To develop the Minimum Viable Products for each FSP's model of domestic demand.	M4b-1: First aggregated demand profiles provided to NESO by OVO: First aggregated demand profiles received. (£9,322.02) D4b-2: OVO Model Completed: Models complete. (£36,315.55)	£45,637.58 (0%)



To train the models and
deploy them.
To take in trial data and
findings and iterate and
refresh these models
based on updated user
requirements and trial
findings.
Key tasks:
1. User Requirements:
Confirm outputs and user
requirements. Consolidate
NESO requirements with
internal FSP use cases.
2. Design: Develop a
model design to deliver
requirements



	3. Build: Iterative
	development of the model,
	including performance
	improvements and feature
	development.
	4. Interfered (NEC
	4. Interface / VES
	Integration: Development
	to interface the model with
	NESO's VES infrastructure,
	including authentication,
	reporting, data
	architecture and pipelines.
	Includes relevant specific
	feature or performance
	development requested by
	NESO.
	5. Reporting: Provide
	appropriate input to the
	internal and final reports
	(see WP5).



		30	Overall work package	M4c-1: First aggregated demand	
		January,	objectives: To develop the	profiles provided to NESO by Ohme:	
		• •			
		2026	Minimum Viable Products	First aggregated demand profiles	
			for each FSP's model of	received. (£56,767.70)	
			domestic demand.	M4c-2: Ohme Model Completed:	
			To train the models and	Models complete. (£47,605.90)	
			deploy them.		
	WP4c: Iterative		To take in trial data and		
	development of		findings and iterate and		£104,374
Milestone 7	Ohme's models		refresh these models		
	of domestic		based on updated user		(1%)
	demand		requirements and trial		
			findings.		
			Key tasks:		
			1. Data architecture &		
			pipeline build: Design and		
			develop data architecture		
			approach; identify and		



	1
confirm data sources; build	
data pipelines.	
2. Build asset registry:	
Build asset registry	
system.	
3. Initial design &	
development: Creating the	
Minimum Viable Products	
(MVPs) of the FSP	
Domestic Demand models.	
4. Create user interface /	
interaction: Design and	
build the user interaction	
points.	
5. Develop authentication	
layer: Develop systems	
and processes for ensuring	
access is permissioned and	
authenticated as required.	



6. Develop model
monitoring and evaluation
tools: Build the tools to
track the models'
forecasting performance
over time and capture any
model drift (when
performance deviates
outside user-specified
thresholds).
7. Initial model training:
Initial training of the model
using the first set of trial
data.
8. Model deployment:
Ongoing hosting of the
"trained" models in a place
that downstream services
(NESO) can access them.



9. Data collection: Data	
input from CrowdFlex beta	
trials, transferred via the	
agreed data management	
process (WP0).	
10. Iterative development:	
Sprint-based development	
to improve the models.	
Also includes API /	ļ
integration.	ļ
11. Model retraining: On	
an agreed frequency (e.g.,	
fortnightly, monthly or	ļ
quarterly) retrain the	ļ
model on the latest data.	
12. Reporting: Provide	
appropriate input to the	
internal and final reports	
(see WP5).	



and trial data feed. (£99,302.38)	Milestone 8	WP5: Iterative development of an NESO model of domestic flexibility	Overall work package objectives: To develop the MVP for an NESO model of domestic flexibility. To integrate the FSP Domestic Demand and NESO Domestic Flexibility models. To train the NESO Domestic Flexibility model and deploy it. To iterate and refresh the NESO model based on	M5-1: First aggregated domestic demand prediction produced. (£244,771.80) M5-2: Internal modelling performance update 1 given. (£421,820.40) M5-3: Internal modelling performance update 2 given. (£107,050.50) M5-4: Final NESO Domestic Flexibility Model deployed. (£261,345.70) 5-5: Model Final Report delivered.	£1,134,290.78 <u>1,352,762</u> (<u>7</u> 6%)
Key tasks: 1. Data architecture &	Milestone 8	development of an NESO model of domestic	To train the NESO Domestic Flexibility model and deploy it. To iterate and refresh the NESO model based on updated user requirements and trial data feed. Key tasks:	performance update 2 given. (£107,050.50) M5-4: Final NESO Domestic Flexibility Model deployed. (£261,345.70) 5-5: Model Final Report delivered.	



develop data architecture
approach; identify and
confirm data sources; build
data pipelines.
2. Initial decian 9.
2. Initial design &
development: Creating
Minimum Viable Product
(MVP) of the NESO
Domestic Flexibility model.
3. Create user interface /
interaction: Design and
build the user interaction
points (e.g., dashboards,
reporting, etc).
4. Develop authentication
layer: develop systems and
processes for ensuring
access is permissioned and
authenticated as required.



5. Develop model
monitoring and evaluation
tools: Build the tools to
track the models'
forecasting performance
over time and capture any
model drift (when
performance deviates
outside user-specified
thresholds).
6. Model deployment:
Hosting the "trained"
models.
7. Data collection: Secure
transfer of FSP aggregated
demand data via the
agreed data management
process (WP0) and
collection of additional data
streams.



8. Model training: Trying	
slight variants of different	
models to optimise for a	
given objective (e.g.,	
reducing the error of	
predictions, using metrics	
such as mean absolute	
error, or mean squared	
error). Begins once first	
aggregated demand data is	
received.	
9. Iterative development:	
Sprint-based development	
to improve the models	
based on developing	
requirements (WP1). Also	
includes API / integration	
work.	
10. Model retraining: On a	
certain frequency (e.g.,	



			quarterly) retrain the model on the latest data. 11. Reporting (Internal and External): Formal reporting of the results of the modelling work both internally for audit trail and the final report on the model development.		
Milestone 9	WP6: Trial design, planning and scheduling	2026	Overall work package objectives: To develop the trial protocol, which will include agreeing and identifying: the trial structure, the participants, customer engagement strategies, the criteria for assessing trial performance, etc.	M6-1: Completion of the initial trial protocol: Initial trial protocol produced as living document. (£525,463.25) M6-2: Payment arrangements agreed: Plan in place for transfer of payments from NESO to Customers via FSPs. (£596,385.17)	£2,206,343.73 (12%)



To develop an approach for M6-3: Finalisation of Trial Protocol:
ensuring primacy rules are All changes made to trial protocol.
followed and primacy and (£1,084,495.31)
stacking can be tested.
To agree and develop the
technical and procedural
structures for scheduling
and delivering trials and
trial events.
To agree the framework by
which payments will be
made from NESO/BAU ->
FSPs -> customers.
To update the trial plans
based on the
recommendations made by
the NESO model owner and
confirmed by the Steering
Committee.





maintained as a living
document.
2. Refresh customer
archetypes and finalise
recruitment targets:
Establish the locational and
demographic (or similar, as
appropriate) profiles for
customers to feed in to the
plans for recruiting the
required volumes of
participants.
3. Create general
engagement
advice/guidelines: Based
on the work conducted in
alpha, workshop and
produce advice for the tone
of participant engagement
material. Outputs will be



reviewed by "Voice of
Customer" representatives
(CAB, Local Authorities)
who will give advice to help
ensure no accidental harm
comes to trial participants.
4. Run focus groups: Run
focus groups with a small
selection of FSP's
customers to gather
insights on consumer
attitudes to the trial plans.
5. Develop recruitment and
refreshment targets: Agree
outcomes for recruiting
and refreshing customers
to participate in CrowdFlex.
6. Develop trial technical
infrastructures: Develop
the technical infrastructure



	required within each	
	organisation to deliver the	
	trials. This includes the	
	approaches to issuing trial	
	event instructions to	
	consumers via a range of	
	delivery mechanisms such	
	as Home Assistants like	
	Alexa.	
	7. Create consumer	
	interaction interfaces:	
	Develop the interfaces	
	within each organisation	
	(manual and automated)	
	with which to engage	
	participants.	
	participants.	
	8. Develop support for	
	automation APIs: Develop	
	any necessary technical	
	infrastructure to be able to	
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	dispatch automated	
	domestic assets within	
	CrowdFlex (e.g.,	
	EVs/HPs/HEMS/Home	
	assistants/Smart devices).	
	O. Impolement a data	
	9. Implement a data	
	gathering approach: Agree	
	the systems, processes,	
	and data schemes for the	
	collection of data both for	
	the modelling and	
	surveying.	
	10. Utilisation event trials	
	scheduling and planning:	
	Develop the utilisation	
	event schedule and the	
	process for implementing	
	changes coming from the	
	evolving modelling	
	requirements.	



11. Availability trials
planning: Develop
availability event schedule
and the process for
implementing changes
coming from the evolving
modelling requirements.
12. Confirm "Post gate
closure" (BM) participation
arrangements: Understand
the requirements and
develop the approach for
BM access (current options
identified include
derogation, elective-HH
settlement or contract for
difference).
13. Develop trial payment
arrangements: Coordinate
and set up frameworks for



	trial event payments to	
	flow through to	
	participants. Includes	
	establishing the	
	arrangements for ensuring	
	the correct payment is	
	made for any flexibility	
	delivered. Each FSP will	
	establish their own	
	frameworks to make	
	payments to customers.	
	14. Update Trial protocol:	
	Ongoing updates of the	
	trial protocol based on the	
	evolving modelling	
	requirements. Culminates	
	in the publication of the	
	trial protocol as a record of	
	the trial plans.	



		30	Overall work package	M7-1: Trial month 1 complete:	
		January,	objectives: To recruit	Monthly schedule of trials delivered.	
		2026	participants (and refresh	(£642,058.47)	
			recruitment as necessary).	M7-2: Trial month 2 complete:	
			To deliver the required trial	Monthly schedule of trials delivered.	
			data to the appropriate	(£120,694.70)	
			partners in line with the	M7-3: Trial month 3 complete:	
			data management plan.	Monthly schedule of trials delivered.	
Milestone	WP7: Trial		To monitor the	(£133,117.82)	£8,703,934.51 <u>8,399,464</u>
10	delivery		performance of trials (that	M7-4: Trial month 4 complete:	(<u>45</u> 4 7 %)
			is, to ensure there are no	Monthly schedule of trials delivered.	
			problems or issues and to	(£1,033,054.12)	
			rectify any that are		
			discovered).	M7-5: Trial month 5 complete:	
			To complete the three	Monthly schedule of trials delivered.	
			utilisation mini-trials	(£959,513.26)	
			(initially aligned with a	M7-6: Trial month 6 complete:	
			scheduled service).	Monthly schedule of trials delivered.	
			,	(£904,299.70)	



defined in the	Monthly schedule of trials delivered. (£131,119.20) M7-8: Trial month 8 complete: Monthly schedule of trials delivered. (£128,399.14) E evolving user Monthly schedule of trials delivered. (£128,399.14) M7-9: Trial month 9 complete:
additional reco	monitoring monitoring progress and launching month 11 complete: Monthly schedule of trials delivered. (£646,623.96) M7-12: Trial month 12 complete: Monthly schedule of trials delivered.



aligned with specific areas of interest for CrowdFlex, such as CMZs while also	M7-13: Trial month 13 complete: Monthly schedule of trials delivered. (£605,909.84)	
ensuring sufficient GB coverage. 2. Refresh participants: Review participation levels at regular intervals and run additional recruitment campaigns ahead of each	M7-14: Trial month 14 complete: Monthly schedule of trials delivered. (£605,209.84) M7-15: Trial month 15 complete: Monthly schedule of trials delivered. (£607,406.49)	
trial, if required. 3. Survey participants: Run pre-event surveys with	M7-16: Trial month 16 complete: Monthly schedule of trials delivered. (£64,996.64)	
customers to collect data required for modelling and analysis (e.g., Low Carbon Technologies (LCT) in homes, affluence, house	M7-17: All Trialling complete: Final payments made. (£64,996.64)	
properties, etc.). Additional surveys will be run during		



the trial to collect further
data (e.g., consumer
experience, impact of trial
on comfort, etc.).
4. Monitor performance:
Monitor the trial
implementation to ensure
performance is as per Trial
Protocol (e.g., no issues
arise with vulnerable
consumers, for example)
and act to rectify any
performance issues. Halt
study if major issues occur
that cannot be rectified.
5. Implement changes:
Implement any changes
defined in the trial protocol
updates based on the
changes recommended by



the NESO model	
owner/user and the	
Steering Committee.	
Scheduled service	
(utilisation payment)	
events:	
6. Other flexibility trial co-	
ordination: Co-ordinate	
with the other domestic	
flexibility services and	
trials (e.g., Local	
Constraint Market (LCM),	
DFS, Local Flexibility)as	
they undertake trials and	
roll-outs, to ensure we do	
not duplicate any work un-	
necessarily and to gather	



learnings from the
appropriate teams.
7. Perform utilisation
payment mini-trials:
Perform trial events based
on the event schedule -
Winter 1 (2023/24);
Summer 1 (2024) & Winter
2 (2024/25) – as defined
in the trial protocol.
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8. Undertake special DNO-
co-ordinated events:
Where main-series events
do not provide any
required learnings,
undertake specially
designed events to test
DNO-related questions.
9. Calculate baseline & trial
event consumption: Based



on consumption data,	
calculate the baseline	
demand and trial event	
response to evaluate the	
performance of the trial	
event and to remunerate	
participants.	
10. Controlled data	
provision: Provide data to	
appropriate parties for	
analysis and modelling,	
according to the agreed	
data control framework	
(WP0).	
11. Undertake customer	
compensation & feedback	
surveying: Invite customer	
feedback and compensate	
customers.	



Post-gate closure service
(availability) events:
12. Perform availability
trials: Undertake the two
tranches of availability
trials as defined in the trial
protocol.
13. Special DNO-co-
ordinated events: Where
main-series events are not
already co-ordinated,
undertake special events to
test DNO-related
questions.
14. Uptake data collection
and provision: Collect data
on customer participation.
Feed back into modelling



			work as per data control framework. 15. Asset response data collection and provision: Collect data on customer asset's response to events to understand effectiveness. Feed back into modelling work as per data control framework.		
Milestone 11	WP8: Trial analysis and reporting	2026	Overall work package objectives: To undertake detailed analyses of the various trial events. To undertake a meta- analysis of all CrowdFlex trials. To provide feedback to the NESO model owner/user	8-1: Automation report complete: Automation report delivered. (£471,926.67) 8-2: Completion of Trial Analysis Final Report: Final report on trial outcomes complete. (£782,605.28)	£1,254,531.95 (7%)



and the SteerCo to guide
ongoing requirements
gathering, model
development and trial plan
updates.
Key tasks:
1. Data analysis of each
scheduled (utilisation) trial
event: FSPs each analyse
the trial participant
consumption data both in
and outside of trial events
to establish insights.
Outputs will be reported
both to provide pure
insight for flexibility
services, and as an input
to the modelling work



packages. This will include,
but is not limited to:
Response to events and
the factors that influenced
it (incl. event timing,
external factors, proximity
to other events, behaviour
outside of trial event
windows, state of system
at trial event (e.g. system
peak), etc.).
Price sensitivity.
Fatigue to repeated
flexibility events.
Flexibility characteristics
(incl. magnitude of
response, persistence of
response, ramp rate, etc.).



Consumer participation
factors (incl. Opt-in rate,
continued participation,
etc.).
Impact of domestic
technology and
automation.
Impact of baseline tariff.
2. Data analysis of each
post-gate closure
(availability) trial event: As
above but for "post-gate
closure" services.
3. Ongoing NESO model
owner/user and SteerCo
feedback: Progress
updates and findings
provided to the NESO
model user/owner and the



SteerCo to guide decision
making on trial focus. Also
feeds into trial spec, event
design, change requests,
etc.
4. Conduct meta-analysis
at project close: Undertake
an overall meta-analysis of
all trial events utilising the
data already provided to
NESO throughout the trial.
5. Automation "Horizon
scan": Based on trial
findings, undertake a study
to assess how Smart
devices may be able to
assist future flexibility.



6. Repo	rting: Appropriate	
internal	and external	
reportir	g of the findings.	



14.USE OF LOGO

The Funding Party and the Project Partners, External Funders and Project Supporters or subcontractors⁹ must not use the Innovate UK/UKRI and/or Ofgem logo for purposes associated with the Project in any circumstances.

As an alternative for use of both Ofgem and UKRI logos, all external Project communications must include the following standard form of wording:

(i) "this project is funded by network users and consumers under the Strategic Innovation Fund, an Ofgem programme managed in partnership with UKRI."

For additional guidance, refer to the communications and media guidelines for competition winners, detailed as part of your delivery pack. These guidelines are designed to help with some suggestions and encourage you to take a proactive approach to communicating about your Project.

15.SHARING OF LESSONS LEARNED

The Funding Party is required to ensure that the sharing of lessons learned and the facilitation of knowledge transfer is conducted as effectively as possible, to ensure that all parties, and therefore all consumers including future consumers, can benefit from Projects.

As contained within Chapter 3 of the SIF Governance Document, we require the Funding Party to work collaboratively to maintain the ENA Smarter Networks Portal so that all reporting and dissemination of learnings on Projects (as required by chapter 6 of the SIF Governance Document) is available via the ENA Smarter Networks Portal.

16.COLLABORATION

The Funding Party must collaborate with third-party innovators as Project Partners, as well as work closely with other parties in the energy supply chain, as set out in Chapter 3 of the SIF Governance Document.

The Funding Party must collaborate with other parties and with UKRI to organise an annual conference in a format appropriate to enabling the building of consortiums and

⁹ As detailed in the Application.



disseminating learning widely. The conference may be a single event for gas and electricity, or more than one event, as appropriate.

17.AMENDMENT OR REVOCATION

As set out in Chapter 7 of the SIF Governance Document, this SIF Project Direction may be amended or revoked under the following circumstances:

- if the Funding Party considers that there has been a material change in circumstance that requires a change to the SIF Project Direction, and the Authority agrees; or
- (ii) to reflect amendments made to the Licence.

18.HALTING OF PROJECTS

This SIF Project Direction is subject to the provisions contained in Chapter 7 of the SIF Governance Document relating to the halting of Projects. By extension, this SIF Project Direction is subject to any decision by the Authority to halt the Project to which this SIF Project Direction relates and to any subsequent relevant SIF Funding Direction issued by the Authority pursuant to Special Condition 3.4 of the Electricity Transmission Licence (the "Licence").

Further to the requirements in Chapter 7 of the SIF Governance Document, in the event the Authority decides to halt the Project, to which this SIF Project Direction relates, the Authority may issue a statement to the Funding Party clarifying the effect of that halting decision as regards to the status and legal force of the conditions contained in this SIF Project Direction.

NOW THEREFORE:

In accordance with the SIF Governance Document issued pursuant to Special Condition 3.4 of the Electricity Transmission Licence (the "Licence") of the Licence the Authority hereby issues this SIF Project Direction to the Funding Party in relation to the Project.

This constitutes notice of reasons for the Authority's decision pursuant to section 49A (Reasons for decisions) of the Electricity Act 1989.



Failure to comply with the conditions of this SIF Project Direction means that Ofgem may treat all or part of the SIF Approved Amount received by the Funding Party as SIF Disallowed Expenditure.



ANNEX 1: PROJECT BUDGET

SIF Project Direction Costs

Cost Category	Total Project costs (£)	Total SIF Funding requested (£)
Labour	£ 13,443,751 13,569,729	£ 9,791,394 <u>9,900,917</u>
Materials	£126,897	£114,267
Subcontracting	£1,052,1251,247,073	£ 752,000 946,948
Travel and subsistence	£74,815	£67,428
Other costs	£ 7,831,795 <u>7,527,324</u>	£ 7,827,210 7,522,739
Total	£22,529,383	£18,552,299

Project Partner	Total project costs (£)	Project contribution (£)	Total SIF Funding requested (£)	Project contribution (%)
NATIONAL ENERGY SYSTEM OPERATOR	£ 12,868,200 12,75 8,677	£2,423,240	£10,444,96010,33 5,437	
ERM LIMITED	£498,810597,110	£ 62,351 74,652	£436,459522,458	
NATIONAL GRID ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION PLC	£42,372	£4,237	£38,135	
OVO ENERGY LTD	£3,266,460	£653,292	£2,613,168	
SOUTHERN ELECTRIC POWER DISTRIBUTION PLC	£181,194	£18,119	£163,075	
CENTRE FOR NET ZERO LIMITED	£1,940,655	£194,065	£1,746,590	
OHME OPERATIONS UK LIMITED	£ 2,497,800 2,525, 478	£ 375,000 <u>379,15</u> <u>5</u>	£ 2,122,800 2,146, 323	
AMAZON WEB SERVICES	£1,233,892	£246,778	£987,114	
TOTAL	£22,529,383	£3,977,084	£18,552,301	21%

ANNEX 2 TO SCHEDULE: TEMPLATE OF BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS TO BE PROVIDED TO EITHER NGGT

(<u>BOX.GSOSETTLEMENTS@NATIONALGRID.COM</u>) OR NESO (<u>revenue.invoice@neso.com</u>)

Company name:

Primary Contact Details (only one contact permitted)

First Name:
Last Name:
Email address:
Mobile phone number:
Work phone number:

Address details

Address name: Street address:

City:

State / region: Post code:

PO box: (if applicable)

PO box post code: (if applicable)

Banking details

These should be evidenced in non-editable format. The evidence provided must show company name and bank details and it should be dated within the last 6 months. Any of the below documents will suffice:

- Bank statement (scanned document)
- Void cheque
- Paying in slip
- Screenshot of online banking (showing a logged in account with bank account and sort code, with browser visible)