

CUSC – EXHIBIT E

THE CONNECTION AND USE OF SYSTEM CODE

USE OF SYSTEM OFFER

**EMBEDDED GENERATOR
DISTRIBUTION INTERCONNECTOR OWNER
SMALL POWER STATION TRADING PARTY**

The Company Secretary

Date: []

Dear Sirs

USE OF SYSTEM OFFER
[SITE OF CONNECTION] [REFERENCE]

Set out below is our offer for use of the Transmission System at [site/substation]. Please note that certain expressions which are used in this **Offer** are defined in the Interpretation and Definitions (contained in Section 11 of the **CUSC**) and when this occurs the expressions have capital letters at the beginning of each word and are in bold.

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1 The System Operator offers to enter into a **Bilateral Embedded Generation Agreement** [and **Construction Agreement**] reference number [] in the form and terms attached as Section A.

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2 It is a condition of this offer that:

(i) if not already a **CUSC** Party you enter into a **CUSC Accession Agreement**;

(ii) you satisfy the System Operator that you have entered into a **Distribution Agreement** with the owner/operator of the **Distribution System** for the connection of the **User's Plant** to and the use of such **Distribution System**;

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3 The technical conditions with which you must comply as a term of this offer are set out in the **Grid Code**. Additional or different technical conditions are set out in the Appendices to the **Bilateral Embedded Generation Agreement**. It is your responsibility to ensure that your equipment complies with the requirements of the relevant conditions.

4 This offer is open for acceptance according to the terms of Paragraph 3.7.4 of the **CUSC** and the System Operator Transmission Licence. Please note your right to make an application to the **Authority** to settle the terms of the offer pursuant to [Standard Condition C7] of the System Operator Transmission Licence.

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5 Please note the provisions of Paragraph 6.10.4 of the **CUSC** in respect of interactive offers which, inter alia, allows the System Operator to vary the terms of this **Offer** if a **Connection** or **Modification Offer**, which interacts with this **Offer**, is accepted first. In terms of Paragraph 6.10.4 of the **CUSC**, the System Operator will advise you of another offer being made by the System Operator, which may interact with your **Offer**.

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- 6 To accept this offer, please sign and return the originals of the **Bilateral Embedded Generation Agreement** [and **CUSC Accession Agreement**] [and **Construction Agreement**] attached to this offer as Section A. ~~The System Operator~~ will then itself execute the Agreements and one original of each will be returned to you for your retention. The Agreements are only effective in accordance with their terms once they have been countersigned by ~~the System Operator~~.

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- 7 All communications in relation to this **Offer** should, in the first instance, be directed to [Description].

Yours faithfully

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for and on behalf of

[National Grid Company Plc]

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SECTION A
FORM OF BILATERAL EMBEDDED GENERATION AGREEMENT
AND CONSTRUCTION AGREEMENT
AND CUSC ACCESSION AGREEMENT

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