

CUSC - EXHIBIT I

THE CONNECTION AND USE OF SYSTEM CODE

MODIFICATION APPLICATION

MODIFICATION APPLICATION - NOTES

Please study the following notes before completing and signing this application form.

1. The National Grid Company plc ("**NGC**") requires the information requested in this application form for the purposes of preparing an offer (the "**Offer**") of a **Construction Agreement** for the construction of a proposed **Modification** and for the variation of the existing [**Bilateral Construction Agreement** or **Bilateral Embedded Generation Agreement**] affected by the **Modification**. It is essential that the **Applicant** should supply all information requested in this application form and that every effort should be made to ensure that such information is accurate.

Please note that certain expressions which are used in this application form 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.

2. Should **NGC** consider that any information provided is incomplete or unclear or should **NGC** require further information in order that it may prepare the **Offer**, the **Applicant** will be requested to provide further information or clarification.
3. Should there be any change in any information provided by the **Applicant** after it has been submitted to **NGC**, the **Applicant** must immediately inform **NGC** of such a change.
4. **NGC** shall charge the **Applicant** and the **Applicant** shall pay to **NGC** **NGC's** Engineering Charges in relation to the application. A fee will be charged by **NGC** in accordance with the **Transmission Licence Charging Statements**. No application will be considered until such fee has been received.

If **NGC** does not make an **Offer** to the **Applicant** in accordance with the **Transmission Licence** otherwise than by reason of withdrawal of the application by the **Applicant**, **NGC** will return the charges to the **Applicant**.

5. The effective date upon which the application is made shall be the later of the date when **NGC** has received the application fee under Paragraph 4 above and the date when **NGC** is reasonably satisfied that the **Applicant** has completed Sections A-D. **NGC** shall notify the **Applicant** of such date.
6. **NGC** will make the **Offer** in accordance with the terms of Paragraphs 6.9 (Modification) and 6.10 (**Modifications** and **New Connection Sites**) of the **CUSC** and the **Transmission Licence**.

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7. **NGC** will make an **Offer** as soon as is reasonably practicable and, in any event, within three (3) months of the effective date of the application or such later period as the **Authority** may agree. The **Offer** may, where it is necessary to carry

out additional extensive system studies to evaluate more fully the impact of the proposed development, indicate the areas that require more detailed analysis. Before such additional studies are required, the **Applicant** shall indicate whether it wishes **NGC** to undertake the work necessary to proceed to make a revised **Offer** within the three (3) month period or, where relevant, the timescale consented to by the **Authority**. To enable **NGC** to carry out any of the above mentioned necessary detailed system studies the **Applicant** may, at the request of **NGC**, be required to provide some or all of the **Detailed Planning Data** listed in Part 2 of the Appendix to the **Planning Code** which is part of the **Grid Code**.

8. In the course of processing your application, it may be necessary for **NGC** to consult the appropriate **Public Distribution System Operator(s)** on matters of technical compatibility of the **GB Transmission System** with their **Distribution System(s)** or to consult the **Relevant Transmission Licensees** to establish the works required on the **GB Transmission System**. On grounds of commercial confidentiality, **NGC** shall need your authorisation to the release to the **Public Distribution System Operator(s)** or **Relevant Transmission Licensees** of certain information contained in your application. Any costs incurred by **NGC** in consulting the **Public Distribution System Operator(s)** or **Relevant Transmission Licensees** would be included in the **NGC** charges for the **Modification Application**. If it is found by the **Public Distribution System Operator(s)** that any work is required on their **Distribution System(s)**, then it will be for the **Public Distribution System Operator(s)** and the **Applicant** to reach agreement in accordance with Paragraph 6.10.3 of the **CUSC**.
9. Data submitted pursuant to this application shall be deemed submitted pursuant to the **Grid Code**.
10. **NGC's Offer** will, to the extent appropriate, be based upon its standard form terms of **Modification Offer** and the statement of charges issued by **NGC** under Standard Conditions C4 and C6 of the **Transmission Licence**. The **Applicant** should bear in mind **NGC's** standard form terms of **Offer** when making this application.
11. **Applicants** who are licensed generators should appreciate that they will be required to perform **Mandatory Ancillary Services** to ensure that System Operational Standards can be achieved. This requirement may have implications towards Plant specification. You should be satisfied before an application is made that your intended Plant design can meet the requirements. **Applicants** are therefore recommended to contact **NGC's** Headquarters for further information where our staff will be pleased to help.
12. Please complete this application form in black print and return it duly signed to **CUSC Panel Secretary**, The National Grid Company plc, Warwick Technology Park, Gallows Hill, Warwick, CV34 6DA (Telephone No. 01926 65 3000).
13. For the most up to date contact details applicants are advised to contact the National Grid website at www.nationalgrid.com/uk.

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MODIFICATION – APPLICATION

Please study the following notes before completing and signing this application form.

A. DETAILS OF APPLICANT

1. Name:
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2. Address:
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3. Registered Office/Address (including e-mail address for CUSC notices and Registration Number):
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4. Name, title and address of contacts for the purposes of this application, giving description of the field of responsibility of each person:
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5 If **Applicant** is an agent, please give name(s) and address(es) of person(s) for whom the **Applicant** is acting:

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B THE CONNECTION SITE TO BE MODIFIED

1. Please identify by name the **Connection Site** at which the **Modification** is to be undertaken.

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2. Give details of the rights in any additional land which you are proposing to acquire at the **Connection Site** (to include leasehold and freehold interests and in the case of **Connection Sites** in Scotland legal interests and heritable or leasehold interests including servitudes or other real rights) so as to undertake the **Modification**).

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3. Is space available on the **Connection Site** for working storage and accommodation areas for **NGC** contractors or, for **Connection Sites**, in Scotland the contractors of the **Relevant Transmission Licensees**? If so, please indicate by reference to a plan the location of such areas, giving the approximate dimensions of the same.

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4. Please provide details (including copies of any surveys or reports) of the physical nature of any additional land the subject to your answer to Question 2 above including the nature of the ground and the sub-soil including the results of the following tests:-

[NGC to specify]

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- 5 Please give details and provide copies of all existing relevant planning and other consents (statutory or otherwise) held by you relating to the **Connection Site** or the **Modification** and/or details of any pending applications for the same.

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- 6 Please indicate what, if any, of the necessary construction works necessary for the **Modification** you would like **NGC** to conduct upon your behalf.

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C. TECHNICAL INFORMATION

1. Please provide full details of the proposed **Modification** together with the relevant **Standard Planning Data** as listed in Part 1 of the Appendix to the **Planning Code** to the extent that the data will change from previously submitted Committed Project Planning Data or Connected Planning Data as a result of the proposed **Modification**. Note: the data concerned form part of the **Planning Code** and **Data Registration Code**. **Applicants** should refer to these sections of the **Grid Code** for an explanation.

2. Please notify **NGC** as to whether the **Modification** is associated with a **BELLA Application** and if so details of the relevant **BELLA Application**.

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D. PROGRAMME

Please provide a suggested construction programme in bar chart form for the construction works necessary to install the **Modification** (not the **Transmission Connection Assets** needing to be installed) indicating the anticipated date when the connection will be required to be made.

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1. We hereby apply to modify our connection to the **GB Transmission System** at [] **Connection Site**.
2. We agree to pay **NGC's** Engineering Charges on the terms specified in the Notes to the **Connection Application**.
3. We will promptly inform **NGC** of any change in the information given in this **Application** as quickly as practicable after becoming aware of any such change.
4. We authorise the release of certain information, on the grounds of commercial confidentiality, to the appropriate **Public Distribution System Operator(s)** or **Relevant Transmission Licensees** should it be considered necessary.
5. We confirm that we do/do not meet **NGC's Credit Rating/Approved Credit Rating**.
6. We confirm that this **Modification** [is/is not] associated with a **BELLA Application**

Signed By:

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For and on behalf of the Applicant

Date.....

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