# **Standardised LC4B Connection Statement Framework**

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**Version control** 

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Things you or your contractor may do to minimise costs
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# Part 4 Connections provided on a Competitive Basis

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Procedure for obtaining a point of connection and quotation for non-contestable works.

What to expect at the quotation stage
What to expect after accepting a quotation
Factors influencing costs
Things you or your contractor may do to minimise costs

#### Information for ICPs

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### Part 5 Indicative charges

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[Possibly to be included in integrated Charging Statement]
Purpose of this section
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# Part 6 Disputes

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Disputes process (DNO escalation process, Energywatch and rights to determination)