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Dear Philip,

Re: Modifying the arrangements for the use of objections in the non-domestic market.

Opus Energy Limited (Opus) welcome the opportunity to provide views on the use of objections and re-contracting in the non-domestic supply market. Opus would support the modification to the supply licences and would be in agreement with the three points raised.

- a) Suppliers should not use the objection window to obtain and then rely on new rights to object.

In accordance of our letter of the 7th June 2007, in response to the open letter regarding Objections, Opus suggested that the governance should be amended so that suppliers could raise an objection using criteria that was evident and in place at the time of receipt of the D0058.

Therefore, should the customer be supplied under a Deemed contract, the Old Supplier will not be able to raise an objection. If the Old Supplier then re-contracts with the customer then they must proceed using the standard registration process as a new supplier.

- b) Proposed changes to supply licences.

Opus is in support of the proposed changes to the supply licence as it is in support of the response as given above.

c) Licence conditions applying to Deemed Contracts

At the current time, Opus does not have any information that would support the argument to include Deemed Contracts within the licence amendment.

This letter is not Confidential and we would be happy for it to be published with your findings.

Yours sincerely

Steve James
Manager