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Dear Ian

**Notice under section 11A(3) of the Electricity Act 1989 (the "Act") (re: modification of Condition C16 (Procurement and use of balancing services) of the electricity transmission licence (the "transmission licence") treated as granted to National Grid Electricity Transmission plc ("NGET") under section 6(1)(b) of the Act)**

I refer to the notice (the "Notice") given by the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority on 25 August 2009 pursuant to Section 11A(3) of the Act that it proposes to modify the transmission licence in the manner set out in the Schedule to the Notice.

I confirm that, for the purposes of Section 11A(6) of the Act, NGET has no objection to the proposed modifications set out in the Schedule to the Notice.

Yours sincerely



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