

# *LCN Fund Full Submission*

## *Supplementary Answer Form*

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Project code:	WPDT2002	Question Number	1
Question date	25 <sup>th</sup> August 2011	Answer date	30 <sup>th</sup> August 2011
Submission section question relates to	Proforma 4 (b)		
Topic	Cost Benefit		
Question	Can you explain how these investment figures fit with WPD's direct experience of the costs of network reinforcement?		
Notes on question			
Answer	<p>The investment costs are taken from the ENA/ICL paper ("Benefits of Advanced Smart Metering for Demand Response based Control of Distribution Networks - Summary Report", version 2.0, April 2010, ENA/ICL, Table 6.1). Both Central Networks and WPD contributed to the base data including network details of parts of the Central Networks system and actual network capital investment costs. Therefore the investment costs in the ENA/ICL paper are reflective of WPD's direct experience of the costs of network reinforcement.</p>		

Attachments	
Verbal Clarifications  (Consultants )	