



Making a positive difference
for energy consumers

Capacity Market Rules Change

Reference number (to be
completed by Ofgem):
P082

Name of Organisation(s) / individual(s):
Anonymous

Date Submitted:
23 January 2015

Type of Change:

- Amendment
- Addition
- Revoke
- Substitution

If applicable, whether you are aware of an alternative proposal already submitted which this proposal relates to:

What the proposal relates to and if applicable, what current provision of Rules the proposal relates to (please state provision number):

3.6.1 That STOR data, as held by National Grid in their role as System Operator, be permitted as acceptable evidence of previous performance. Currently the rules only permit BMU data for transmitted plant and settlement data from a Supplier as acceptable evidence of previous performance.

Description of the issue that the change proposal seeks to address:

For some distributed plant under STOR contract, it is possible that the plant may not generate to the required level for an entire settlement period on the three required occasions (Rule 3.6.1 (b)). As these plant are not able to self-dispatch, they may not be able to meet the requirement as currently drafted.

It should be sufficient to meet the policy intent that these plant can demonstrate that they are able to achieve the required level of output within three separate settlement periods, even if the average output over the half hour settlement period is below the required level. The System Operator should be required to supply the necessary data within a reasonable period of request.

If applicable, please state the proposed revised drafting (please highlight the change):

3.6.1 (c) new
For a CMU that is not able to self-dispatch during the twenty-four month window due to restrictions contained in contractual agreements with the System Operator, the System Operator must provide, within a reasonable period upon request, the three highest achieved outputs within three separate Settlement periods.

Analysis and evidence on the impact on industry and/or consumers including any risks to note when making the revision - including, any potential implications for industry codes:

N/A

Details of Proposer *(please include name, telephone number, email and organisation):*

The proposer requested that these details remain anonymous.