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Dear Victoria

**Re: Statutory Consultation on proposed licence modifications to ensure Great Britain's (GB's) compliance with the European Union legislative definition of gas day**

We welcome the opportunity to respond to this consultation, which is made on behalf of, National Grid Gas plc (NGG), in its role as owner and operator of the Gas National Transmission System (NTS) and as owner and operator of the Retained Distribution Networks (RDNs) in Great Britain.

We support Ofgem's view that the proposed licence modifications are required for GB to comply with EU legislative requirements. NGG agrees with the proposed amendments to the following licence conditions:

- Standard Special Condition A3 (1) (Definitions and Interpretation)
- Standard Special Condition A11 (1B) (Network Code and Uniform Network Code)
- Special Condition 1A.4 (Restriction of revenue in respect of the Distribution Network Transportation Activity: definitions) (Applicable to the RDNs only)
- Special Condition 1A.4 (Definitions) (Applicable to NTS only)
- Special Condition 3D.32 (The daily linepack performance measure) (Applicable to NTS only)

If you would like to discuss any aspect of this response please contact Hayley Burden (NGG NTS) on 01926 65972 or at [Hayley.Burden@nationalgrid.com](mailto:Hayley.Burden@nationalgrid.com), or Chris Bowler (NGG RDNs) on 07798 655066, or at [Chris.Bowler@uk.ngrid.com](mailto:Chris.Bowler@uk.ngrid.com)

Yours sincerely,

[By email]

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