

Elective half-hourly settlement: tracker

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- This table is intended to consolidate information about the changes to enable cost-effective elective half-hourly settlement, making it easier for parties to keep track of them.
- It should be read alongside Ofgem's conclusions paper¹ and the recommendations of the Balancing and Settlement Code Settlement Reform Advisory Group (SRAG) led by ELEXON.²
- For papers on each change, please follow the links in the 'change reference' column to the relevant pages on code administrators' websites.
- Decisions have been made on all the changes – we will therefore not be updating this tracker further. **However, we remain keen to speak to those interested in elective half-hourly settlement.** If you would like to get in touch with Ofgem on this subject, please e-mail half-hourlysettlement@ofgem.gov.uk.

Change area	Source	Code	Change reference	Proposer	Current status	Next workgroup/ committee	Next consultation	Expected decision	Changes since last version
Revised end to end process	SRAG	BSC	BSC CP1469 – Changes to support the implementation of the SRAG's recommendations	ELEXON	Approved by October SVG – to implement in June 2017 Release				
		MRA	DTC CP3496 – Changes to support the implementation of the SRAG recommendations	ELEXON	Approved by September MDB – to implement in June 2017 Release				
		BSC	BSC CP1466 - Removing SMETS compliant Meters from the scope of BSCP601 'Metering Protocol Approval and Compliance Testing'	ELEXON	Approved by BSC Panel – implemented in February 2017 Release.				
Increased HH data precision	SRAG	BSC	BSC CP1464 – Requiring HH consumption data to be processed to appropriate precision	ELEXON	Withdrawn – superseded by BSC CP1469 above				
		MRA	DTC CP3492 – Increasing the precision of data items relating to Half-Hourly (HH) Advances	ELEXON	Withdrawn – superseded by DTC CP3496 above, which includes increased data precision				
New Consumption Component Classes	SRAG	BSC	P339 - Introduction of new Consumption Component Classes for Measurement Classes E-G	Ovo Energy	Approved by December BSC Panel – to implement in April 2017				
Applying Group Correction Factor to certain HH sites	Conclusions paper	BSC	Considered through P339	“	“				
Additional CoMC process for smart meters	Conclusions paper	BSC	BSC CP1474 – Updating the CoMC processes to facilitate the elective HH settlement of SMETS Meters	ELEXON	Approved by January BSC Panel – to implement in June 2017				
Relaxation of read performance requirements	Conclusions paper	BSC	P347 – Relaxation of R1 Read performance requirements	RWE Npower	Approved by Authority in January – to implement in April 2017				
Addressing overcharging for transmission charges	Conclusions paper	CUSC	CMP266 - Removal of Demand TNUoS charging as a barrier to future elective Half Hourly settlement	National Grid	Approved by Authority in December – to implement in April 2017				
BSC specified charges	Conclusions paper	BSC	P346 – Changes to the BSC Specified Charges to facilitate Elective HH settlement	British Gas	Approved by November BSC Panel – to implement in April 2017				

¹ <https://www.ofgem.gov.uk/publications-and-updates/elective-half-hourly-settlement-conclusions-paper>

² https://www.elexon.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2015/10/27_249_13A_SRAG_Report_PUBLIC2.pdf