European Network Codes (Development & Implementation)







10th October 2017



Code Status Update

Code	Current Status	Implementation date
CAM Amendments & Incremental	Entered into Force 6 April 2017	Applicable from 6 April 2017.
Capacity Modifications	597: Rules for the release of incremental capacity at Interconnection Points 598S: Amendments to Capacity Allocations Mechanisms to comply with EU Capacity Regulations	Implemented
	Capacity Conversion Mod raised 0616S Out to consultation Until 12 October 2017 For further information please refer to Joint Office: http://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0616	Capacity Conversion effective from 1st Jan 2018.

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Tariffs (TAR)	Entered into Force 6 April 2017 Mods now being raised: Main Mod: UNC Mod 0621 Supplementary Mod: Combined ASEPs For further information please refer to Joint Office: http://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0621 NTSCMF http://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/ntscmf Support Mod for CAM Incremental 0611S approved For further information please refer to Joint	Applicable from 6 April 2017, 1 October 2017, 31 May 2019. Applicable from 1 October 2017
	Office: http://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0611	
Transparency (TRA)	Entered into Force 6 April 2017	Applicable from 01 October 2017. First publication 2 December 2017.

UNC Mod 0621: Amendments to national grid Gas Transmission Charging Regime

- Main Mod now raised (UNC 0621)
 - Holistic GB charging review incorporating EU requirements
 - http://www.gasgovernance.co.uk/0621

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Timeline driven by EU Tariff Code implemented by end of May 2019, prices impacted from October 2019.

UNC Mod 0621: Amendments to national grid Gas Transmission Charging Regime

- 10 October 2017: Publication of draft proposal
- 13 October 2017: Proposals discussed at NTSCMF
- This is a draft proposal and some items may need ongoing consideration
- Further updates to be presented at future NTSCMFs

- Latest draft of UNC 0621:
 - General principle of Mod is that Transmission Revenues should mainly be collected through capacity
 - It is proposed that the new charging framework transitions to this approach due to the number of significant changes proposed

- The proposed Reference Price Methodology shall be the Capacity Weighted Distance approach
- Forecast Contract Capacity (FCC) shall recognise requirement for transition
 - May initially be based on obligated levels or % thereof
 - Methodology to be revisited after couple of years with aim for FCC to be close to bookings by 2021

- Non-Transmission Services
 - Shall remain a flow based charged
 - Charges for St Fergus compression, Meter Maintenance & DN Pensions Deficit shall be classified as non-transmission services
 - Revenues from these to be excluded prior to calculation of Non-Transmission Services flow based charge

- Storage
 - Will acknowledge requirement to avoid doublecharging
 - May propose a 50% discount to capacity charge
 - Will be exempt from flow based charges
 - No proposal for discounts to LNG entry points or IPs

- Multipliers and Seasonal Factors
 - Single regime approach shall apply to all points not just IPs
 - No zero prices from 1 October 2019
 - No seasonal factors
 - Annual consultation as to level of multipliers
 - NGG believes that it is a compliance requirement to have actual default values in code
 - "actual values" will be contained in a separate document

Gas Charging Review: UNC Mod 0621

Revenue Recovery Charge

- Both flow-based charges and capacity based revenue recovery charges have their challenges
- May initially propose a flow-based charge whilst recognising the compliance challenges re required justification
- This charge is expected to reduce during transition phase and should be much reduced when FCC is close to bookings
- Nature of revenue recovery charge may be reviewed along with FCC methodology for 2021

- Short-haul
 - It is the current intention to propose a shorthaul charge
 - This shall be a Transmission Services charge
 - Structure of charge will depend on nature of transition
 - Charge shall be annually updated
 - Inclusion of distance cap being explored

UNC Mod for Capacity Treatment at Combined ASEPs

- New mod facilitates the ability to apply adjustments to tariffs at specific classifications of points within an ASEP
 - Will include treatment of capacity associated with storage facilities within an ASEP and capacity associated with abandoned projects
- Mod highly dependent on proposals in UNC 0621

UNC Mod for Capacity Treatment at Combined ASEPs

- NGG has trialled new pre-mod process involving industry WebEx and physical meeting after scheduled Transmission Workgroup
- Details will be discussed at Transmission Workgroup on 2 November
 - Implementation timeline as for UNC 0621

Tariff Code: Transparency Requirements

- Publication of IP reserve prices on ENTSOG Platform by December
 - System testing currently underway
 - New page on Platform goes live 2 December 2017

Publication of detailed charging and financial information on TSO website (Art 30) by end of year

ENTSOG 2nd TAR NC Implementation Workshop

- Second External TAR NC Implementation Workshop on 5 October.
 - Updated IDoc (Implementation Document) now published
 - Includes updates based on stakeholder feedback from 1st workshop
 - IDoc and all materials now published on ENTSOG website
 - <u>https://www.entsog.eu/events/second-implementation-workshop-for-the-network-code-on-harmonised-transmission-tariff-structures-for-gas-tar-nc</u>

TAR NC: Monitoring Reports

- 2 October 2017: TSOs issued with questionnaires for Implementation Monitoring Report and Effect Monitoring Report
 - Responses required by 2 November and 2 December 2017.
 - ACER to produce reports by Q1 2018.
- National Grid shall publish its submission on its website