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Dear Heather

Preparing for EU Exit: statutory consultation on consequential licence modifications in the event the UK leaves the EU without a deal

I am writing on behalf of Western Power Distribution (South Wales) plc, Western Power Distribution (South West) plc, Western Power Distribution (East Midlands) plc and Western Power Distribution (West Midlands) plc.

We understand the effect of the proposed modifications is to enable the relatively limited references to EU Regulations in the Distribution Licence to continue to have effect in the event of a "No Deal Bexit", in so far as they are Retained Law.

We have no comments on the drafting.

Yours sincerely

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