

Consent given by the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority pursuant to Standard Condition 9 (Claims for Last Resort Supply Payment) of the Gas Supply Licence granted or treated as granted under section 7A of the Gas Act 1986 to Together Energy (Retail) Limited

To: Together Energy (Retail) Limited (Company number 10300767)

Whereas:

A. Together Energy (Retail) Limited (the "**Licensee**") is the holder of a gas supply licence (the "**Licence**") granted or treated as granted under section 7(A)(1) of the Gas Act 1986.

B. The Gas and Electricity Markets Authority (the "**Authority**") issued the Licensee with a direction to supply gas to the customers of OneSelect Limited with effect on and from 14 December 2018 under paragraph 1 of standard condition 8 of the Licence (the "**Last Resort Supply Direction**").¹

C. The Licensee gave notice to the Authority on 31 January 2019 of its claim² for a payment to compensate for any additional costs it incurred in complying with a Last Resort Supply Direction (a "**Last Resort Supply Payment**") under standard condition 9.3 of the Licence.

D. Standard conditions 9.5 and 9.6 of the Licence state that the Authority will give its consent for the Licensee to make the claim notified to it if it considers it appropriate in all the circumstances of the case, or the Authority may determine that an amount other than the one calculated by the Licensee is a more accurate calculation of the relevant amount for the Last Resort Supply Payment.

E. The Authority consulted on its determination of the amount it considered appropriate for the Licensee to recover.

F. The Authority has made a final decision on the relevant amount it will consent to the Licensee recovering as a Last Resort Supply Payment, taking into account representations from interested parties. The reasons for the Authority's decision can be found in its decision document.³

Therefore:

G. Pursuant to standard condition 9.6 of the Licence, the Authority hereby consents for the Licensee to claim for a Last Resort Supply Payment of up to £2,031,212 from the relevant gas transporters. Pursuant to standard condition 9 of the Licence, relevant gas transporters are gas transporter licensees in whose transportation areas there were premises supplied under the Last Resort Supply Direction, excluding independent gas transporters. This amount shall be reduced by 45% of any amounts the Licensee recovers from the liquidation of OneSelect Limited.

¹ <https://www.ofgem.gov.uk/publications-and-updates/eddington-energy-supply-limited-gas-supplier-last-resort> - while this direction was addressed to "Eddington Energy Supply Limited", the Licensee changed its name to "Together Energy (Retail) Limited" on 7 June 2019.

² <https://www.ofgem.gov.uk/publications-and-updates/last-resort-supplier-payment-claim-co-operative-energy>

³ <https://www.ofgem.gov.uk/publications-and-updates/decision-last-resort-supplier-payment-claim-together-energy-retail-limited>

H. This consent shall take effect on and from 9 September 2019.

Dated: 9 September 2019

Signed

Lesley Nugent

Deputy Director, Licensing Frameworks

Duly authorised on behalf of the Authority