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| **Draft Determination Publication** | |
| **Network Queries** | |
| **Network Reference number** | CADENT \_DDQ\_80 |
| **Licence** | All Cadent Networks |
| **Topic/Activity:** | Error in Repex Services Synthetic calculation – file 3 |
| **Question:** | In the sheet Cal Services Synthetic Cost Cadj, the last row for each GDN, for Other domestic relays, usually references 11 cells. However, for Southern, this row (row 85) references over 100 cells, apparently in error, with the result that its repex synthetic for mains and services appears to be overstated by around 37% over the 13 years. Given that repex has a 39% weight in the “totex” CSV, this would be expected to materially impact the benchmarking analysis.  Please can you confirm that you will update the repex synthetic calculation for Southern’s services to match those of the other GDNs. |
| **Confidential** | No |
| **DDQ raised by** | Jeremy Thomson |
| **Date query raised** | 07/08/2020 |
| **Expected response date** | 11/08/2020 |
| **Ofgem Response:**  Thanks for pointing this out, we added the issue to the error log. We will update the repex synthetic cost calculation. | |
| **Attachments:** | |