

All interested parties

Email: licensing@ofgem.gov.uk

Date: 07 November 2019

Dear Colleague,

Invitation to Supplier Licensing Review workshop on 26 November 2019

Last month we published a consultation and draft Impact Assessment setting out our proposals for the next stage of the Supplier Licensing Review. This set out a package of proposals for 'ongoing requirements' on suppliers operating in the market and 'exit arrangements' to mitigate the negative effects of supplier exit.¹ We would like to invite you to attend a **workshop on the 26th November 2019 at the Marriot Hotel, Canary Wharf** to discuss these proposals.

We launched the Supplier Licensing Review in November 2018 to review our approach to licensing and regulating suppliers in order to raise standards around suppliers' financial resilience and customer service.² We have already introduced changes to the new entry requirements,³ and intend to introduce changes to ongoing requirements and exit arrangements next year.

The purpose of this workshop is to hear your views on the proposals we set out in our recent consultation, with particular focus on stakeholder views on our cost mutualisation, milestone assessments and living wills policy options.

Please respond to licensing@ofgem.gov.uk by **Thursday 14 November 2019** to secure your place and indicate the following:

- Full Name and job title
- Organisation
- Any specific dietary requirements

We will circulate an agenda to attendees in due course, but we currently expect registration to begin at 9:30am, the workshop to start promptly at 10.00am and end at 4.30pm. We will try to accommodate up to two attendees per organisation, but depending on the level of interest, we may need to restrict attendance to one per organisation.

Yours sincerely,

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¹ Ofgem, [Supplier Licensing Review: Ongoing requirements and exit arrangements](#), October 2019

² Ofgem, [Supplier Licensing Review](#), November 2018

³ Ofgem, [Supplier Licensing Review: Final Proposals on Entry Requirements](#), April 2019