

EXTRACT FROM TRANSMISSION LICENCE – CONDITION 7A(4)

4. The BSC shall include procedures for its own modification (including procedures for the modification of the modification procedures themselves), which procedures shall provide (without prejudice to any procedures for modification of the BSC set out in the programme implementation scheme provided for in Condition 7C or in the BSC by reference to the programme implementation scheme):
 - (a) for proposals for modification of the BSC to be made by the Licensee, BSC Parties and such other persons or bodies as the BSC may provide;
 - (a) where such a proposal is made,
 - (i) for bringing the proposal to the attention of BSC Parties and such other persons as may have an appropriate interest in it;
 - (ii) for proper consideration of any representations on the proposal;
 - (iii) for properly evaluating whether the proposed modification would better facilitate achieving the Applicable BSC Objective(s), provided that so far as any such evaluation requires information which is not generally available concerning the Licensee or the Licensee's Transmission System, such evaluation shall be made on the basis of the Licensee's proper assessment (which the Licensee shall make available for these purposes) of the effect of the proposed modification on the matters referred to in paragraphs 3(a) and (b);
 - (iv) for development of any alternative modification which may, as compared with the proposed modification, better facilitate achieving the Applicable BSC Objective(s);
 - (v) for the preparation of a report
 - setting out the proposed modification and any alternative,
 - evaluating the proposed modification and any alternative,
 - assessing the extent to which the proposed modification or any alternative would better facilitate achieving the Applicable BSC Objective(s),
 - assessing the impact of the modification on the Core Industry Documents and the changes expected to be required to such documents as a consequence of such modification,

- setting out a timetable for implementation of the modification and any alternative, including the date with effect from which such modification (if made) is to take effect; and
- (vi) for the submission of the report to the Director as soon after the proposal is made as is appropriate (taking into account the complexity, importance and urgency of the modification) for the proper execution and completion of the steps in sub-paragraphs (i) to (v);
- (c) for the timetable (referred to in sub-paragraph (b)(v)) for implementation of any modification to be such as will enable the modification to take effect as soon as practicable after the Director has directed such modification to be made, account being taken of the complexity, importance and urgency of the modification, and for that timetable to be extended with the consent of or as directed by the Director;
- (d) for empowering the Licensee to secure, if so directed by the Director in circumstances specified in the BSC,
 - (i) that the modification procedures are complied with in respect of any particular modification in accordance with the terms of the direction;
 - (ii) that, where a modification has been made but not implemented in accordance with its terms, all reasonable steps are taken to implement it in accordance with the terms of the direction and
 - (iii) that the Licensee can recover its reasonable costs and expenses properly incurred in complying with the direction.