Date: 29 July 2004

Our Ref: P147

Your Ref:

National Grid

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Chris Rowell Modification Secretary Elexon Limited 5th Floor 350 Euston Road LONDON NW1 3AW

Dear Chris

Modification of the Balancing and Settlement Code ("BSC"): Modification Proposal P147

On 29 July 2004 National Grid Company plc ("NGC") received notice from the Gas and Electricity Markets Authority that it had decided not to direct NGC to make Modification Proposal P147 to the Balancing and Settlement Code.

Accordingly, NGC hereby gives notice of such notification to the Modification Secretary pursuant to Paragraph 1.1.4 of Section F of the Balancing and Settlement Code.

Yours sincerely

Clare Talbot for and on behalf of National Grid Company plc



