

Change Proposal – BSCP40/01	CP No: 1175 Version No: 1.0
Title <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> Revision of BSCP 601 – Appendix ‘Specification Compliance Testing Codes of Practice One, Two, Three and Five’	
Description of Problem/Issue <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> BSCP601 ‘Metering Protocol Approval and Compliance Testing’ sets out the processes by which Meter Manufacturers, Meter Operator Agents, Half Hourly Data Collectors and other Half Hourly Metering Equipment users can apply for Compliance Testing and Protocol Approval of Half Hourly Metering Equipment. BSCP601 covers the application process, submission of Metering Equipment, communications with the Compliance and Protocol Testing Agents and the issue and removal of certificates. Tests that the Compliance Testing Agent is required to undertake on submitted Metering Equipment in order to comply with Codes of Practice (CoPs) One, Two, Three and Five are set out in an Appendix to BSCP601 (the ‘Generic Test Specification’). Changes to Codes of Practice One and Two were implemented in the February 2006 BSC Systems Release under CP1051. A number of consequential changes to the Generic Test Specification have been identified to reflect the changes to CoP One and Two. This Change Proposal has been raised to progress the necessary amendments.	
Proposed Solution(s) <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> Attachment 1 details the changes required to BSCP 601 – Appendix ‘Specification Compliance Testing of Metering Equipment: Codes of Practice One, Two, Three and Five’	
Justification for Change <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> This change is required to ensure the specified Compliance Testing remains consistent with the relevant CoPs and that Metering Protocol Approval and Compliance Testing is conducted against an appropriate baseline.	
Is the Change being proposed a Housekeeping Change? <i>(optional by originator)</i> Y/N ¹	
Configurable Items Potentially Affected by Proposed Solution(s) <i>(optional by originator)</i> BSCP 601 – Appendix ‘Specification Compliance Testing of Metering Equipment: Codes of Practice One, Two, Three and Five’	
Impact on Core Industry Documents or System Operator-Transmission Owner Code <i>(optional by originator)</i> None identified	
Related Changes and/or Projects <i>(mandatory by BSCCo)</i> CP1174 – ‘Changes to BSCP601 and Compliance Test Specification’ affects BSCP 601, including the appendix affected by this Change Proposal.	

¹ The relevant Panel Committee will decide whether a Change Proposal can be progressed as a Housekeeping Change Proposal.

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Requested Implementation Date <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> Earliest opportunity Reason: The current compliance testing specification is inconsistent with prevailing versions of the relevant CoPs. A number of Metering Systems are scheduled to go through the Metering Protocol Approval and Compliance Testing process in the near future. It is necessary to ensure that this process is conducted against a baseline which is consistent with the prevailing version of the relevant CoPs.	
Agreed Release/Implementation Date <i>(mandatory by BSCCo)</i>	
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Attachments: Y (If Yes, No. of Pages attached:...25.....) <i>(delete as appropriate)</i>	