

Reference: P288 Self-Governance Statement

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Dear Dora,

This is the BSC Panel's Self-Governance Statement to the Authority for Modification Proposal P288<sup>1</sup>. ELEXON has prepared this Self-Governance Statement on the Panel's behalf, and submits it to you in accordance with BSC Section F6.

The Panel believes that P288 meets the Self-Governance Criteria set out in Annex X-1 (and referred to in Section F6) of the BSC. We explain the Panel's reasons in Appendix 1 of this Self-Governance Statement.

P288 was raised by the Panel at its meeting on 08 November 2012 and sent straight to the Report Phase. As part of its Report Phase Consultation, the Panel requested that industry members provide their views on whether P288 meets the Self-Governance Criteria. In accordance with BSC Section F6.1.2, we have also attached copies of these P288 Report Phase Consultation responses. The Panel reserves its right to change its mind at its next meeting on the basis of any further information provided by respondents.

The Panel's next meeting is on 13 December 2012. At this meeting, the Panel will consider the P288 Report Phase Consultation responses. If the Panel still believes that P288 meets the Self-Governance Criteria, and the Authority has not issued a contrary direction, then the Panel will determine whether to approve or reject P288.

All P288 documentation is available from ELEXON's website<sup>2</sup>. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require further information.

Yours sincerely,  
Adam Lattimore  
BSC Modification Secretary

## **Appendix 1 – Panel's reasons why P288 meets the Self-Governance Criteria**

### **Attachment 1 – P288 Initial Written Assessment**

### **Attachment 2 – P288 Draft Modification Report**

### **Attachment 3 – P288 Report Phase Consultation responses**

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<sup>1</sup> Aligning Supplier Charge SP08a calculation with current practice

<sup>2</sup> <http://www.elexon.co.uk/mod-proposal/p288/>

## **Appendix 1 – Panel’s reasons why P288 meets the Self-Governance Criteria**

The Panel’s view is that P288 meets the Self-Governance Criteria.

In support of this view, the Panel has provided the following reasons:

- P288 is self-evident in that it corrects a known inconsistency within the Code; and
- P288 will have no material impact on existing or future consumers, competition, Transmission System operation, wider market/network management issues or Code procedures, and does not discriminate between different classes of Parties.