

#### 4.5. MP Form

<b>Modification Proposal – BSCP40/03</b>	MP No: P292
<b>Title of Modification Proposal:</b> Amending Supplier & Meter Operator Agent responsibilities for smart Meter Technical Details	
<b>Submission Date:</b> 4 March 2013	
<b>Description of Proposed Modification</b>  This Modification seeks to change the responsibilities in Section S of the BSC to reflect new smart requirements in respect of Meter Operating Agents (MOAs) maintaining and distributing Meter Technical Details (MTDs) as set out by the Department of Energy and Climate Change's (DECC) Smart Metering Implementation Programme (SMIP). Whilst the majority of current MOA responsibilities will endure, some will move from the Non-Half Hourly (NHH) MOA to the Supplier.  This change will also require a definition of the Smart Metering Equipment Technical Specification (SMETS) to be included in the BSC, which is the document of that name as designated by the Secretary of State for the purposes of the Energy Supply Licence.  The detailed smart MTD requirements will be introduced by <a href="#">CP1388 'Meter Technical Details for Smart Meters'</a> , which is tabled for SVG's endorsement at its 5 March meeting. This Modification will enable the implementation of CP1388 by providing the necessary 'hook in the Code' to enable the BSC and its Code Subsidiary Documents to align with DECC SMIP's operating model.	
<b>Description of Issue or Defect that Modification Proposal Seeks to Address</b>  The DECC SMIP has defined requirements in relation to smart metering <sup>1</sup> arrangements, which impact existing electricity and gas codes.  The SMIP has proposed an operating model for smart MTDs. Under the proposed operating model, Suppliers will take responsibility for configuring the smart Meters and sending the MTD flows to all industry users in place of their appointed MOA. The MOA, however, will remain responsible for installing the smart Meter and then providing physical device details to the Supplier.  A joint BSC-MRA working group has developed the detailed level changes, partly progressed through CP1388, to capture the low-level requirements.  CP1388 proposes amendments to BSC Procedures (BSCPs) 504, 514, 515; and the SVA Data Catalogue Volumes 1 and 2. An MRA change to the Data Transfer Catalogue (DTC) is also required to introduce the three new data flows ("Smart Device Details", "Smart Meter Configuration Details" and "Smart Equipment Work Management Request") along with any associated new data items.  This Modification introduces into the BSC the amendments necessary to allow the implementation of the SMIP changes in both the Code and CSDs.	
<b>Impact on Code:</b>  BSC Section S BSC Section S - Annex S-2 BSC Section X - Annex X-1	

<sup>1</sup> For the purposes of P292, smart Meters will be defined as any Meters that comply with the Smart Metering Equipment Technical Specification (SMETS).

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<b>Impact on Core Industry Documents or System Operator-Transmission Owner Code</b> None	
<b>Impact on BSC Systems and Other Relevant Systems and Processes Used by Parties</b> None	
<b>Impact on other Configurable Items</b>  None directly – though CP1388 is related	
<b>Justification for Proposed Modification with Reference to Applicable BSC Objectives</b>  This Modification would better facilitate the achievement of <b>Applicable BSC Objective (d)</b> 'promoting efficiency in the implementation of the balancing and settlement arrangements'.  This is to enable Suppliers and NHHMOAs to fulfil their future responsibilities under the Smart Energy Code, as is being defined under DECC's SMIP operating model.	
<b>Urgency Recommended:</b> No	
<b>Justification for Urgency Recommendation</b>  N/A	
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<b>Attachments: Yes</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Modification P292 – Proposed Legal Text (2 pages)</li> <li>• CP1388 'Meter Technical Details for Smart Metering' (5 pages)</li> </ul>	