

Modification Proposal – F76/01	MP No: 47 <i>(mandatory by BSCCo)</i>
Title of Modification Proposal <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> : Termination Process for ECVAA and MVRNA Authorisations	
Submission Date <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> : 24 October 2001	
<p>Description of Proposed Modification <i>(mandatory by originator)</i></p> <p>The Code states that the termination is effective when given in accordance with BSCP71 and received by the Energy Contract Volume Allocation Agent (ECVAA). BSCP71 and the ECVAA User Requirement Specification (URS) state that the Authorisation termination notification becomes effective one calendar day after receipt by the ECVAA.</p> <p>It is proposed that the Code is modified to align it with the BSCP and ECVAA USR i.e. to remove the statement that an Authorisation Termination becomes effective when received by the ECVAA.</p> <p><i>“Code P 2.2.2 An ECVNA Authorisation may be terminated by notice, given in accordance with BSCP 71, by either of the Relevant Contract Parties or the Energy Contract Volume Notification Agent to the Energy Contract Volume Aggregation Agent, which notice shall specify:”</i></p> <p><i>“Code P 3.2.2 A MVRNA Authorisation may be terminated by notice, given in accordance with BSCP 71, by any one of the Lead Party, Subsidiary Party or Metered Volume Reallocation Notification Agent to the Energy Contract Volume Aggregation Agent, which notice shall specify:”</i></p>	
<p>Description of Issue or Defect that Modification Proposal Seeks to Address <i>(mandatory by originator)</i></p> <p>Under the current version of the Code an Authorisation termination submitted to the ECVAA will become effective when received by the ECVAA, it is therefore possible that an Authorisation termination can be received and become effective on the same calendar day and hence allow partial day terminations. Under the current arrangements the ECVAA is required to process Authorisations and Notifications within 60 and 15 minutes respectively. In certain circumstance this may introduce grounds for disputes.</p> <p>The current functionality of ECVAA Systems does not support an Authorisation termination notice becoming effect on the same day as it has been received by the ECVAA. To implement this requirement in the ECVAA system will require a software change, an initial estimate indicates that the costs will be in the region of £40,000 to £60,000. A modification to the Code is therefore considered to be a more cost effective option than a change to the ECVAA software.</p>	

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Impact on Code *(optional by Originator)*

Code Section P 2.2 "Termination of ECVNA Authorisations" and 3.1 "Termination of MVRNA Authorisation" will be impacted if the modification is approved.

Impact on Core Industry Documents *(optional by Originator)*

No other Code Subsidiary Document or Core Industry Document will be impacted.

Impact on BSC Systems and Other Relevant Systems and Processes Used by Parties *(optional by originator)*

No Impact

Impact on other Configurable Items *(optional by originator)*

No Impact

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Justification for Proposed Modification with Reference to Applicable BSC Objectives *(mandatory by originator)*

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Attachments: Yes / No *(delete as appropriate) (mandatory by originator)*

YES

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