

Change Proposal – BSCP40/02	CP No: 1263 <i>Version No: 1.0</i> <i>(mandatory by BSCCo)</i>
Title <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> Changes to Communication Requirements Document arising from Project Isis	
Description of Problem/Issue <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> During the implementation phase of the new BSC Services Agreement under Project Isis, there will be two key technical changes to the High Grade Service and Low Grade Service: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Installation and transition to a new CVA Communications Network (affecting existing High Grade Service users); and • Transition to a new version of the XSec security encryption software (affecting existing High Grade and Low Grade Service users). <p>The new High Grade Service will be implemented as part of Project Isis. All existing users of the High Grade Service have been contacted by the Project Isis team in order to establish their chosen communication technical specification (as detailed in CP1263 Attachment A)</p> <p>The Communications Requirements Document (CRD) defines the communication requirements between participants and BSC Central Systems. This needs to be amended to reflect the new technical interface requirements as detailed above.</p>	
Proposed Solution <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> Amend the CRD to reflect the new communication requirements for the High Grade Service and Low Grade Service. The proposed changes to the CRD are detailed in CP1263 Attachment A.	
Justification for Change <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> As part of Project Isis, there will be a new CVA Communications Network and a new version of the XSec security encryption software. For consistency, these changes should be reflected in the Communications Requirement Document.	
To which section of the Code does the CP relate, and does the CP facilitate the current provisions of the Code? <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> Section O ‘Communications under the Code’ details the requirements for the Communication Requirements Document. Section V ‘Reporting’ details the High Grade Service and Low Grade Service requirements.	
Estimated Implementation Costs <i>(mandatory by BSCCo)</i> The estimated ELEXON implementation cost is £440.	
Configurable Items Affected by Proposed Solution(s) <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> Communication Requirements Document	

Impact on Core Industry Documents or System Operator-Transmission Owner Code (*mandatory by originator*)

None identified

Related Changes and/or Projects (*mandatory by BSCCo*)

Project Isis

Requested Implementation Date (*mandatory by originator*)

February 2009 BSC Systems Release

Reason:

As the new BPO Host contract will become effective on 1 April 2009, the CRD changes need to be in place before this date, and therefore require implementation as part of the February 2009 Release.

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