

Change Proposal – F40/01	CP No: 1038 Version No: 1.0
Title <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> Optional Data Items in D0052 Flow	
Description of Problem/Issue <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> <p>All data items on the 'Affirmation of Metering System Settlement Details (D0052) flow are mandatory. This can result in D0052 flows being rejected due to inconsistencies in items other than those which the Supplier is intending to change. For example, on change of Standard Settlement Configuration (SSC) or Profile Class, a D0052 may be rejected because of validation of the Effective From Settlement Date of the GSP Group or the Measurement Class.</p> <p>In particular, Suppliers may experience difficulties in populating the Effective From Settlement Date {MSGGDC} (J0093). Although the 'Confirmation of the Registration of a Metering Point (D0217) flow includes a Metering System's GSP Group, it does not include the effective date of when the Metering System was registered in the GSP Group. This presents Suppliers with difficulties in populating the D0052 flow and may cause the flow to be rejected, depending on the validation applied by the recipient NHHDC.</p> <p>Validation issues can also arise from the effective dates used at market start up and the varying conventions for dealing with such effective date mismatches can cause additional problems on re-appointment of NHHDC. Attempts to align market start up dates can be further complicated by the fact that some NHHDC systems do not allow effective dates to be changed to an earlier date.</p>	
Proposed Solution(s) <i>(mandatory by originator)</i> <p>Amend the definition of the D0052 flow such that data items are optional unless required in the business context in which the D0052 is being sent. This will mean that Effective From Settlement Dates only need to be provided when there is a change of SSC, Profile Class, Measurement Class or GSP Group on these dates, such that problems caused by validating the Effective From Settlement Dates of unchanged items will no longer arise.</p> <p>The proposed solution is described in detail in Attachment A.</p> <p>Please note that CP1039 – Use of D0052 flow on change of Supplier and change of NHHDC – also mitigates against some of these problems by not requiring the NHHDC to apply effective date changes, where there has been no change to the associated settlement data item.</p> <p>A further change to add the GSP Group Effective Date to the D0217 was considered by the attendees of a D0052 Workshop hosted by ELEXON in August 2003. This change was discounted by Workshop attendees on the basis that the extent of the problem was not thought to justify the cost of a change to the Data Transfer Catalogue.</p>	

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<p>Justification for Change <i>(mandatory by originator)</i></p> <p>The D0052 flow is a significant flow in terms of Suppliers notifying NHHDCs of settlement details and Initial EAC values. It is designed to ensure that the correct details are used in profiling and aggregation. The D0052 also has a key role in the annual review of Profile Classes (BSCP516), resolving Default EACs and Non-Half Hourly Data Aggregation exceptions (as reported on the D0095).</p> <p>The proposed change will ensure that D0052 flows are not rejected unnecessarily by NHHDCs and will bring improvements in the execution of the above processes.</p>	
<p>Configurable Items Potentially Affected by Proposed Solution(s) <i>(optional by Originator)</i></p> <p>SVA Data Catalogue</p>	
<p>Impact on Core Industry Documents <i>(optional by originator)</i></p> <p>A change to the Data Transfer Catalogue will be required.</p>	
<p>Related Changes and/or Projects <i>(mandatory by BSSCo)</i></p> <p>Related Change Proposals addressing issues with the population, validation and usage of the D0052 flow are:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CP1036 – Rejection Flow for D0052 • CP1037 – Timing and validation of D0052 flow • CP1039 – Use of D0052 flow on change of Supplier and change of NHHDC. 	
<p>Requested Implementation Date <i>(mandatory by originator)</i></p> <p>As soon as possible. Co-incident with the associated Change Proposals AAAA, BBBB and DDDD.</p> <p>Reason:</p> <p>Change Proposals 1036, 1037 and 1039 are complementary changes.</p>	
<p>Agreed Release/Implementation Date <i>(mandatory by BSSCo)</i></p>	

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