

Change Proposal – BSCP40/02	CP No: CP1456 <i>Version No:</i> (mandatory by BSCCo)
Title Clarification to BSCP514 regarding the sending of Meter Technical Details on receipt of a D0170 data flow	
Description of Problem/Issue (mandatory by originator) CP834 ‘Dependency of Inter-Agent Transfers on D0151 (Termination Of Appointment)’ was implemented in 2005. It noted that there were inconsistent views among Non Half Hourly (NHH) Data Collectors (DCs) and Meter Operator Agents (MOAs) with regard to whether the inter-agent transfer of Meter Technical Details (MTDs) should be initiated on request (via a D0170 ‘Request for Metering System Related Details’ data flow) only; or should require both a D0170 data flow and a D0151 ‘Termination of Appointment’ data flow. The MTDs transferred following receipt of a D0170 data flow comprise the following data flow pairs: • D0150 (Non Half-Hourly Meter Technical Details), and • D0149 (Notification of Mapping Details) sent between Meter Operators and • D0010 (Meter Readings), and • D0152 (Metering System EAC/AA Historical Data) sent between NHHDCs. BSC Procedure (BSCP) 514 ‘SVA Meter Operations for Metering System Registered in SMRS’ was introduced in 2003. The clarification that a D0170 data flow alone is sufficient was added to section 3.2.3 of BSCP504 ‘Non Half Hourly Data Collection for SVA Metering Systems Registered in SMRS’. However, this clarification was not inserted into BSCP514 for MOAs under the ‘change of MOA’ section in the same way as BSCP504 did. Instead, the MOA requirements were added to the Party Service Line (PSL) 110. PSL110 was discontinued in 2007 and replaced by PSL100, but any MOA-specific requirements were transferred to BSCP514. The PSL110 requirements were subsequently included in the general introductory text of BSCP514 section 2.2.2 (b), which states that: <i>"In the event of a change of MOA in respect of an SVA Metering System, or where the SVA Metering System is being transferred from SMRS to CMRS, and where the same Meter is to be used, the outgoing MOA shall transfer the data and other information, as specified in Section 2.2.2c), in accordance with the timescales and processes specified in the relevant BSC Procedures, to the incoming MOA. This shall be done when requested by the incoming MOA and is not dependent on receipt of notification of de-appointment."</i>	
Proposed Solution (mandatory by originator) CP1456 proposes to amend BSCP514 to align the MOA obligations with those for NHHDCs	

as detailed in BSCP504. This will involve adapting the text from the introduction in section 2.2.2 into a footnote in the body of the BSCP to be referenced by sections 6.2.1 (step 6.2.1.9) and 6.2.4 (step 6.2.4.8).

Justification for Change

While it is useful that the clarification that “*the sending of MTDs on change of MOA is no longer dependent on receipt of notification of de-appointment*” is included in the general introductory text of BSCP514 section 2.2.2 (b), this also needs to be captured in the main body of BSCP514 to ensure that the responsibilities of MOAs are clearly understood.

To which section of the Code does the CP relate, and does the CP facilitate the current provisions of the Code?

Section S ‘Supplier Volume Allocation’

Estimated Implementation Costs (mandatory by BSCCo)

£240 (one ELEXON man day) of effort to implement the necessary document changes.

Configurable Items Affected by Proposed Solution(s) BSCP514

BSCP514 ‘SVA Meter Operations for Metering System Registered in SMRS’

Impact on Core Industry Documents or System Operator-Transmission Owner Code None

None anticipated.

Related Changes and/or Projects (mandatory by BSCCo)

N/A

Requested Implementation Date (mandatory by originator)

30 June 2016 as part of the June 2016 BSC Systems Release.

Reason: The June 2016 is the next available Release that this CP can be included in.

Version History (mandatory by BSCCo)

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