

Planning and Advanced Reservation of Capacity (PARCA)

NOTICE: OPENING OF A PARCA EXIT WINDOW

2nd October, 2017

Dear Industry Colleague,

In accordance with the Uniform Network Code, Section B, National Grid hereby publishes this notice to all interested industry parties that a PARCA Exit Window has been opened. The PARCA Exit Window provides an opportunity for those parties who are interested in applying for a PARCA to submit their applications during this time so that we can consider those applications alongside other potential projects.

During the period between the date of the enduring annual capacity notification¹ and 30th September, 2017, National Grid received two technically Competent PARCA Applications. The UNC stipulates that only one PARCA Exit Window may be open at any one time and, therefore, a sole PARCA Exit Window will be opened on Monday 2nd October, 2017.

The applications received were;

Project 1

The geographical area of the project is North East Yorkshire & Lincolnshire (Region 3 in the Gas Ten Year Statement²).

The amount of NTS exit capacity applied for is between 69,702,966kWh/d & 79,552,298kWh/d.

The indicative capacity reservation date is 2nd April, 2018.

The indicative capacity registration date is 1st November, 2021.

Project 2

The geographical area of the project is Norfolk (Region 7 in the Gas Ten Year Statement).

The amount of NTS exit capacity applied for is between 22,874,839kWh/d & 34,312,258kWh/d from 01st April, 2021, and additional quantity of NTS exit capacity of between 48,609,032kWh/d & 72,913,548kWh/d from 01st April, 2022.

The indicative capacity reservation date is 2nd April, 2018.

The PARCA Exit Window will be opened for a maximum of 40 consecutive business days from 2nd October, 2017, closing on 24th November, 2017. If no further PARCA Applications are received within 20 consecutive business days the window will be closed.

¹ Uniform Network Code, Transportation Principal Document, Section B – System Use and Capacity, paragraph 3.2.23

² National Grid Gas, Gas Ten Year Statement 2016 -

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You can download our PARCA customer guide which can be found via this link.

<http://www2.nationalgrid.com/UK/Services/Gas-transmission-connections/Capacity-andconnections/Processes/PARCA-Framework/>

Should you wish to discuss the opening of the PARCA Exit Window further please do not hesitate to contact me via the details below.

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