

Open Letter
Gas Shippers, suppliers, transporters and other interested parties

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Dear Colleagues,

Modification Proposals to the Gas Transmission Transportation Charging Methodology – NTS GCM07 “Introduction of an NTS Entry Capacity Transfer Application Fee” & NTS GCM08 “Introduction of an NTS Entry Capacity Trade Application Fee”

National Grid NTS issued Gas Transmission Transportation Charging Methodology modification proposals NTS GCM-07 & NTS GCM-08 concerning changes to the NTS Charging Methodology to introduce a process for determining trade and transfer application fee rates. The levying of these fees was proposed to be introduced as part of UNC Modification Proposals 0150 “Introduction of the AMTSEC Auction” and 0151 “Transfer of Sold Capacity between ASEPs”. These proposals have been rejected by the Authority and hence, at this time, there is no requirement to determine charge rates. National Grid therefore will not be issuing final proposals as a consequence of these consultations.

In accordance with Standard Special Condition A5, National Grid will keep the Charging Methodology under review and will bring forward further proposals as and when required.

We will be publishing this letter on the National Grid charging website to clarify the outcome of the consultation process for all interested parties.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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