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Dear Debra

The following is the Scottish Power response to

NTS GCM 15: User Commitment & Entry Capacity Cancellation Fees

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to respond to this consultation document.

We believe that cancellation fees in regard to baseline entry capacity that would have resulted in TO revenue should be treated as TO entry revenue and those in relation to non-obligated entry capacity that would have resulted in SO revenue should be treated as SO revenue. This will result in reduced TO and SO charges respectively.

However, we believe that an impact assessment needs to be undertaken in relation to this proposal and the interaction with modification 0246, its alternates and/or any other possible alternative proposals to deal with the circumstances. This will in all likelihood require further consultation on the associated charging mechanism(s).

Should you have any queries on the views expressed, please contact me on the telephone number as shown.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Steven Gordon".

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