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Dear Colleague

**Consultation on “The Entry Capacity Transfer and Trade Methodology Statement”:
Notification of Revised Consultation Close-out Date.**

On 19th December 2007 National Grid NTS initiated a consultation on its proposed revised Transfer and Trade Methodology Statement. The deadline for receipt of responses to the consultation was 17:00 on 17th January 2008.

National Grid NTS has put forward a UNC modification proposal¹ to facilitate the Transfer and Trade of Entry Capacity. This is available from the Joint Office website at: <http://www.gasgovernance.com/Code/Modifications/LiveMods/>. In setting the deadline for responses to the consultation on the Methodology Statement it was intended that the methodology statement and the UNC modification proposal could be reviewed in parallel. As you may be aware, the UNC modification panel did not send the proposal direct to consultation. Hence consultation on the modification is expected to commence after deadline for responding to the methodology consultation.

Notwithstanding the fact that a draft of the modification proposal has been available on the Joint Office website since the UNC modification panel meeting on 20th December 2007 National Grid considers that an extension to the consultation period for the Methodology Statement would be appropriate. Hence responses to the proposed Methodology Statement should arrive at National Grid by 17:00 on 8th February 2008.

A copy of the proposed Methodology Statement can be found on National Grid’s website at <http://www.nationalgrid.com/uk/Gas/Charges/statements/transportation/ecttms/>.

Responses should be sent by e-mail to:
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¹ “Alterations to the RMSEC Auction to Accommodate Transfer and Trade of Capacity between ASEPs”; UNC modification proposal 0187

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