## **Change Proposal – F40/01**

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**Title** (mandatory by originator)

Inclusion of PARMS Response files in BSCP533 File Format Appendices.

**Description of Problem/Issue** (mandatory by originator)

Following implementation of P99 various file types were created which are sent to suppliers whose formats are not defined within BSCP533. These files currently include:- Third Party Reports, Completeness Reports and Data Receipt Reports. The format of these reports is not currently defined in any BSCP or Appendix and therefore is outside the jurisdiction of BSCP40.

In order to manage the post P99 PARMS reporting process more effectively we intend to implement a database to allow us to automate validation of the reports previously mentioned. This can only be done if the format of the reports remains static which at present may not necessarily be the case. The current situation allows the amendment of any of these reports without the need to follow any formal change management process. The resultant effect of any changes to the format of any reports would mean a failure in the import process of these reports into the database.

<b>Proposed</b>	Solution(	s)	(mandatory	by	originator
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We propose that additional appendices be included within BSCP533, or appended to Appendix A, to mandate the format structure within these reports.

## **Justification for Change** (mandatory by originator)

Suppliers and Agents will be able to source solutions to assist with the processing of PARMS Reports and automate the process. This will increase efficiency ensuring that agents and suppliers can quickly and accurately identify missing reports and errors in reporting, resulting in reduced Supplier Liquidated Damage Payments.

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Configurable Items Potentially Affected by Proposed Solution(s) (optional by Originator)					
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BSCP533 – PARMS Data Provider File Formats					
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