#### 4.3 CP Form

## **Change Proposal – BSCP40/02**

**CP No: 1433** 

Version No: 1.0 (mandatory by BSCCo)

Title Clarification of which Metering Systems are captured by the P272 requirements

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

### **Current requirements**

The method of allocating a Profile Class (PC) is set out in BSC Procedure (BSCP) 516 'Allocation of Profile Classes and SSCs'. The criteria for which PC to allocate to depends upon whether:

- the Metering System Identifiers (MSID) is import or export;
- the Meter usage is domestic or non-domestic;
- the Meter has 'switched load' capabilities; and
- the Maximum Demand (MD) is recorded.

The original requirements for ensuring that the MD was recorded were due to an associated tariff, which is now no longer charged. These would be required to be registered to one of PC 5-8 (the Load Factor determines which of PC 5-8 is used).

### P272

Under <u>P272</u> 'Mandatory Half Hourly Settlement for Profile Classes 5-8', from 1 April 2016 non-domestic customers with an Advanced Meter for import fitted in accordance with the requirements of Standard Licence Condition (SLC) 12.17-12.22 of the Electricity Supply Licence are mandated to be settled on a Half Hourly basis and should not be registered under PCs 5 to 8 using BSCP 516.

For the avoidance of doubt once an Advanced Meter has been fitted in accordance with the SLC then that Metering System is mandated to be settled on a Half-Hourly basis from 1 April 2016.

MSIDs for unmetered connections or for export metering can continue be registered against PC 8 after 1 April 2016.

### **Issue**

Many Meters installed to date are capable of recording the MD, and many of these record the MD without a requirement to do so. Therefore, it can be unclear as to which PC a Metering System should be allocated to and therefore which is captured by the P272 requirements.

### **Proposed Solution** (mandatory by originator)

This CP seeks to clarify which Metering Systems are captured by the P272 requirements.

The BSCP will also be clarified for situations where non-domestic import customers, without an Advanced Meter, registered prior to 1 April 2016 or remaining in PCs 5-8 after 1 April 2016.

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

The migration of PCs 5-8 Import Metering Systems is a significant undertaking by Suppliers, Supplier Agents and Distribution Businesses. To ensure that only those intended to be covered by the SLC requirements and P272 requirements are migrated, it is appropriate to clarify the requirements under BSCP516 to ensure efficiency of the Balancing and Settlement arrangements.

## To which section of the Code does the CP relate, and does the CP facilitate the current provisions of the Code? (mandatory by originator)

Section S 'Supplier Volume Allocation'

Section S Annex S-2 'Supplier Volume Allocation Rules'

## **Estimated Implementation Costs** (mandatory by BSCCo)

One ELEXON man day of effort to implement the redlined BSCP changes, equating to £240.

### Configurable Items Affected by Proposed Solution(s) (mandatory by originator)

BSCP 516 'Allocation of Profile Classes and SSCs'

# Impact on Core Industry Documents or System Operator-Transmission Owner Code (mandatory by originator)

None identified.

### **Related Changes and/or Projects** (mandatory by BSCCo)

P300 'Introduction of new Measurement Classes to support Half Hourly DCUSA Tariff Changes (DCP179)'

P272 'Mandatory Half Hourly Settlement for Profile Classes 5-8'

### **Requested Implementation Date (mandatory by originator)**

5 November 2015 as part of the November 2015 BSC Systems Release

**Reason:** Alignment with P300 Implementation Date, from when the migration to HH under P272 is likely to pick up and when Measurement Classes F and G will be available.

### **Version History (mandatory by BSCCo)**

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