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Competition in Connections Code of Practice – Consultation Response Form

0003 – CiC Code of Practice Reporting Requirements

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Questions

1. Do you believe that a template is the best way of capturing these requirements?

Yes, it makes it easier for stakeholders to review

2. Does the proposal better achieve the relevant objectives?

Yes

3. Do you agree with having the reporting template incorporated into the Code of Practice?

Yes

This makes it an obligation for DNOs to complete the template. It does require any changes to go through the formal change control process.

4. Do you think that the proposed template captures all of the reporting obligations of the DNO? Please confirm whether you agree or disagree and also identify any omissions against the relevant section in the table below:

Section	Agree / Disagree	Comments
Connection Application	Agree	
Determining whether an ICP can undertake assessment of POC	Agree	
DNO Input Services where the ICP determines the POC	Agree	
POC assessment using the standard design matrix	Agree	
Information Exchanges	Agree	Suggest that the additional table is given a title and a number eg Table 1 for ease of reference. The text in the blue shaded box would be clearer if in white coloured font.
Connection Design	Agree	
Design Approval	Agree	Suggest that the additional table is given a title and a number eg Table 1 for ease of reference. The text in the blue shaded box would be clearer if in white coloured font.
Final Connection	Agree	Suggest that the additional table is given a title and a number eg Table 1 for ease of reference. The text in the blue shaded box would be clearer if in white coloured font.
Inspection	Agree	Suggest that the additional table is given a title and a number eg Table 1 for ease of reference. The text in the blue shaded box would be clearer if in white coloured font.
Land Rights	Agree	
Adoption	Agree	
Dispute Resolution	Agree	

5. Are there any other reporting requirements not captured in the proposed template?

No.

Two minor drafting comments on the Introduction:

- The second sentence in paragraph three beginning “This condition requires...” is quite cumbersome and should be reviewed
- In the last paragraph Code of Practice should be capitalised

6. Do the reporting tables in the proposed template adequately capture the information that DNOs need to report to demonstrate compliance?

Yes