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# GC0139

Workgroup 27, 29 September 2025

Online Meeting via Teams

# WELCOME



# Meeting Recording

## Expectations of a Workgroup Member

Contribute to the discussion

Be respectful of each other's opinions

Language and Conduct to be consistent with the values of equality and diversity

Do not share commercially sensitive information

Be prepared – Review Papers and Reports ahead of meetings

Complete actions in a timely manner

Keep to agreed scope

Email communications to/cc'ing the .box email

## Your Roles

Help refine/develop the solution(s)

Bring forward alternatives as early as possible

Vote on whether or not to proceed with requests for Alternatives

Vote on whether the solution(s) better facilitate the Code Objectives

# Agenda

Topics to be discussed	Lead
Welcome	Chair
Objectives and Timeline	Chair
Actions Review	Chair
Workgroup Report	All
Legal Text	All
Terms of Reference	Chair
Workgroup Vote	Workgroup Members
AOB and Next Steps	Chair

# Objectives and Timeline

**Jess Rivalland**

NESO Code Administrator

# Timeline for GC0139 as at 19 September 2025

Milestone	Date	Milestone	Date
Workgroup Consultation	17 December 2024 to 21 January 2025	Panel undertake DFMR recommendation vote	29 January 2026
Workgroup 27 Review Legal Text Review Workgroup Report Review Terms of Reference Workgroup Vote	29 September 2025	Final Modification Report issued to Panel to check votes recorded correctly (5 business days to check)	30 January 2026 – 06 February 2026
Workgroup report issued to Panel (5 business days)	22 October 2025	Final Modification Report issued to Ofgem	10 February 2026
Panel sign off that Workgroup Report has met its Terms of Reference	30 October 2025	Ofgem decision needed by	TBC
Code Administrator Consultation	04 November 2025 – 04 December 2025		
Draft Final Modification Report (DFMR) issued to Panel (5 business days)	21 January 2026		



# Workgroup Report

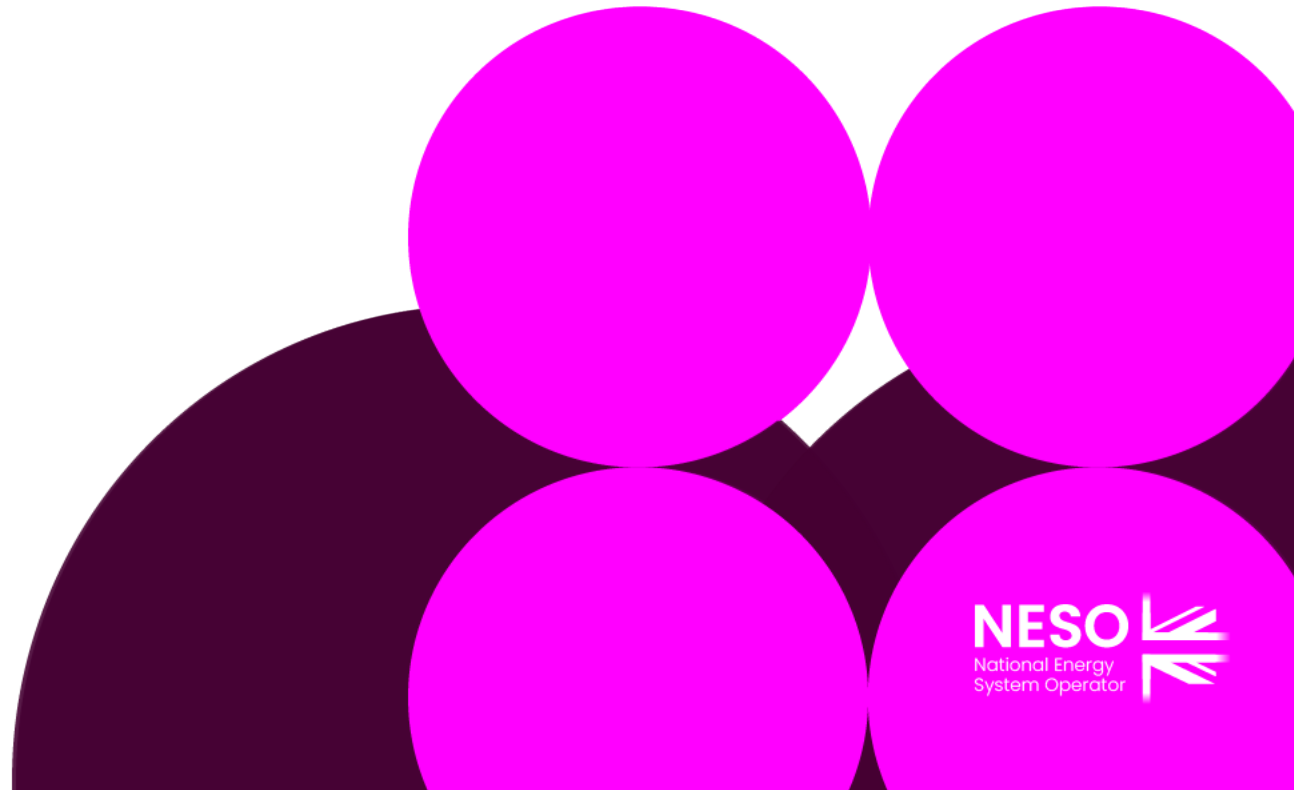
## Workgroup members





# Legal Text

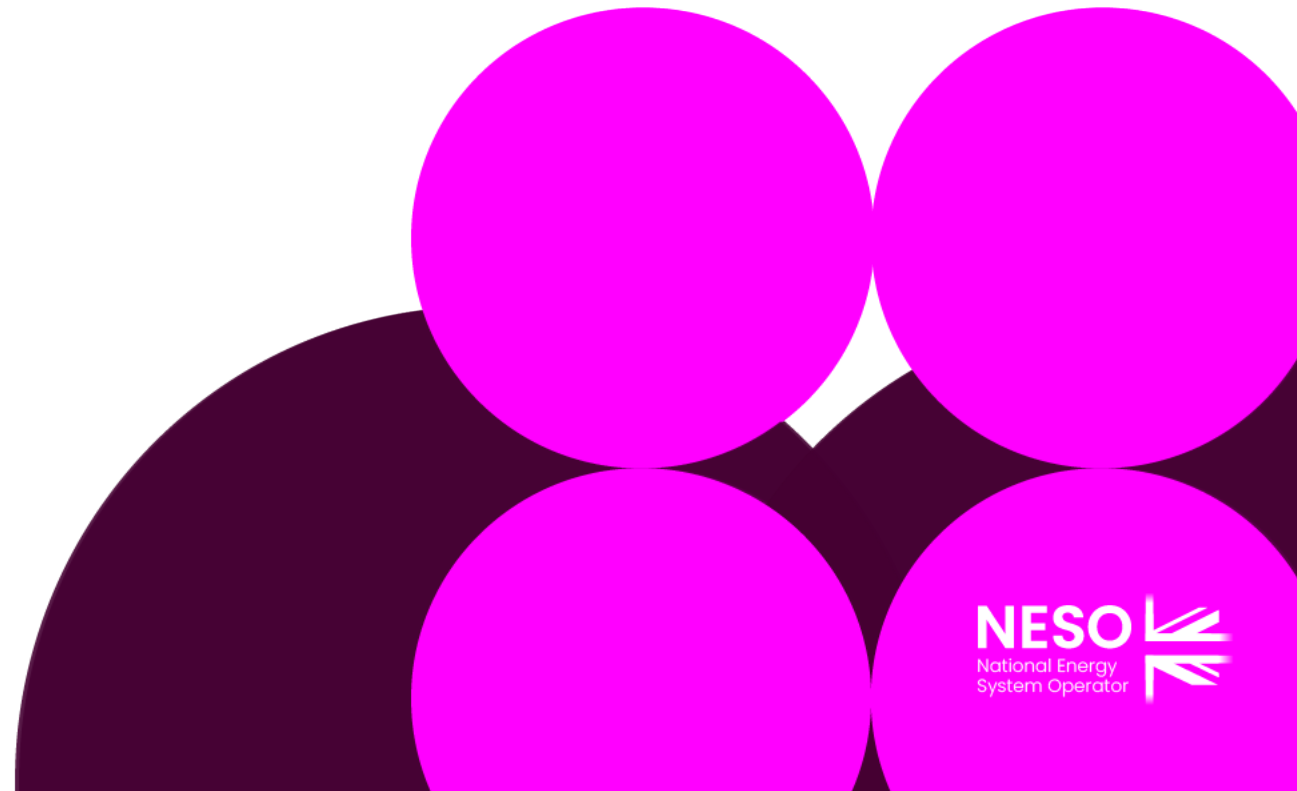
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# Actions review

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# Action log

Action number	WG raised	Owner	Action	Comment	Due by	Status
45	WG25	SML/ Code Team	Confirm whether NESO is able to publish the DRC Schedule Excel spreadsheet online	Chair emailed Legal's response to Workgroup members. Text added to Workgroup Report	WG26	Open
46	WG25	Code team	Consider how the DRC Schedule will be governed in the future	Chair emailed Legal's response to Workgroup members. Text added to Workgroup Report SML and JR spoke to GCRP	WG26	Open
57	WG26	SML	Reword or restructure the section on NESO cost breakdown and year one versus ongoing costs, ensuring clarity on setup and annual costs for Network Operators.		WG26	Closed
58	WG26	GV/AC	Discuss minor amendments to Annex 10 offline	Email communication	WG27	Closed

# Terms of Reference

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# Terms of Reference

## Workgroup Terms of Reference

- a) Implementation and costs;
- b) Review draft legal text should it have been provided. If legal text is not submitted within the Grid Code Modification Proposal the Workgroup should be instructed to assist in the developing of the legal text;
- c) Consider whether any further Industry experts or stakeholders should be invited to participate within the Workgroup to ensure that all potentially affected stakeholders have the opportunity to be represented in the Workgroup. Demonstrate what has been done to cover this clearly in the report
- d) Be aware of and consider cross code impacts, and consider co-ordinate submission and implementations
- e) Consider EBR implications
- f) Consideration of any unintended consequences of effectively redefining the observability area

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g) Consider the Ofgem Letter of 10 January 2022

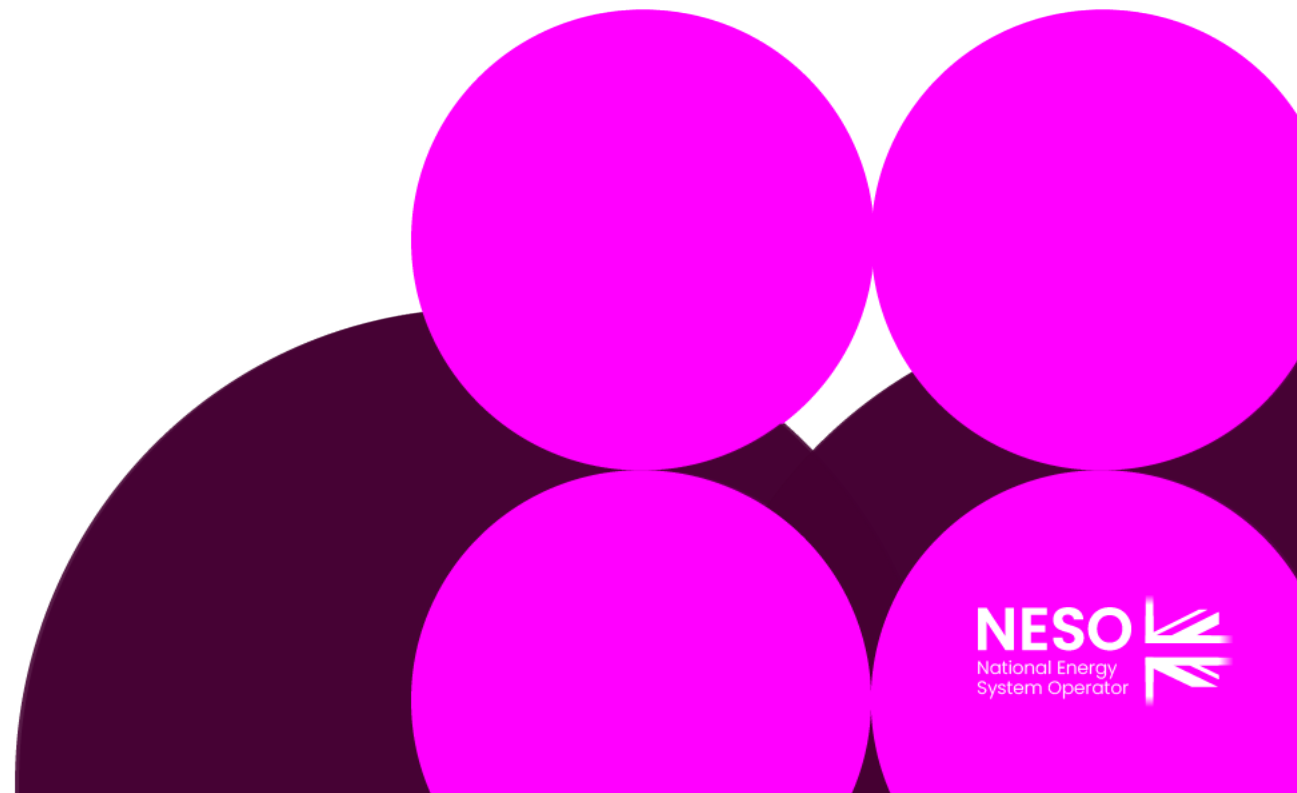
h ) Consider any implications of GC0117

i) Consider any temporary governance arrangements required prior to any formal governance being in place

# Workgroup Vote

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# Workgroup Membership

Name	Role	Company
Alan Brown	Workgroup Member	SSE Distribution
Alan Creighton	Alternate	Northern Power Grid
Behnam Feizifar	Observer	SSE Distribution
David Tuffery	Workgroup Member	National Grid Electricity Transmission
Euan Kirkmorris	Ofgem Rep	Ofgem
Garth Graham	Workgroup Member	SSE
Graeme Vincent	Workgroup Member	SP Distribution
Evelin Kurian	Alternate	SSE Distribution
Ian Povey	Proposer	ENWL
Joseph Boardman NGED	Observer	NGED
Lee Saville	Workgroup Member	Western Power Distribution
Liam McSweeney	Workgroup Member	Western Power Distribution
Mzamoyabo Sibanda	Observer	SSE Renewables
Paul Thomson	Workgroup Member	NESO
Phil Moseley	Observer	National Grid
Rose Galloway Green	Ofgem Rep	Ofgem
Ryan Westland	Alternate	SSE Distribution
Sam Turner	Workgroup Member	Northern Power Grid
Sara Afifi	Workgroup Member	South Eastern Power Networks plc
Somjit Mohanty	Workgroup Member	National Grid Electricity Transmission
Stephen Wood	Observer	National Grid
Stuart McLarnon	Technical Representative	NESO



# Voting eligibility

Name	Role	Company	Eligible to vote
Alan Brown	Workgroup Member	SSE Distribution	Yes
Alan Creighton	Alternate	Northern Power Grid	Yes
David Tuffery	Alternate	National Grid Electricity Transmission	Yes
Garth Graham	Workgroup Member	SSE	No
Graeme Vincent	Workgroup Member	SP Distribution	Yes
Evelin Kurian	Alternate	SSE Distribution	Yes
Ian Povey	Proposer	ENWL	Yes
Lee Saville	Workgroup Member	Western Power Distribution	Yes
Liam McSweeney	Alternate	Western Power Distribution	Yes
Paul Thomson	Workgroup Member	NESO	Yes
Ryan Westland	Alternate	SSE Distribution	Yes
Sam Turner	Workgroup Member	Northern Power Grid	No
Sara Afifi	Workgroup Member	South Eastern Power Networks plc	Yes
Somjit Mohanty	Workgroup Member	National Grid Electricity Transmission	Yes
Stuart McLarnon	Technical Representative	NESO	Yes

# AOB and Next Steps

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