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# Code Administrator Meeting

## Summary

### Workgroup Meeting 14: GSR029 'Review of Demand Connection Criteria to Align with EREC P2/7'

**Date:** 16/09/25

#### Contact Details

Chair: Prisca Evans, [Prisca.Evans@neso.energy](mailto:Prisca.Evans@neso.energy)

Proposer: Bieshoy Awad, [Bieshoy.Awad@neso.energy](mailto:Bieshoy.Awad@neso.energy)

### Key areas of discussion

#### Workgroup Consultation Document Review

The Chair explained that the Workgroup consultation document had been circulated to all members, requesting that they come prepared with consultation questions, and emphasized the importance of reviewing the document ahead of meetings to ensure productive discussions.

The Chair highlighted the lack of engagement with the Workgroup consultation document, with several members advising they had not yet reviewed it. After confirming that most members had not reviewed the Workgroup consultation document, the Chair, supported by several Workgroup members proposed to end the meeting early, giving Workgroup members more time to review the Workgroup consultation document and prepare substantive feedback for the next meeting

The Chair reminded Workgroup members that they should all have access to the collaboration space and the Workgroup consultation document and requested that anyone lacking access should notify get in touch so it can be resolved before the next meeting.

#### Timeline

The Proposer raised concerns about the current timeline, requesting more meetings to allow for further development of the solution. The Proposer clarified that additional meetings are required to further develop the solution, discuss and address all Terms of Reference, and ensure that major unresolved questions are agreed upon before proceeding to a Workgroup consultation. The Chair acknowledged the Proposers' concerns and agreed to revisit the timeline, and to add additional meetings if the Workgroup is in agreement.

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### Terms of Reference Updates

The Chair updated the Workgroup on the SQSS Panel's approval of the amended Terms of Reference, including the addition of consideration of proposals for P2/9, and further scope to consider interactions with the Grid Code, including those related to GC0139. The Chair invited comment, but none were raised.

### Next Steps

The Chair to review the timeline.

### Actions

| Action Number Raised | Workgroup | Owner                   | Action                                                                                                                                                           | Due by | Status |
|----------------------|-----------|-------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| 5                    | WG2       | TO Reps (GV, LF&PS, RW) | TOs to provide feedback on the impact assessment for group demand using Method 1 and/or Method 2 (depending on the site)                                         | WG14   | Open   |
| 7                    | WG2       | TO Reps (GV, LF&PS, RW) | TOs to assess the contribution from large power stations using the methodology in EREP 130 and compare with current practice to understand the impact for change | WG14   | Open   |
| 40                   | WG10      | All                     | Consider writing a problem statement considering the future forecast Demand and the historic Demand.                                                             | WG14   | Open   |
| 45                   | WG10      | GL                      | Provide an example of the historic vs future Demand                                                                                                              | WG14   | Open   |
| 48                   | WG11      | ZM                      | Share information on organisation's process for                                                                                                                  | WG14   | Open   |

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|    |      |       | forecasting demand for compliance purposes                                                                                                            |            |        |
| 51 | WG12 | Chair | To review and assess the need to Action 5 and 7 to be closed before Workgroup Consultation                                                            | WG14       | Open   |
| 52 | WG12 | BA    | To check how GC0139 interacts with PC.A.                                                                                                              | WG14       | Open   |
| 53 | WG12 | BA    | To provide rationale to Grid Code proposed changes in the current baseline                                                                            | WG14       | Open   |
| 54 | WG13 | PE/AH | Create a collaboration space for the consultation document and provide access to all workgroup members                                                | 17/07/2025 | Closed |
| 55 | WG13 | BA    | Flexible Demand Contracts: Draft and share a document elaborating on the flexible demand contracts and their implications for compliance assessments. | WG14       | Open   |
| 56 | WG13 | BA    | Storage Proposer/Workgroup conversations to be captured in the Consultation document.                                                                 | WG14       | Open   |
| 57 | WG13 | PE    | Amended GSR029 timeline and Terms of Reference to be presented at the July SQSS panel.                                                                | 23/07/2025 | Closed |

## Attendees

| Name         | Initial | Company                  | Role     |
|--------------|---------|--------------------------|----------|
| Prisca Evans | PE      | Code Administrator, NESO | Chair    |
| Andrew Hemus | AH      | Code Administrator, NESO | Tech Sec |

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|------------------|----|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Bieshoy Awad     | BA | NESO                   | Proposer                      |
| Gary Loudon      | GL | Electricity North West | Workgroup Member              |
| Graeme Vincent   | GV | SP Energy Networks     | Workgroup Member              |
| Peter Stanton    | PS | NGET                   | Workgroup Member<br>Alternate |
| Philip Bale      | PB | Roadnight Taylor       | Observer                      |
| Rebekah Pryn     | RP | UK Power Networks      | Workgroup Member<br>Alternate |
| Roddy Wilson     | RW | SSEN Transmission      | Workgroup Member              |
| Stuart McLarnon  | SM | NESO                   | NESO Representative           |
| Zivanayi Musanhi | ZM | UK Power Networks      | Workgroup Member              |