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GC0139

Workgroup 29, 11 March 2026

Online Meeting via Teams

WELCOME

Agenda

Topics to be discussed	Lead
Welcome	Chair
Workgroup membership and responsibilities	Chair
Timeline	Chair
Legal Text changes	Chair
AOB and Next Steps	Chair

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

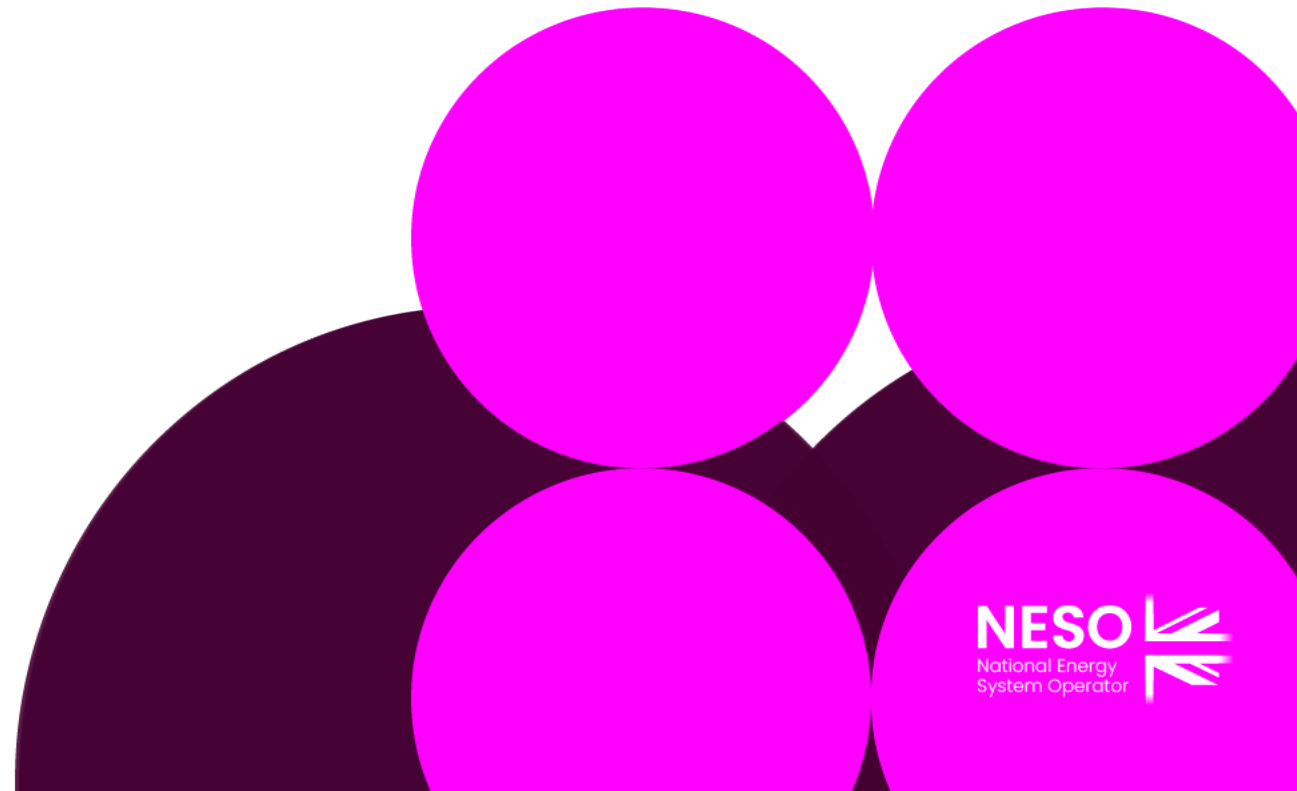
Vote on whether or not to proceed with requests for Alternatives

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

Timeline

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NESO Code Administrator

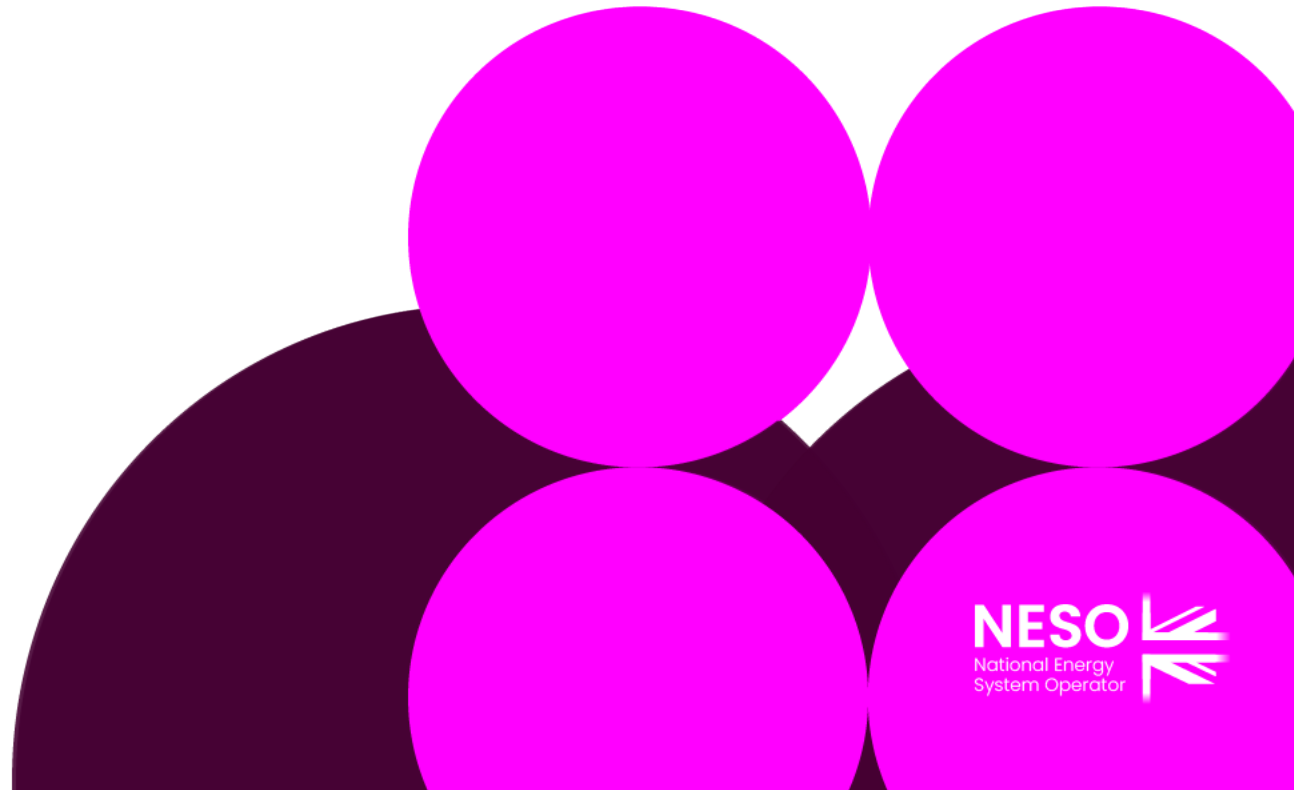


Timeline for GC0139

Milestone	Date
Draft Final Modification Report (DFMR) issued to Panel (5 business days)	18 March 2026
Panel undertake DFMR recommendation vote	26 March 2026
Final Modification Report issued to Panel to check votes recorded correctly (5 business days to check)	27 March 2026 – 02 April 2026
Final Modification Report issued to Ofgem	06 April 2026
Ofgem decision needed by	TBC

Legal text changes

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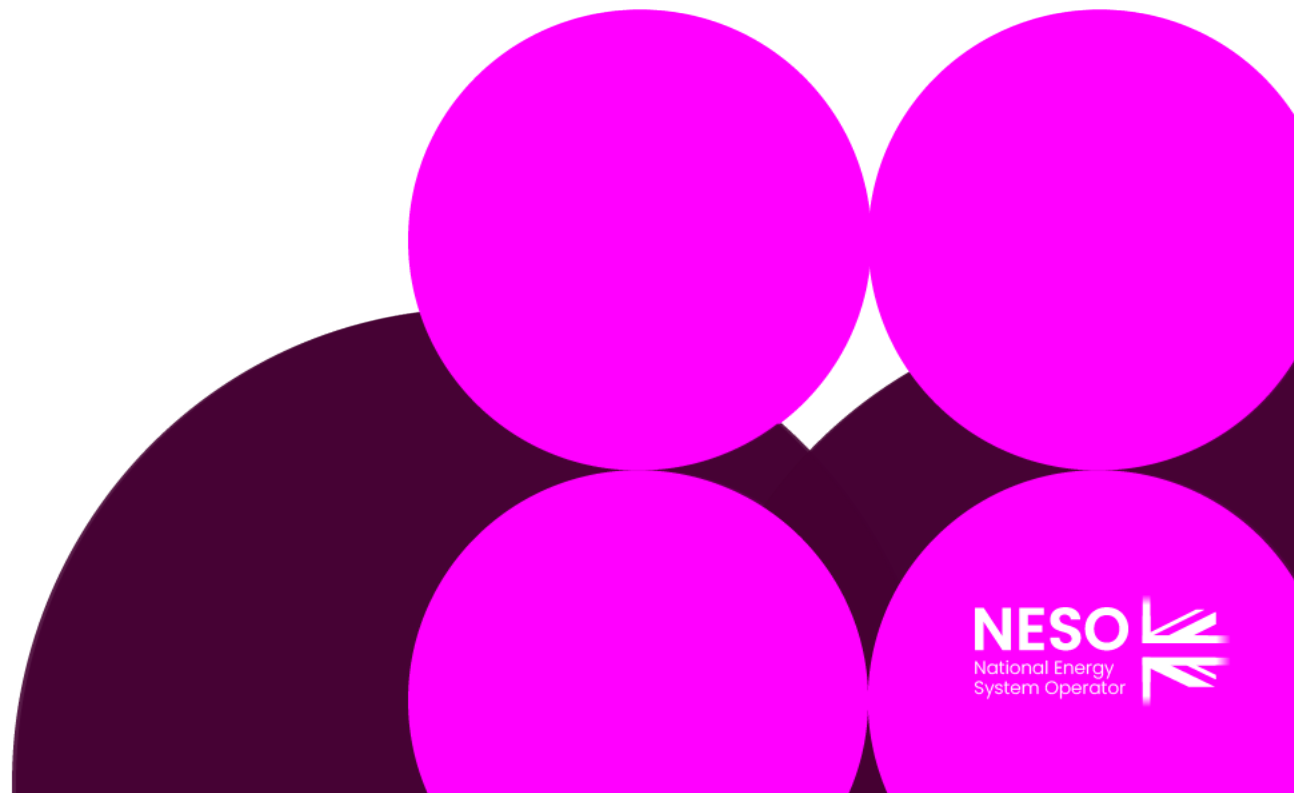


Code Administrator Consultation feedback

Number	Legal text	Code Administrator Consultation Query	NESO Response	Panel feedback
1	Planning Code.9.3.2.3	In PC.9.3.2.3 there is a requirement for DNOs to provide Power System Difference Models (PSDM). It would help users if, in Appendix G of the Planning Code, there was more detailed description of a PSDM for example: a) whether PSMDs are required for committed projects with a commissioning date more than 10 years in the future. b) whether each PSDM is i) specific to a particular development project or accepted generation/demand connection or ii) should relate to a particular year and include all projects and connections anticipated to be completed in that particular year.	We believe PC.G.3 is detailed enough as an example of what should be contained in a PSDM. PC.G.3 is an example only, not a requirement. PSDMs are only to be as detailed as the DNOs have information about, if there is very little data about the future of a network connection, then the PSDM will not have to contain a lot of data. It is a best endeavours scenario, and there is flexibility for the Network Operator to provide what they believe to be relevant in the most appropriate way. (a) DNOs are only asked to provide info up to 10 years in the future (b) (i) PSDMs can be structured as the DNO sees fit. For example , it could be per year or per project.	Panel agreed that no legal text change was required for this action
2	Planning Code.G.1.4.4 (b) (i) and Planning Code.G.1.4.5 (b) (i)	In PC.G.1.4.4 (b) (i) and PC.G.1.4.5 (b) (i) there is a requirement to provide information on 'Stored energy'. DNO's do not have access to real time data relating to the amount of stored energy from generators, so will not be able provide this information. This item should be removed or caveated by ' where available ' to cater for where this information may be available in the future.	Stored energy is an optional variable to be provided if the DNO has access to it. We agree with the query that the legal text should be adjusted to include the term "where available" or something similar	Panel asked the GC0139 members to have a Workgroup to change the legal text to include the term "where available" in PC.G.1.4.4 (b) (i) and PC.G.1.4.5 (b) (i)
3	Planning Code.G.1.4.4 (b) (ii) and Planning Code.G.1.4.5 (b) (ii)	In PC.G.1.4.4 (b) (ii) and PC.G.1.4.5 (b) (ii) there is a requirement to provide information on 'Storage status'. It is unclear what this means. The requirement should be clarified and potentially removed or caveated by ' where available '.	Storage status is an optional variable to be provided if the DNO has access to it. We agree with the query that the legal text should be adjusted to include the term "where available" or something similar	Panel asked the GC0139 members to have a Workgroup to change the legal text to include the term "where available" in PC.G.1.4.4 (b) (ii) and PC.G.1.4.5 (b) (ii)
4	Glossary and Definitions	Suggest moving the PSM Implementation Date to 1st January 2028 in the G&D legal text.	Agree to amend date to 2028	Panel asked for GC0139 members to have a workgroup to agree if the PSM Implementation Date should be altered to 01/01/2028

AOB

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Next Steps

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