

Joint European Stakeholder Group

Headline Report

Meeting number: Meeting 95
Date of meeting: Tuesday 08 September 2026
Location: MS Teams

This note sets out the headlines from the latest meeting of the Joint European Stakeholder Group (JESG) and is provided in addition to the presentations from the meeting which are available within the Codes Calendar on the NESO website. The [material in the presentation](#) is not duplicated in this report.

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Industry Updates

IER BR Groupings: Strawman discussion by Garth Graham, JESG Independent Chair

Garth Graham led a discussion on the IEM BR groupings, with the JESG agreed option A / column A. JESG members noted that State Aid, Environmental Assessment, Renewable Directive and Retail Regulations need to be added or captured within the existing groupings.

IER: Update by Dina Caruso, DESNZ

Dina Caruso updated JESG that the delivery planning and practical arrangements for the industry sessions are still being worked through but expected to begin in late October but still to be confirmed.

Next Meeting and Future Agenda Items

The next JESG meeting is scheduled for **13 October 2026** starting at 10am. Stakeholders are invited to submit agenda items and presentation material for this meeting by **02 October 2026** or any future meetings to: box.europeancodes.electricity@neso.energy.

Action Log

The Technical Secretary noted the JESG Standing Actions and updates on current actions.

Standing Actions				
ID	Topic	Lead Party	Status	Source
S1	Continue to review the membership of the JESG and engage additional industry parties where appropriate.	JESG Chair	Standing Item	JESG S3
S2	Prepare a commentary / comparison document between the Network Code and the existing GB arrangements at appropriate stages in the Code development for each Network Code.	NESO / Ofgem / DESNZ	Standing Item	JESG S1

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S3	Share any intelligence about how other member states are approaching demonstrating compliance through information gained from other government departments, regulators or parent companies.	DESNZ / Ofgem / Industry parties with European parent companies	Standing Item	ECCAF 3/2

New & Open Actions				
ID	Topic	Lead Party	Status	Update
26-2	Investigate what EU rules have and have not been retained, and what has changed including through recent Code Modifications.	NESO	Open	NESO have developed a snapshot review of relevant EU regulations and will circulate once quality control process and internal clearance complete. NESO clarified that it was not going to undertake a review of recent Code modifications

Recently Closed Actions				
ID	Topic	Lead Party	Status	Update

Meeting Attendees	
Name	Company
Garth Graham	Independent Chair
Andrew Hemus	JESG Technical Secretary
Agustin Mengoni	Eleclink
Aidan Stringfellow	Scottish Power
Alice Beddow	NESO
Andrew Allan	RWE
Blandine Malvault	National Grid
Claire Stewart	Mutual Energy
Coline Gailleul	Energy Traders Europe
Daniela Quiroga Vergara	CIP
David Hargadon	Eirgrid
David Henderson	EDF Energy
Dina Caruso	DESNZ
Elena Beianu	Renewable UK

Francis Dike	Ellexon
Gareth Williams	SP Energy Networks
Georgia Bell	NESO
Graeme Vincent	SP Energy Networks
Holly MacDonald	NESO
James Acord	NESO
Jasper Simon	Ofgem
Joanna Wareing	National Grid
Joe Peffers	NESO
Kamila Nugumanova	Drax
Kasia Wilk	Drax
Magda Morenes	NESO
Maria Lopez	NESO
Michiel Hendriks	National Grid
Muhammad Madni	National Grid
Munti Nguyen	Nemo Link
Nick Silito	Waters Wye Associates
Nisrine Kebir	NESO
Oli Garfield	NESO
Paul McGuckin	Mutual Energy
Sally Smith	National Grid
Sam Whitworth	Octopus Energy
Sören Bertsch	Omnia Energy
Stela Nenova	National Grid
Steve Wright	NESO
Tobias Burke	Energy UK
Tomas Mjartan	NeuConnect Interconnector
Vanessa Simpson	NESO
Vince Hammond	National Grid
Zong Yan	Ofgem