

<b>DR</b>		<b>1078</b>	<b>Billing of Multiple Reads</b>	<i>Priority</i> <b>Fast Track</b>	
<b>Harmonisation Status</b>			<b>CLOSED - Jurisdictional Specific</b>	<b>CR Status</b>	<b>Classified</b>
				<b>Status Date</b>	<b>15/06/2011</b>
<b>Date</b>	<b>Version</b>	<b>Reason For Change</b>			<b>Version Status</b>
03/06/2011	v1.0	Initial version issued to HWG			Final
<b>PART 1 DETAIL OF DISCUSSION REQUEST/MARKET CHANGE REQUEST:</b>					
<b>Requesting Organisation(s)</b>	NIE		<b>Originating Jurisdiction</b>	NI	
<b>Contact name</b>	Joan-Edel Smith				
<b>Date Request Raised</b>	02/06/2011		<b>Originating Request</b>		
<b>Detail of Request</b>					
<b>Reason for Request</b>					
<p>Currently NIE DUoS bill readings on a priority basis with Meter Works/Meter Reader Hand-Held Unit (HHU) taking precedence over all other read types.</p> <p>This Discussion Request proposes that when the billing window for a particular MPRN is opened (in line with the meter reading schedule), the first actual reading received will be DUoS billed regardless of type. The rationale for this change is further harmonisation.</p> <p>In addition, NIE have a requirement to store all readings regardless of type to maintain an accurate read history for each MPRN.</p>					
<b>Proposed Solution</b>					
<p>The first actual reading received within a billing window will be DUoS billed regardless of type.</p> <p>If a Meter Reader (HHU) read is received after the MPRN has been DUoS billed and has a read date prior to the DUoS billed reading, technical billing will not occur for the HHU reading, i.e. usage factors will not be updated and no market message will be sent.</p> <p>If a Meter Reader (HHU) read is received after the MPRN has been DUoS billed and has a read date after the DUoS billed reading, technical billing will occur for the HHU reading, i.e. usage factors will be updated and a 300 market message will be sent to the Supplier.</p> <p>During the daily batch update, readings will be processed in the following order. This will limit the number of instances where a HHU read is not the reading used to fulfil the Meter Reading Order.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Meter Works</li> <li>2. Scheduled</li> <li>3. Customer Provided (via IVR/Web)</li> </ol> <p>All readings will be stored regardless of which reading is communicated to the relevant Supplier for audit and read history purposes.</p>					

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<b>Harmonisation Impacting</b>			<b>Harmonisation Baseline Version No.</b>	
<b>NI Specific</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>RoI Specific</b>		<b>TBD</b>
			<b>Operational</b>	<b>Date of Transfer from HWG</b>

<b>Scope of Request</b>							
Design Documentation	Business Process	Market & MP Systems	Market Gateway (Hub)	MPCC/ EMMA	Schema	Web Forms	Extranet
<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>						

<b>Harmonisation Baseline Documents impacted by Request</b>	
<b>Market Messages:</b>	No impact
<b>Data Definitions:</b>	No impact
<b>Data Codes:</b>	No impact
<b>RoI MM Guide:</b>	No impact
<b>NI MM Guide:</b>	No impact
<b>Harm. Impact (RoI):</b>	No impact
<b>Comment:</b>	

<b>Jurisdictional Market Design Baseline Documents impacted by Request</b>	
<b>Market Process Diagrams (MPDs):</b>	TBD
<b>Guidance Documentation</b>	TBD
<b>Briefing Documents:</b>	TBD
<b>User and Technical Documents:</b>	TBD
<b>Comment:</b>	TBD

<b>PART 2 MARKET ASSURANCE:</b>					
<b>Applicability</b>	DSO	Suppliers	TSO	SEMO	Generators
	<b>Scope of Test</b>	Business Solution Assessment	Integration Test Assessment	Data Transfer Testing	IPT

<b>PART 3 RECOMMENDATION</b>							
<b>Recommended by</b>		SIG		IGG		HWG	
<b>ACCEPTANCE (Date)</b>	<b>REJECTION (Date)</b>	<b>NO RECOMMENDATION</b>	<b>COMMENT</b>				
<b>Reason for Recommendation</b>							