# **REC Weekly Bulletin (22 March 2024)**

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	Upcoming Meetings and Events
	Keep up to date with REC meetings and events with these dates for your diary:
	26 March 2024 - Performance Assurance Board
	27 March 2024 - Technical Expert Panel
MEMs	02 April 2024 - REC Change Panel
DNOs	09 April 2024 - Market Entry Engagement Drop-in Session (Register here)
<b>O</b>	10 April 2024 - Metering Expert Panel
Suppliers	10 April 2024 - Gas Operational Metering Forum
	12 April 2024 - REC Issues Group
	<ul> <li>16 April 2024 - Introduction to EMAR Webinar (<u>Register here</u>)</li> </ul>
	23 April 2024 - MHHS Open Day ( <u>Register here</u> )
	25 April 2024 - Introduction to REC Webinar (Register here)
	Introduction to the REC Webinar

The REC Code Manager is hosting an Introduction to the REC Webinar on **25 April 2024** (10:00 - 12:30) to introduce new REC Parties and those who wish to have a refresher to the Code. To view the full list of topics and register your interest, click <u>here</u>.

MEMs	Introduction to the EMAR Webinar
DNOs	The REC Code Manager is hosting an Introduction to the Energy Market Architecture Repository Webinar on 16 April 2024
Suppliers	(10:00 - 10:45) to provide an overview of EMAR including demonstrations of the Digitalised REC and the REC Data Specification in the Digital Navigator. To view the full list of topics and register your interest, click <u>here</u> .

MEMs	Market Entry Engagement Session
DNOs	The REC Code Manager is hosting a Market Entry Engagement Session on <b>09 April 2024</b> (10:00 - 11:00). This event will
Suppliers	be an open drop-in session where anyone is welcome to ask questions regarding the general Market Entry process under the REC, or questions specific to their application. To learn more information and register your interest, click <u>here</u> .

MEMs	R0147 PPM Levelisation Webinar
DNOs Suppliers	The REC Code Manager hosted the R0147 PPM Levelisation Pre-release Webinar on 14 March 2024 which provided an overview of the R0147 Prepayment Levelisation before its implementation. Click <u>here</u> to access the recording and the webinar materials.

Market-wide Half Hour	y Settlement U	pdates
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Qualification Approach & Plan (QA&P) Annex 2 Consultation

The Qualification Approach and Plan (QA&P) Annex 2: Non-SIT Supplier & Agent MHHS Qualification Testing Approach has been published for consultation. The document sets out the specific MHHS Qualification Testing requirements, scope,

testing framework, objectives, and approach for Non-SIT Suppliers and Agents. This document applies to Non-SIT Suppliers and Agents including new entrant Supplier and Agents who are looking to enter the market before M14.

Comments are due by 17:00 on **05 April 2024**. For more information on this consultation and to submit a confirmation of review or comments on this document, please visit the <u>Qualification Approach & Plan page of the MHHS website</u>.

If you have any questions about this consultation, please email the Code Bodies at <u>MHHSQualification@elexon.co.uk</u> and <u>performanceassurance@recmanager.co.uk</u>.

### Non-SIT Supplier & Agent Qualification Testing Test Scenarios Consultation

The initial list of **Batch 1 Qualification Test Scenarios and Cases for Non-SIT Supplier and Agent Qualification Testing** has been published for consultation. Batch 1 contains the core list of Functional Test Scenarios in scope. Analysis is still ongoing to identify any gaps and the output of this analysis plus consultation feedback will inform Batch 2.

For more information on this consultation and to submit a confirmation of review or comments on this document, please visit the <u>Non-SIT Supplier & Agent Qualification Testing Test Scenarios page of the MHHS website</u>. Comments are due by 17:00 on **05 April 2024**. If you have any questions about this consultation, please email the Code Bodies at <u>MHHSQualification@elexon.co.uk</u>.

A walkthrough of the selection approach and next steps is planned for **25 March 2024** (14:00 - 14:45). This session will walkthrough how the Test Scenarios and Test Cases were selected, how they'll be used, and to answer any participant questions to support participants responding to the consultation.

If you would like to attend this session, please email <u>PPC@mhhsprogramme.co.uk</u>.

#### **REMINDER: Pre-Qualification Submission**

All Non-SIT Suppliers, Agents, and New Entrant DNOs (referred to as LDSOs in the MHHS Programme) Programme Participants are required to provide a **Pre-Qualification Submission (PQS)** for MHHS Qualification. The PQS window opened on 05 February 2024 and final submissions are due by 17:00 on **26 April 2024**.

The submission includes all the information that Code Bodies need to make an informed judgement on a party's readiness and suitability to be allocated to a particular Qualification Wave. The information provided will also help Code Bodies to understand the resource and testing capacity required to support each Qualification Wave. The MHHS Programme expects participants to submit their Pre-Integration Testing (PIT) Approach and Plan as supporting evidence for their PQS submission.

Please note that **SIT participants** are not expected to submit the PQS for the roles and Market Participant IDs (MPIDs) they are participating with in SIT. The proposed process for the Qualification Assessment Document (QAD) submission for SIT Participants is set out in the <u>Qualification Approach and Plan</u>.

Existing LDSOs participating in Non-SIT LDSO Qualification are not expected to submit the PQS.

On 07 March 2024, the Code Bodies hosted a webinar on the PQS to support participants in completing the document. Please see the <u>PQS Webinar Article</u> for more information and details on the webinar recording, slides, worked example and Q&A document.

The Code Bodies are hosting drop-in sessions for participants who require further support in completing their PQS. The sessions are open to all participants completing the PQS and they will be recorded and published on the Collaboration Base. They will take place on:

- 04 April 2024 (11:00 12:00)
- **09 April 2024:** there will be a session at the end of the Qualification Working Group
- **17 April 2024** (14:00 15:00)

To receive an invite, please email MHHSQualification@elexon.co.uk

For more information on the PQS and how to submit your information, please visit the <u>Pre-Qualification Submission page of</u> the <u>MHHS website</u>.

If you have any questions about the PQS or Placing Reliance please email MHHSQualification@elexon.co.uk.

## **REC Committees**

Within the past week, the Code Manager has published the below REC Committees documentation on the REC Portal.

- <u>Final Minutes</u> have been published following the Metering Expert Panel on **14 February 2024.**
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- <u>Draft Minutes</u> have been published following the Metering Expert Panel on 13 March 2024.
- <u>Draft Minutes</u> have been published following the R0155 Working Group on **14 March 2024**.
- <u>Headline Report</u> has been published following the REC Change Panel on **19 March 2024**.
- <u>Agenda and Papers</u> have been published ahead of the R0155 Working Group on **28 March 2024**.

A meeting of the Gas Operational Metering Forum has been scheduled for **10 April 2024**. If you have not received an invite for the meeting and would like to attend or add anything to the agenda, please email <u>committees@recmanager.co.uk</u> by 03 April 2024.

### **Contacting the Code Manager**

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