REC Weekly Bulletin (09 February 2024)

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Upcoming Meetings and Events

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Keep up to date with REC meetings and events with these dates for your diary:

- 12 February 2024 RECCo's P1 Major Switching Incident Review (Register here)
- 14 February 2024 Metering Expert Panel
- 20 February 2024 REC Change Panel
- 27 February 2024 Performance Assurance Board
- 28 February 2024 Technical Expert Panel
- 28 February 2024 RECCo's 2024-25 Budget Breakdown Webinar (Register here)
- 08 March 2024 REC Issues Group
- 14 March 2024 R0147 Prepayment Levelisation Pre-Release Webinar (<u>Register here</u>)

For Prompt Action - DCC JWS Certificate

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Any party that receives a message directly from Central Switching Service (CSS) and needs to validate its authenticity will need a copy of the latest CSS JWS (Public) Production signing certificate. Action is required by **20 February 2024, (07 Working Days).** The JWS Certificate is issued to digitally sign each message and validates that the message sender is authenticated and the message integrity. Each CSS User that receives messages from CSS will need to install the updated certificate to ensure messages can still be authenticated. This <u>Portal page</u> provides further details.

R0147- Prepayment Levelisation Survey Reminder and Webinar

Change Proposal R0147 - Prepayment Levelisation was raised to progress the necessary changes to the REC, setting out how Payment Method Levelisation (PML) Reconciliation will operate and the obligations on RECCo and Domestic Suppliers. The Change Proposal is targeted for implementation on 28 March 2024 and the new PML Reconciliation Schedule will take effect on **01 April 2024**.

Suppliers

In readiness for R0147 being approved, and the Levelisation Policy being implemented, Supplier Contract Managers were emailed asking for a contact and bank details form to be sent to enquiries@recmanager.co.uk by today, 09 February 2024.

If you have any questions, please contact the REC Service Desk or your Operational Account Manager.

We are also hosting R0147 Prepayment Levelisation Pre-Release Webinar on **14 March 2024** (13:00-14:30) to provide an overview of the R0147 Prepayment Levelisation before its implementation.

To view the full list of topics and register your interest, click here or email enquiries@recmanager.co.uk.

MHHS Mop Up 2 Consultation

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MHHS programme participants will have a final opportunity to review and provide feedback on the MHHS code drafting captured in the Code Artefacts in the upcoming Mop Up 2 consultation. The Programme will publish the Mop Up 2 Code Artefacts for participant review on 19 February 2024 and comments will be due by 17:00 on 11 March 2024. All participants are requested to ensure resource is allocated to complete this review.

An email will be sent with more information on 19 February 2024, and we will also share in The Clock on 21 February 2024. If you have any questions about this consultation, please email the Code Team at code@mhhsprogramme.co.uk.

Performance Assurance Newsletter

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To help provide better visibility of Performance Assurance work we are trialling a monthly briefing which shares market-wide trends and insights to REC Parties. The second Newsletter is available here and provides an overview of the performance of REC Services to date. We hope that this information is useful and would welcome feedback once we have published the first three briefings.

R0155 TPIs Workgroup Nominations

TPIs

Nominations are being sought for five Third Party Intermediary representatives for the upcoming workshops for the solution development of R0155 (Change of Tenancy: Evidentiary Standards and Timescales). The workgroup will meet regularly to develop and discuss potential solutions for R0155. The output of the workgroup will form the solution which the REC Change Panel will recommend for approval or rejection to the Authority.

Successful candidates will be appointed to the workshop for the duration of Solution Development. Only one nominee per company will be considered, and you may nominate yourself or any other person with relevant expertise. If you wish to nominate more than one candidate, you should submit these on separate forms.

Please send completed forms to enquiries@recmanager.co.uk by 17:00 on 16 February 2024.

R0155 Supplier Workgroup Nominations

Nominations are currently being sought for Supplier representatives to join the upcoming Solution Development workshops for R0155 (Change of Tenancy: Evidentiary Standards and Timescales). The workgroup will meet regularly to develop and discuss potential solutions for R0155. The output of the workgroup will support the solution, which the REC Change Panel will recommend for approval or rejection to the Authority.

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Five Supplier representatives will be appointed to the workgroup. Two representatives will be appointed by Energy UK and two representatives will be appointed by ICoSS. The fifth representative position is available for a Supplier which is affiliated with **neither Energy UK nor ICoSS**. **The Code Manager is now inviting nominations for this fifth position only.**

Successful candidates will be appointed to the workshop for the duration of Solution Development. Only one nominee per company will be considered, and you may nominate yourself or any other person with relevant expertise.

Send completed forms to enquiries@recmanager.co.uk by 17:00 on 16 February 2024.

REC Metering Expert Panel Supplier Member Election

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Supplier Contract Managers have received an email inviting them to vote in the REC Metering Expert Panel Supplier Member election. There are three nominees up for the role, could you please complete the election form and send to committees@recmanager.co.uk by 15:00 on 20 February 2024.

REC Committees

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

- Final Minutes have been published following the REC Change Panel on 16 January 2024.
- Headline Report has been published following the REC Change Panel on **06 February 2024**.
- Agenda and Papers have been published ahead of the REC Metering Expert Panel on 14 February 2024.

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