

REC Weekly Bulletin (31 May 2024)

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Upcoming Meetings and Events

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

- 04 June 2024 - REC Change Panel
- 05 June 2024 - Performance Assurance Webinar ([Register here](#))
- 06 June 2024 - REC Change Issues Group
- 11 June 2024 - June REC Release Drop-in Session ([Register here](#))
- 12 June 2024 - Metering Expert Panel
- 13 June 2024 - R0113 - Data Specification Updates and Clarifications Webinar ([Register here](#))
- 14 June 2024 - REC Issues Group
- 25 June 2024 - Performance Assurance Board
- 26 June 2024 - Technical Expert Panel

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Performance Assurance Webinar

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The Code Manager is hosting a Performance Assurance Webinar on **05 June 2024** (12:00 – 13:30) in which we will be discussing various topic areas within the scope of Performance Assurance.

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

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We are interested in getting your input into how we prioritise our work. Please join us for an interactive session where we will be asking you for your views on where we should focus our attention in the coming year. We'll do a live survey during the webinar, and then spend time in a joint discussion to understand your views. This will be a key in supporting us to develop our operating plan for the coming year.

June 2024 REC Release Drop-in Session

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The Code Manager is hosting the June 2024 REC Release Drop-in Session on **11 June 2024** (13:00 – 14:00) to provide an overview of the planned changes within the scope the June 2024 (3.11.0) REC Release taking place on **28 June 2024**. The session will provide information on the impacts of the changes and provide you with an opportunity ask your questions direct to the Code Manager.

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R0113 – Data Specification Updates and Clarifications Webinar

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The Code Manager is hosting a webinar around Change Proposal [R0113 – Data Specification Updates and Clarifications](#) on **13 June 2024** (13:00 – 15:00) to provide Parties with an overview of all changes within scope and the opportunities to ask questions or raise concerns about any alterations proposed.

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June Energy Theft Forum

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The third REC Energy Theft Forum will be held on **27 June 2024** (13:00 – 16:00). This event will bring participants from across the industry together to discuss actions to mitigate energy theft. The agenda will include updates from RECCo, plus an opportunity to share problems you may be experiencing and seek guidance from other forum attendees.

To view more details on the event, register and put forward agenda topics click [here](#).

Market-wide Half Hourly Settlement Update

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Ofgem Programme Participant Information Request (PPIR): MHHS Cost Analysis

Ofgem has asked the MHHS Programme to seek information from Programme Participants on the costs of implementing and operating under the new MHHS arrangements. The Programme has issued a PPIR to support this request which closes at **17:00** on **05 July 2024**. For more information, please visit the [Ofgem PPIR: Cost Analysis page of the MHHS website](#). If you have any questions about this PPIR, please email Ofgem at halfhourlysettlement@ofgem.gov.uk.

Qualification Assessment Document (QAD) Walkthrough Webinar recording available

The QAD Walkthrough Webinar took place on 29 May 2024. In this webinar, the Code Bodies walked participants through the guidance that's been provided on how to complete the QAD, to ensure that the guidance sufficiently supports participants. You can view the webinar recording and slides on the [MHHS Webinars & Open Days page of the MHHS website](#). The Q&A from this webinar will be published next week.

Please visit the [Qualification Assessment Document page of the MHHS website](#) to view the QAD that was recently issued for informal consultation.

The Code Bodies plan to facilitate another webinar on **18 June 2024**, focusing specifically on the QAD Portal.

Data Specification Pre-Release (v3.11.0)

The Data Specification Pre-Release for the REC June Release is now available on the Digital Navigator [here](#). There are three formats available:

- The DTC Data Specification Pre-Release v3.11.0
- Full Data Specification Pre-Release (HTML) v3.11.0
- Full Data Specification Pre-Release (BACPAC) v3.11.0

The changes implemented are as follows:

- R0043 (Commissioning of Works by the Crowded Meter Room Coordinator (CMRC) to Resolve Issues in Crowded Meter Rooms)
 - New Scenario Variant: CMRM > Supplier in MM00013/D0002
 - New Scenario Variant: Supplier > CMRM in MM00013/D0002
 - New Scenario Variant: CMRM > Supply Fault Information Centre in MM00023/D0135
 - New Scenario Variant: CMRM > Supplier in MM00029/D0136
 - New Scenario Variant: CMRM > Supplier in MM00036/D0139
- R0142 (Amendment to Multiplication Factor Enumerations to Support Hydrogen Trials)
 - New Enumeration for DI40145/A0120

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RECCo's Switching Incentive Regime Survey

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Ofgem introduced the Switching Incentive Regime (SIR) in April 2023, a performance incentive regime for the Data Communications Company (DCC) for its roles in delivering the Switching arrangements to the retail energy market. DCC has three roles under the enduring switching arrangements: the Central Switching Service Provider, the Certificate Authority and the Switching Operator.

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RECCo is required to support Ofgem by assessing DCC on its customer engagement measure and users' satisfaction with the service. To support this, we require feedback from Retail Energy Code (REC) Parties.

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If you're a REC Party involved in switching, we kindly request that you participate in a confidential survey. The survey will take approximately five minutes to complete and will aid Ofgem in assessing DCC's customer engagement performance. The survey will close on **06 June 2024** at 17:00. Take the survey [here](#).

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

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- [Final Minutes](#) have been published following the Technical Expert Panel on **25 April 2024**.
- [Draft Minutes](#) have been published following the REC Change Panel on **21 May 2024**.
- [Headline Report](#) has been published following the Performance Assurance Board on **28 May 2024**.
- [Headline Report](#) has been published following the Technical Expert Panel on **29 May 2024**.
- [Headline Report](#) has been published following the Energy Theft Reduction Expert Group on **29 May 2024**.
- [Agenda and Papers](#) have been published ahead of the REC Change Panel on **04 June 2024**.
- [Agenda and Papers](#) have been published ahead of the REC Change Issues Group on **06 June 2024**.

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