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CHANGE PROPOSAL FORM (COPY)

1 PERSONAL DETAILS

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2 CHANGE PROPOSAL SUMMARY

CHANGE PROPOSAL TITLE *(Mandatory)*	Gas Meter Type Code - Thermal Mass Measurement
WHAT IS THE ISSUE YOU ARE SEEKING TO SOLVE? *(Mandatory)*	There is currently no option under 'Meter Type Code' for Gas Meters to classify the meter as Thermal Mass. The best option it seems is to apply 'Z - Unknown'
WHAT IMPACT IS THIS HAVING? *(Mandatory)*	There are more Gas Manufacturers developing/releasing Thermal Mass Gas meters in preparation for higher blends of Hydrogen, yet there is no option in the Meter Type Code for this therefore it will be unclear what type of Gas meter is on-site.
WHAT OUTCOMES DO YOU CONSIDER ARE NEEDED TO ACHIEVE AN EFFECTIVE SOLUTION? *(Mandatory)*	An additional Data Attribute for 'Meter Type Code' on Gas flows to include a reference for 'Thermal Mass'
IS THERE ANY BACKGROUND INFORMATION OR CONTEXT TO THE CHANGE PROPOSAL THAT WOULD BE USEFUL? *(Optional)*	

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3 CONSUMER IMPACTS

WHICH CONSUMER TYPES WILL BE IMPACTED BY THIS CHANGE PROPOSAL? *(Mandatory)*	☐ Electricity ☒ Gas ☐ Domestic Prepayment ☐ Domestic Credit ☐ Microbusiness ☐ Small and Medium Enterprise (SME) ☐ Industrial and Commercial (I&C) ☐ Other (please specify in the Additional information box below)
WHAT IMPACT WILL THIS CHANGE PROPOSAL HAVE FOR THESE CONSUMERS? *(Mandatory)*	☒ Switching experience ☒ Billing accuracy ☐ Trust and confidence ☐ Safety ☐ Security of supply ☐ Ability to pay ☐ On site experience ☐ Other (please provide details in the Additional information box below)
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION *(Optional)*	

4 CODE IMPACTS

Does this Issue relate to or impact:

THE REC OR REC SCHEDULES? *(Optional)*	☐ Main Body ☐ Interpretations and Definitions Schedule ☐ Transition Schedule ☐ Accession Agreement ☐ Company Governance Schedule ☐ Change Management Schedule ☐ Performance Assurance Schedule ☐ Qualification and Maintenance Schedule ☐ Market Exit Schedule ☐ Charging Methodology Schedule ☐ Prepayment Arrangements Schedule

	☐ Central Switching Service Schedule ☐ Data Access Schedule ☐ Energy Theft Reduction Schedule ☐ Transfer of Consumer Data Schedule ☒ Metering Operations Schedule ☐ Metering Accreditation Schedule ☐ Secure Data Exchange Schedule ☐ Green Deal Arrangements Schedule ☐ Registration Services Schedule ☐ Related Metering Points Schedule ☐ Address Management Schedule ☐ Switching Data Management Schedule ☐ RMP Lifecycle Schedule ☐ Switching Service Management Schedule ☐ Resolution of Consumer Facing Switching and Billing Issues Schedule ☐ SPAA Transition Schedule ☐ MRA Transition Schedule ☐ Unbilled Energy Code of Practice ☐ Consolidated Metering Code of Practice (CoMCoP) ☐ Change Panel Terms of Reference ☐ Performance Assurance Board Terms of Reference
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION *(Optional)*	Data Specification

THE DATA SPECIFICATION? *(Optional)*	☒ Data Item Catalogue ☐ Market Message Catalogue ☐ Data Access Matrix ☐ Standards Definition
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION *(Optional)*	DI40106/DI40107 - Meter Type Code

CENTRAL SYSTEMS OR REC SERVICES? *(Optional)*	☐ Electricity Enquiry Service ☐ Central Data Service Provider Further Services ☐ Secure Data Exchange Service ☐ Green Deal Central Charging Database

	☐ Central Switching Service (CSS) ☐ CSS Certificate Authority ☐ Switching Operator ☒ Gas Retail Data Service ☐ Electricity Retail Data Service ☐ Gas Enquiry Service ☐ Energy Theft Tip Off Service (ETTOS)
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION *(Optional)*	

REC PARTIES AND/OR MARKET PARTICIPANTS? *(Optional)*	☒ Energy Suppliers ☐ Distribution Network Operators ☒ Gas Transporters ☐ Metering Equipment Managers ☐ DCC ☐ Shippers ☐ Data Collectors ☐ Data Aggregators ☐ Green Deal Providers ☐ Green Deal Finance Parties ☐ Meter Asset Providers ☐ AMR Service Providers ☐ EES Users ☐ GES Users ☐ GDCC Users ☐ Other (please provide details in the Additional Information box)
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION *(Optional)*	

OTHER INDUSTRY CODES? *(Optional)*	☐ BSC ☐ DCUSA ☐ SEC ☐ UNC ☐ IGT UNC
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION *(Optional)*	

DOES THIS CHANGE PROPOSAL IMPACT A SIGNIFICANT CODE REVIEW? *(Optional)*	No
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION *(Optional)*	

5 CHANGE PROGRESSION

DO YOU BELIEVE THIS CHANGE PROPOSAL MEETS THE CRITERIA FOR 'URGENCY' AND SHOULD BE PROGRESSED UNDER AN URGENT TIMETABLE? **IF SO, PLEASE PROVIDE JUSTIFICATION?** *(Optional)*	No I would not say this meets the criteria for 'Urgency'

ARE THERE ANY REQUIRED TIMESCALES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OR IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS CHANGE PROPOSAL? *(Optional)*	There are Thermal Mass SMETS2 Gas meters either production ready or soon to be so it would be beneficial to ensure there is an appropriate meter code before significant volumes of this type of device is deployed and then require bulk updates to previous Meter Technical Details
ARE YOU AWARE OF ANY DEPENDENCIES ASSOCIATED WITH THE CHANGE PROPOSAL WHICH MAY IMPACT ITS PRIORITY OR PROGRESSION TIMETABLE? *(Optional)*	No
DOES THIS CHANGE PROPOSAL RELATE TO AN EXISTING OR PREVIOUS CHANGE PROPOSAL? *(Optional)*	Not aware of whether this relates to an existing or previous Change Proposal

6 ATTACHMENTS

ATTACH/PROVIDE ANY SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED WITH THE FORM	