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CHANGE PROPOSAL UPDATE TO PLAN

R0300 AMENDMENTS TO D0312 TO ALIGN WITH BSC CP1622

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PROPOSED IMPLEMENTATION DATE	26 June 2026
IMPLEMENTATION APPROACH	Big Bang

RESPONSIBLE COMMITTEE	Technical Expert Panel	**CHANGE PATH**	Self-Governance
PRIORITY STATUS	Critical	**URGENCY**	Urgent
IMPACTED STAKEHOLDERS	Electricity Supplies, ERDAs, MOAs		

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1 CHANGE OVERVIEW

Elexon have raised CP1622 to amend the validation rules within the Supplier Meter Registration Service (SMRS) for the Number of Register Digits Data Item within the IF-005 Market Message, to allow digit values from 1–9, ensuring accurate data and reducing exceptions.

There are no Validation rules related to the D0312 Market Message which need to be amended under the Balancing and Settlement Code (BSC), but the D0312 itself contains a Data Item Rule regarding the Number of Displayed Register Digits which needs to be amended in line with CP1622.

2 CHANGE PLAN UPDATE

This Change Proposal was approved by the Change Panel to have a priority status of critical, and an Urgent status. The Code Manager would like to propose this is downgraded to a priority status of high, and a Standard status. Please see the proposed updated prioritisation matrix below.

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PRIORITISATION MATRIX

Category	Significance / Resource impacts / Urgency	Further selection / breakdown	Score (0-3)	Weighting	Weighted Score
Impacts	Consumer Impact	Direct	1	27	27
	Retail Markets Impact	Innovation and Market Arrangements	2	17	33
	RECCo / REC Party / REC Service Provider Impact	Operational Effectiveness and Efficiencies	1	7	7
		Legal and Regulatory Compliance	3	14	43
Resource	Complexity / Effort / Duration		3	9	28
Strategic Alignment	Contribution to/ Alignment with the objectives of the REC		0	17	0
	Contribution to/ Alignment with RECCo's Forward Work Plan		0		0
Urgency *(The need to progress a change to meet a targeted date)*		Cross Code Activity	2	10	20
				Overall Priority Score (rounded)	157

Priority Status	HIGH
Change Proposal Type	STANDARD

This change is due to conversations that have taken place between the REC, BSC, MHHS Programme and wider Market Participants since this Change Proposal was raised which have identified that the Number of Displayed Register Digits being incorrect is not a MHHS Migration blocker as initially thought. This has been confirmed by the Programme at the Migration Working Group (MWG) on 12 March 2026.

This Change Proposal is still a high priority for the Code Manager, with aims to implement as soon as possible and to remain aligned with the implementation of BSC CP1622. However, the Code Manager believes it no longer qualifies for an Urgent status if it is not blocking Metering Points from Migrating to the MHHS arrangements.

3 COMMITTEE ACTIONS

Committee Members are invited to take the following actions:

- **REVIEW** the update to plan for R0300; and
- **APPROVE** the update to plan for R0300.