RETAIL ENERGY CODE

R0044 – MHHS PROGRAMME CHANGES REQUIRED TO CENTRAL SWITCHING SERVICE

DRAFT LEGAL TEXT

The proposed updates to Schedule 1 - Interpretations are;

Smart Meter Data Service Provider	SMDSP	means the DCC in its role as provider of the Smart Meter Data Service.
Smart Meter Data Retriever	SMDR	means the Supplier Agent responsible for retrieving data directly from Smart Meters. SMDR has the same meaning as MDR within the Smart Energy Code.
Smart Meter Installation Auditor		means the auditor appointed under the Smart Metering Implementation Schedule.

And;

Submitted		means the Registration Service Request Status as described in Paragraph 1.3 of the Registration Services Schedule.
Supplier Agent	-	means a Data Aggregator, a Data Collector, Smart Meter Data Retriever or a Metering Equipment Manager.
Supplier Exempt Supply Meter Point		means a Supply Meter Point supplied by a supplier which benefits from a supply licence exemption under the Gas Act.

The proposed updates to Schedule 27 – RMP Lifecycle are;

5 Supplier Agent Appointment and Update of Meter Asset Provider

5.2. Where the Gas Retail Data Agent or an Electricity Retail Data Agent becomes aware of an amendment to the Supplier Agent appointed in relation to an RMP, or the Meter Asset Provider associated with an RMP, then the Gas Retail Data Agent or Electricity Retail Data Agent (as applicable) shall provide the updated information to the CSS Provider via the relevant Market Message in accordance with this Paragraph 5.

5.3. The following interface table applies to electricity RMPs for the Appointment of Supplier Agents:

Ref	When	Action	From	To	Interface	Means
5.2.1	Following a valid Supplier Agent Appointment being recorded within SMRS for an active Registration, in accordance with the BSC.	Issue details of Supplier Agent Appointment.	• Electricity Retail Data Agent	• CSS Provider	Supplier Arranged Appointments	CSS API
5.2.2	Following 5.2.1 where the message passes synchronous validation.	Update Supplier Agent details.	• CSS Provider		Internal Process	N/A
5.2.3	In the case of a MEM or SMDR Appointment, immediately following 5.2.2	Issue MEM or SMDR Appointment details.	• CSS Provider	• SMDSP	Registration Event Synchronisation	CSS API

				(SMDR and MEM Appointment) • ECoS Service Provider (MEM Appointment only)		
5.2.4	Following 5.2.3 where the message passes synchronous validation.	Update MEM or SMDR details.	• SMDSP (SMDR and MEM Appointment) • ECoS Service Provider (MEM Appointment only)		Internal process	N/A
5.2.5	Following 5.2.4 where message passes, or fails SMDSP	Send response message (SMDR Appointment only)	• SMDSP	• CSS Provider	Asynchronous Response	CSS API

	validation					
5.2.6	Following 5.2.5	Send response message (SMDR Appointment only)	• CSS Provider	• Electricity Retail Data Agent	Asynchronous Response	CSS API