

iGT UNC Draft Modification Report Response

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Facilitation of the relevant objectives

Standardising the processes across the iGTs will allow npower to operate from one Settlements platform. This will bring efficiencies to Shippers and Suppliers alike. It could also be argued that it will help the cashflow position of IPL/QPL. Having embedded credits within unrelated invoices means that Shippers have to spend longer reconciling the amounts. This in turn can delay the settlement of outstanding disputed invoice amounts. Therefore we believe that this proposal could facilitate the "*efficient and economic operation of the pipe-line system*"

Additional Information and Comments

RWE npower supports the implementation of this modification proposal. Currently, IPL/QPL are the only Transporter who nets off credits within unrelated invoices. We appreciate that IPL/QPL have been operating this system for sometime without any problems. However, with the growth of the iGT market we think that it is right to start reviewing current processes and propose changes for processes that could prove inefficient or an issue in the future. Implementing this modification proposal will let us operate one process.

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