

MODIFICATION RECOMMENDATION

FORM MPID 261 – Connections Offers



RECOMMENDATION TO CER BY EIRGRID OF MODIFICATION TO GRID CODE.

ABSTRACT / TITLE OF MODIFICATION	MPID 261 – Connection Offers
MODIFICATION NUMBER	MPID 261
RECOMMENDED AT GCRP MEETING NUMBER	40
LIST OF GRID CODE SECTION(S) AFFECTED BY PROPOSED MODIFICATION:	PC.4.3.2
CURRENT GRID CODE VERSION :	5
MODIFICATION DESCRIPTION Overview THE REASON FOR THE RECOMMENDED MODIFICATION	The current clause does not reflect current and previous practice for the acceptance of connection offers and the submission of application data under the connection agreement as prescribed through CER Direction.
History of Progression through GCRPs, Working Group and/or Consultation	EirGrid presented the modification proposal MPID 261 to the Grid Code Review Panel members at a meeting held in the Hilton Hotel in Belfast on the 12 th November 2014. No objections were raised by the panel members and the modification was recommended for approval.
Summary Note of any Objections to the Recommended change from GCRP Members or Consultation Responses	No objections were raised.
Outcome of any GCRP Meeting Actions Relating to the Recommended Modification	No actions were raised.

Implication of not implementing the Modification	Inconsistency between Grid Code, Connection Agreement and CER Directions.
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RED-LINE VERSION

PC.4.3.2 Any **Connection Offer** will provide that it must be accepted by the applicant **User** within the period stated in the **Connection Offer**, ~~after which the **Connection Offer** will automatically lapse.~~ Acceptance of the **Connection Offer** shall be effected by execution of the **Connection Agreement** by both parties which renders the connection works relating to that **User Development** committed and binds both parties in accordance with its terms. ~~Within 60 Business Days (or such longer period as the TSO may agree in any particular case) of acceptance of the **Connection Offer** the~~ **User** shall supply the data pertaining to the **User Development** as listed in the Appendix to this Planning Code ~~in accordance with the terms of the **Connection Agreement**.~~

GREEN-LINE VERSION

PC.4.3.2 Any **Connection Offer** will provide that it must be accepted by the applicant **User** within the period stated in the **Connection Offer**. Acceptance of the **Connection Offer** shall be effected by execution of the **Connection Agreement** by both parties which renders the connection works relating to that **User Development** committed and binds both parties in accordance with its terms. The **User** shall supply the data pertaining to the **User Development** as listed in the Appendix to this Planning Code in accordance with the terms of the **Connection Agreement**.