

RIIO-ED1 Connections Working Group

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Potential ICE assessment criteria

Section	Part 1 (forward looking)	Part 2 (backward looking)
Process	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The DNO has a comprehensive and robust strategy for engaging with connection stakeholders. 2. The DNO's proposed strategy, activities and outputs been informed and endorsed by a broad and inclusive range of stakeholders. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The DNO has implemented a comprehensive and robust strategy for engaging with connection stakeholders. 2. The DNOs activities and outputs have taken into account ongoing feedback from a broad and inclusive range of stakeholders.
Activities	The DNO has a comprehensive and relevant workplan of activities.	The DNO has undertaken the activities stated in its workplan. If not the reasons provided are reasonable and well-justified.
Outputs	The DNO has set itself outputs that it will deliver in that year (eg targets, KPIs).	The DNO has delivered the outputs that it stated that it would deliver (eg targets, KPIs) in that year. If not, the reasons provided are reasonable and well-justified.

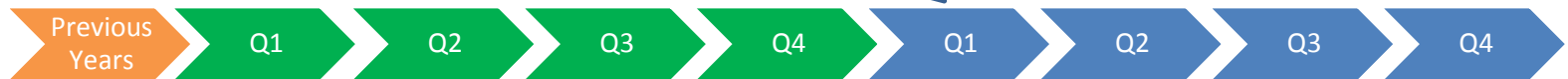
Potential Submission Timeline

DNOs engaging with stakeholders

DNO publish forward looking workplan of activities and outputs that will be delivered (Part 1).

DNO publish performance against workplan of activities and outputs that it set itself (Part 2)

DNO publish forward looking workplan of activities and outputs that will be delivered (Part 1).



Opportunity to update forward looking workplan of activities and outputs that will be delivered (Part 1).

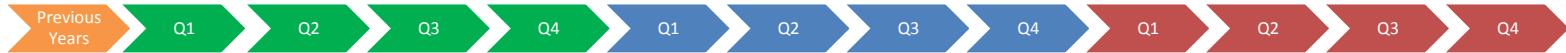
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Potential Assessment Timeline

Engage with stakeholders to identify key issues and gather independent feedback.

Publish open letter on all DNOs (on Part 1)

Publish open letter on all DNOs (on Part 2)



Review any DNOs of concern

Consult on "minded to" apply penalty

Publish decision to apply penalty

General guidelines for submission

- DNO to submit on a company basis, however some parts of the submission may need to be licensee specific.
- Submissions should be accessible for stakeholders.
- Separate submissions for each market segment required, with information highlighting how processes, activities and output fit into overall connection strategy.
- DNO to split market segments as desired (this may not necessarily reflect our nine market segments).
- For those that pass the Competition Test, DNOs will only need to report on non-contestable services. No penalty will be attached to non-contestable performance.

Purpose of this meeting

During this session we are keen to hear feedback on our proposals from stakeholders.

We intend to develop an associated document this spring and trial the arrangements this summer.

Regulatory Instructions and Guidance (RIGs)

In advance of RIIO-ED1, we need to finalise RIGs for the:

- Time to Connect Incentive

We already have draft RIGs that we used to collect trial data – we will need to develop these in advance of RIIO-ED1.

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