



**National Grid Talking Networks**  
**Gas Transmission Event – 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> November 2011**  
**Mayfair Chesterfield Hotel, London**

**AGENDA**

<b>8<sup>th</sup> November</b>
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TIMING	DISCUSSION
9.30 – 10.00	<b>Coffee and Registration</b>
10.00 – 10.30	<b>Welcome – Chris Train, Network Operations Director</b> <b>Introduction to session</b>
10.30 – 12.30	<b>Business Plan Q&amp;A Session</b> We will present an overview of our July submission and how stakeholders' views have influenced our plans. The focus of this session will be on Q&A and providing stakeholders with an opportunity to offer thoughts on our plans
12.30 – 13.15	<b>Lunch</b>
13.15 – 15.15	<b>Uncertainty Mechanisms</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The principles of uncertainty mechanisms</li> <li>- The uncertainties we have identified</li> <li>- Our proposed mechanisms to deal with those uncertainties</li> </ul>
15.15 – 15.30	<b>Coffee Break</b>
15.30 – 17.00	<b>Charging</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- What could all of this mean for my charges?</li> <li>- What potential options are there for dealing with this?</li> </ul>
17.00 – 18.15	<b>Drinks Reception</b>



**9<sup>th</sup> November**

<b>TIMING</b>	<b>DISCUSSION</b>
<b>9.00 – 9.30</b>	<b>Coffee and Registration</b>
<b>9.30 – 10.00</b>	<b>Welcome – Mike Calviou, Asset Management Director</b> <b>Introduction to session</b>
<b>10.00 – 12.00</b>	<b>Network Flexibility</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Investment included in the business plan</li> <li>- Need case for each group of investment</li> <li>- Funding through previous price control mechanisms</li> <li>- Wind intermittency</li> <li>- Reviewing the planning obligations on National Grid Gas</li> </ul>
<b>12.00 – 12.45</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>
<b>12.45 – 14.45</b>	<b>Connections &amp; Capacity Process</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Implication of the Planning Act, including pre Planning Act process requirements</li> <li>- Example</li> <li>- Options for further development</li> <li>- The impact on customers currently progressing connections</li> </ul>
<b>14.45 – 15.00</b>	<b>Coffee</b>
<b>15.00 – 16.30</b>	<b>SO / TO Interaction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The investment assumptions we have made as part of our plans</li> <li>- Considering investment vs operational solutions / contractual solutions / environmental aspects / ops margins</li> </ul>
<b>16.30</b>	<b>Close</b>