

Trading and Settlement Code Modifications Committee  
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SEMO Modifications Committee Secretariat  
The Oval  
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**Our Ref:** F/23/458

**SEM Committee Decision for the Regulatory Authorities in relation to Mod\_14\_21 (Final Recommendation FRR\_14\_21)**

Dear Esther,

On 19 January 2022, the Modifications Committee submitted its Final Recommendation Report (FRR) with regard to Modification Proposal Mod\_14\_21 'Extension of service system flag to cover replacement resources' in accordance with Paragraph B.17.18.1 of Part B of the SEM Trading and Settlement Code (TSC). The Modification Proposal Mod\_14\_21 was submitted to the Modifications Committee by EP Kilroot and EP Ballylumford on 23 August 2021 and discussed and voted on at Meeting 108 on 2 December 2021.

Mod\_14\_21 was proposed to extend the system service flag to cover units that are held for replacement reserve by the TSOs. The Modification proposers were of the view that units are currently being exposed to Non-performance Difference Charges even though said units are being held for reserve. Mod\_14\_21 was approved unanimously by the Modifications Committee.

However, in the course of carrying out a systems impact assessment for Mod\_14\_21, SEMO discovered that the mod couldn't be implemented as drafted. A new urgent modification,

Mod\_12\_22 was therefore raised by EP Kilroot & EP Ballylumford to incorporate the relatively minor modification needed to the legal drafting, and to replace Mod\_14\_21, given that this latter had already been voted on and sent for RA decision, and as such could not be withdrawn or amended. Mod\_12\_22 has since been approved and implemented.

Considering the above, and in accordance with Paragraph B.17.20 of the Code, the SEM Committee rejects Mod\_14\_21, as set out in Appendix 1 of FRR\_14\_21.

Yours sincerely,

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