

Appendix B

Gas Supply Licences

Proposed Modifications



This appendix sets out the proposed modifications to all gas supply licences.

Proposed deletions are indicated by ~~red text~~ which has been struck through.

Proposed additions are indicated by red text which has been underlined.

This appendix only includes those conditions (in whole or in part) to which modifications have been proposed.

THE NORTHERN IRELAND AUTHORITY FOR UTILITY REGULATION

NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 14(2) OF THE GAS (NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER 1996

MODIFICATIONS PROPOSED TO LICENCES TO SUPPLY GAS

The Northern Ireland Authority for Utility Regulation (the **Authority**) proposes to modify the conditions of all gas supply licences in exercise of its powers under Article 14(1) of the Gas (Northern Ireland) Order 1996 (the **Order**).

In accordance with Article 14(2) of the Order the Authority gives notice as follows:

1. The Authority proposes to make modifications to the gas supply licence (the **Licence**), granted or treated as granted under Article 8(1)(c) of the Order, held by each company (the **Licensee**) listed in the table below:

	Name and Registered Number of Company (the Licensee)
1	SSE Airtricity Gas Supply (NI) Ltd – NI032810
2	firmus energy (Supply) Ltd - Ten Towns - 05369108
3	firmus energy (Supply) Ltd - Greater Belfast Area - 05369108
4	Flogas Enterprise Solutions Limited - 07232701
5	ESB Independent Energy (NI) Ltd t/a Electric Ireland - 252609
6	LCC Group Ltd t/a Go Power – NI031142
7	Flogas Natural Gas Limited- NI622648
8	Energia Customer Solutions NI Ltd – NI035800
9	Power NI Energy Limited – NI027394
10	SSE Airtricity Gas Supply (NI) Ltd – NI032810
11	SSE Energy Supply Limited - 03757502
12	Shell Energy Europe Limited - 04162523
13	Energia Customer Solutions Limited - 306035
14	Bord Gais Energy Ltd - 463078

15	EP Ballylumford Limited – NI026040
16	British Gas Trading Limited - 03078711
17	Coolkeeragh ESB Limited – NI042138
18	ElectroRoute Energy Trading Limited - 497188
19	Electricity Supply Board (ESB)
20	EP NI Energy Limited – NI667118
21	EP Commodities, a.s. - 03437680
22	Ceres Energy Limited - 06490828

2. The proposed modifications are to the conditions of the Licence as discussed and explained within the consultation document entitled 'Notice and Consultation on Licence Modification for Provision of Information', as published by the Authority on the same date as this notice.
3. The actual text of the proposed modifications is as set out in schedule 1 to the notice below ("schedule 1"). The original licence text that is being retained is in black, any new text is in red and any original text that is being removed is in red and strikethrough.
4. The reasons for and effects of the proposed modifications are set out in the Notice and Consultation on Licence Modification for Provision of Information.
5. A copy of the proposed modifications can be viewed during normal office hours, and can be obtained (free of charge) from:

Karen Shiels and Liz Wilkin
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 Queens House
 14 Queen Street
 Belfast BT1 6ED EU
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liz.wilkin@uregni.gov.uk

6. Representations or objections with respect to any or all of the proposed modifications to any Licence may be made on or before 5pm on **18 November 2024** by writing to or e-mailing to the same address.

7. The Authority has, in accordance with Article 14(4) of the Order, sent a copy of this notice to the Licensee, the Department for Economy, and the General Consumer Council.

Dated this 21 day of October 2024

John French
Chief Executive
For and on behalf of the Utility Regulator

SCHEDULE 1

Part A

Proposed licence modifications to Condition 1.2 of the gas supply licence held by –

1. EP Ballylumford Limited
2. British Gas Trading Limited
3. Coolkeeragh ESB Limited

Condition 1.2: Provision of Information to the Authority

1.2.1 Provision of ~~Furnishing~~ information

~~Subject to Conditions 1.2.2 and 1.2.3 below, the Licensee shall furnish to the Authority, in such manner and at such times as the Authority may reasonably require, such information or as may be necessary for the purpose of performing any of its functions relating to gas as conferred on, or assigned or transferred to, it by or under any legislation.~~

~~The Licensee shall, after receiving a request from the Authority for Information that the Authority may reasonably require or that it considers may be necessary to enable it to perform any of its functions relating to gas, as conferred, assigned, or transferred to it by or under any legislation, give that Information to the Authority when and in the form requested.~~

1.2.2 Licensee to comment on accuracy of information

~~This Condition shall not apply in respect of any function of the Authority under Articles 14 (1) (a) and 27 of the Order or under Article 7 of the Energy Order but The Licensee shall, after receiving a request if requested by from the Authority, for reasoned comments on the accuracy and text of any Information relating to the Licensee's activities under or pursuant to this Licence which the Authority proposes to publish under Article 7 of the Energy Order, give such comments to the Authority when and in the form requested ~~give reasoned comments on the accuracy (so far as it relates to its licensed activities), of any information or advice which the Authority proposes to publish pursuant to Article 7 of the Energy Order.~~~~

1.2.3 ~~Condition 1.2 E~~ exclusive of other powers to require information

The power of the Authority to call for information under this Condition is in addition to the power of the Authority to call for information under or pursuant to any other Condition or Schedule.

~~1.2.4 Condition 1.2 and other powers to require information~~

~~Where the Licensee is or can be required to provide information to the Authority under any Condition other than this Condition, there shall be a presumption that the provision of that information in accordance with the Condition in question is sufficient~~

~~for the purposes of that Condition, but that presumption shall be rebutted and shall not limit the right of the Authority to call for further information under Condition 1.2.1 if it states in writing that in its opinion such information is, or is likely to be, necessary to enable it to exercise functions under the Condition in question.~~

1.2.45 Limitation on obligation to ~~provide~~ furnish information

~~This Condition~~ The Licensee is not required to comply with paragraph 1.2.1 shall not require the Licensee to furnish any information which if the Licensee could not be compelled to produce or give the Information in evidence in civil proceedings in the High Court.

1.2.5 Definitions

In this Condition:

"Information" means information in any form or medium and of any description specified by the Authority and includes any documents, accounts, estimates, returns, records or reports and data of any kind (whether or not prepared specifically at the request of the Authority).

Part B

Proposed licence modifications to Condition 1.3 of the gas supply licence held by –

1. SSE Airtricity Gas Supply (NI) Limited
2. firmus energy (Supply) Limited - Ten Towns Area
3. firmus energy (Supply) Limited – Greater Belfast Area
4. Flogas Enterprise Solutions (UK) Limited
5. ESB Independent Energy (NI) Limited t/a Electric Ireland
6. LCC Group Limited t/a Go Power
7. Flogas Natural Gas Limited
8. Energia Customer Solutions NI Limited
9. Power NI Energy Limited
10. SSE Airtricity Gas Supply (NI) Limited
11. SSE Energy Supply Limited
12. Shell Energy Europe Limited
13. Energia Customer Solutions Limited
14. Bord Gais Energy Limited
15. ElectroRoute Energy Trading Limited
16. Electricity Supply Board (ESB)
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18. EP Commodities, a.s
19. Ceres Energy Limited

Condition 1.3: Provision of Information to the Authority

1.3.1 Provision of ~~Furnishing~~ information

~~Subject to Conditions 1.3.2 and 1.3.3 below, the Licensee shall furnish to the Authority, in such manner and at such times as the Authority may reasonably require, such information or as may be necessary for the purpose of performing any of its functions relating to gas as conferred on, or assigned or transferred to, it by or under any legislation.~~

The Licensee shall, after receiving a request from the Authority for Information that the Authority may reasonably require or that it considers may be necessary to enable it to perform any of its functions relating to gas, as conferred, assigned, or transferred to it by or under any legislation, give that Information to the Authority when and in the form requested.

1.3.2 Licensee to comment on accuracy of information

~~This Condition shall not apply in respect of any function of the Authority under Articles 14 (1) (a) and 27 of the Order or under Article 7 of the Energy Order but~~ The Licensee shall, after receiving a request if requested by from the Authority, for reasoned comments on the accuracy and text of any Information relating to the Licensee's activities under or pursuant to this Licence which the Authority proposes to publish under Article 7 of the Energy Order, give such comments to the Authority when and in the form requested ~~give reasoned comments on the accuracy (so far as it relates to its licensed activities), of any information or advice which the Authority proposes to publish pursuant to Article 7 of the Energy Order.~~

1.3.3 Condition 1.3 Exclusive of other powers to require information

The power of the Authority to call for information under this Condition is in addition to the power of the Authority to call for information under or pursuant to any other Condition or Schedule.

~~1.3.4 Condition 1.3 and other powers to require information~~

~~Where the Licensee is or can be required to provide information to the Authority under any Condition other than this Condition, there shall be a presumption that the provision of that information in accordance with the Condition in question is sufficient for the purposes of that Condition, but that presumption shall be rebutted and shall not limit the right of the Authority to call for further information under Condition 1.2.1 if it states in writing that in its opinion such information is, or is likely to be, necessary to enable it to exercise functions under the Condition in question.~~

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~~This Condition~~ The Licensee is not required to comply with paragraph 1.3.1 shall not require the Licensee to furnish any information which if the Licensee could not be compelled to produce or give the Information in evidence in civil proceedings in the High Court.

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