

**Demand assessment report  
for incremental capacity**

**between**

***UK (National Grid Moffat IP)***

**and**

***Republic of Ireland (Gas Networks Ireland)***

***where no non-binding demand indications  
were received***

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This report is a joint assessment of the potential for incremental capacity projects conducted by:

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## **A. Non-binding Demand indications**

The involved TSOs, National Grid and GNI (UK) Limited have not received any non-binding demand indications for firm capacity at the interconnection points between the entry-exit system of National Grid and the entry-exit system of GNI (UK) Limited for any future period.

a) non-binding demand indications received within 8 weeks after the 5th July 2021 - none

**Therefore, the amount of zero for non-binding demand indications has been used as a basis for this demand assessment.**

## **B. Demand assessment**

### **Expected amount, direction and duration of demand for incremental capacity**

The received demand indications within the current incremental process between the entry-exit system of National Grid and the entry-exit system of GNI (UK) Limited are zero and therefore the potentially available capacity (i.e. technical capacity which is not yet booked in the long term) for the requested period are currently sufficient to cover potential future need for capacity.

### **C. Conclusion for the (non)-initiation of an incremental capacity project/process**

According to the assessment result of the non-binding demand indications which already indicated that no demand levels for incremental capacity need to be developed, no incremental capacity project will be initiated.

Based on the aforementioned decision, no technical studies for incremental capacity projects will be conducted.

## **D. Fees**

### **National Grid**

A fee would have been required for the submission of any demand indications in accordance with UNC EID Section E, in order to fund technical design studies. As no demand indications were received, National Grid did not receive any fees for the evaluation and processing of non-binding demand indications

### **GNI**

Gas Networks Ireland did not introduce a fee for the evaluation and processing of non-binding demand indications

## E. Contact information

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