

Communication Ref:	2378.5 – RT – PO
Title:	XRN4621 Suspension of the Validation between Meter Index and Unconverted Converter Index – Design Clarification Request
Date:	12/07/2019
*Affected Constituent User Group:	Shippers
Action:	For Representation

Dear colleague,

XRN 4621 was raised to assess the relevance of the validations that had previously been applied to Meter Readings that included the unconverted and converted Read indexes. These validations had been suspended in UK Link prior to the implementation of Project Nexus, and we raised the Change Proposal to assess whether these or other validations should be introduced on the UK Link Application.

Following a number of discussions at DSG it was agreed that the validations would NOT be applied. It was further proposed that the Shipper User would be notified by means of a warning report where a Meter Reading that they had submitted (and that had been accepted) would have failed the validation, this principle was agreed at the DSG on 17th June 2019, with further clarifications being provided in the presentation to DSG on 1st July 2019. Please click [here](#) for presentation

At the DSG on 17th June 2019 we agreed to use the previous validation that had been applied to the meter and converted indexes for the purposes of this warning report – i.e. Class 1 & 2 Supply Meter Points: 0.95 to 1.05 and Class 3 & 4 Supply Meter Points: 0.85 to 1.15. It was proposed that this validation additionally be applied to the meter to unconverted indexes. During further design reviews, we identified that since the unconverted index will no longer be mandatory it is unlikely that we will receive this index in all scenarios, and therefore this validation might be applied across inconsistent periods for the unconverted and converted indexes against the Meter. Since the validation reporting was intended only in order to highlight a potential inconsistency for further investigation DSG were asked on 1st July 2019 to consider their use of this report and whether the validation between the meter and unconverted indexes was necessary.

DSG had no specific objections to the proposal to remove reporting against the meter to unconverted indexes, but asked that this question be posed to all parties on the UK Link distribution list so that this could be considered. They requested that this be considered for a period of 5 days, after which provided no objections had been raised the approach could be considered as baselined.

Subsequently we received a comment from an industry representative who requested that the recommendation being proposed by Xoserve is formally issued out for consultation via the Change Pack process. With this in mind we are now seeking views from customers via the Change Pack process. Please provide your comments via the consultation response template by 26th July 2019.

Section H: Representation Response

H1: Change Representation

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Representation Status:	Approve	
Representation Publication:	Publish	
Representation Comments:	We have no objection to the report being removed	
Confirm Target Release Date?	Yes	«h1_userDataAlternative»

H1: Xoserve' s Response

Xoserve Response to Organisations Comments:	Thank you for your comments.
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Representation Publication:	Publish	
Representation Comments:	we have no objection to removing the validations on the meter and corrector indexes and although useful the reporting is not esesntial to our business.	

Confirm Target Release Date?	Yes	«h1_userDataAlternative»
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