

**Electricity Networks Strategy Group
Transmission Working Group**

WORK PROGRAMME SPECIFICATION

WORK PROGRAMME TITLE:		Technical Standards.
Reference:	WP02	
Programme Director:	Edgar Goddard, National Grid	
Date of Issue:	February 2007	
ENSG Sponsor:		
Work Programme Purpose and Objectives:		
<p>To facilitate the development and maintenance of technical standards such as the GB SQSS, Grid Code and any other standards that may need to be developed as the need arises.</p> <p>To ensure that suitable frameworks are in place to enable the standards to be reviewed in light of the changing Electricity Supply Industry and technological advances.</p>		
Work Programme Summary Method Statement:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Director is accountable to the Chairman of the TWG for ensuring that suitable frameworks are in place to deliver the objectives. 2. The Director will work with the various groups and panels charged with the actual work on the relevant technical standards to influence them to be effective in meeting their objectives efficiently. 3. Additionally, the Director will also facilitate discussions among relevant stakeholders when there are issues related to standards that need collective input. 		
Additional Information:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This is an ongoing exercise, to ensure that the technical standards continue to be relevant. 		

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Proposed Work Programme Project Areas		
Reference	Title	Project Area Description and Objectives
WP02/1	GB SQSS Governance	Establish GB SQSS governance arrangements
WP02/2	Onshore GB SQSS review	Review of security standards in light of increasing penetration of intermittent generation
WP02/3	Offshore GB SQSS	Develop offshore security standards and extend governance arrangements
WP02/4	Offshore Grid Code	Ongoing development and review to include output from other Workstreams
WP02/5	Nuclear generation	Review of security standards applicable to new nuclear generation