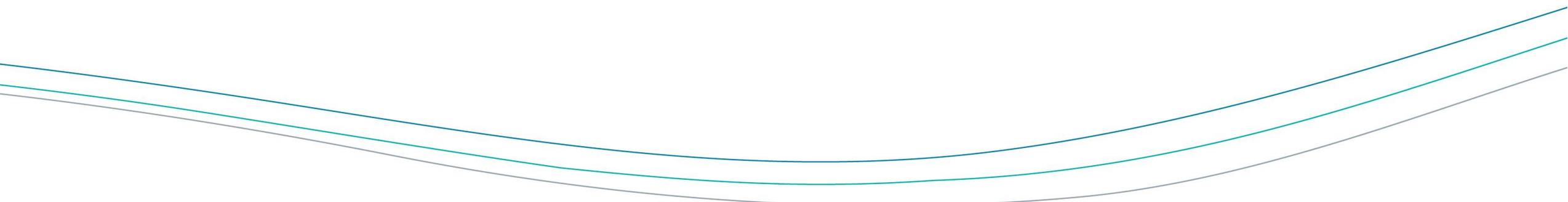


Bilateral Transactions Programme

Operational Advisory Group (OAG)

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Content

- ◆ Actions
- ◆ OPS/MPS conflicts in Bilats
- ◆ Code review documents incoming

Actions

- ◆ MOSL EJ to respond to SD - Chris C complete (update)
- ◆ MOSL CC to respond to JF - additional info (Teams message 18th Feb)
- ◆ MOSL EJ to follow up with CnC re training materials - Still ongoing with Miles R
- ◆ MOSL CD to forward V0.11 to OAG members for review -
https://www.mosl.co.uk/bilaterals_keydocs#scroll-process-flows

Setting the Scene

- ◆ As part of B5 (meter replacement/repair), SLA 2 states that once the Wholesaler has completed a meter exchange, they have to notify the MO and RTL know within 5 BDs.
- ◆ Currently, the only way to do this notification is through CMOS transactions. Generally, this would happen through the T117 transaction, which is used to submit an Initial and Final (I/F) read during a meter exchange.
- ◆ The notification could technically also be done through T104/T105 (basically, where the Wholesaler would remove the old meter from the market and register a new one) but this is not widely done and is not a recommended way to perform a meter exchange.
- ◆ MPS 7 says that an I/F reads taken must be submitted to CMOS within 5 BDs of the meter exchange happening. This 5 BDs SLA applies to T104/T105/T117, so it is an inevitable overlap between MPS 7 and B5 SLA 2.

B5 SLAs

- 💧 B5 has both OPS and MPS SLAs.
- 💧 If we integrate B5 SLA 2 into the new Bilaterals system, there could be a duplication and, if charges are introduced, Wholesalers could be double charged for the same failure, one in MPS and one in OPS.
- 💧 This has been a concern of Trading Parties within the market and was flagged to us by members of the OAG.

Options

- Following an initial internal review, we have come up with three options to solve this issue:
 1. Bilateral Hub completes after receiving notification from CMOS
 2. The B5 Complete transaction (T322.W) will not include the CMOS update as per C1 SLA. The action of 'CMOS Update' could be removed from the B5 process
 - i. but the retailer still has control over the close function (15BD)
 - ii. this is a diversion from C1 and only the 2nd process
 3. Add another transaction after the Complete transaction
 1. Not as complicated as 1 but incorporates a reporting method but is manual and add cost to TPs as an extra transaction.
- Comments and other suggestions please
- Future proof this – Do we need MPS if it can all be captured in bilats?

Code Documents

- ◆ Incoming Bilateral Code Draft Documents:
 - ◆ Operational Terms
 - ◆ CSD 0701
 - ◆ CSD 0704