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Qualification Advisory Group (QAG) #07 22 August 2024

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Agenda

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1	Welcome and Introduction			Chair	10:00-10:05 5 mins	1
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3	Programme Updates	Receive overview of MHHS governance groups and relevant Programme updates	Information	Secretariat	10:10-10:10 <i>0 mins</i>	6
4	SIT Progress and Programme Scenario Planning	Update from the Programme to reflect the latest decision	Discussion	Programme (Jason Brogden)	10.10-10.20 <i>10 mins</i>	10
5	Qualification Approach and Plan	Code Bodies to provide an update on the QA&P which was issued for consultation in July, and was endorsed by QWG	Decision	Code Bodies (Sarah Ross)	10:20-10:25 5 mins	15
6	Annex 1 of QA&P	Programme to provide an update on the Annex 1 of the QAP which was issued for consultation in July, and was endorsed by QWG	Decision	Programme (Nicola Farley)	10:25-10:30 5 mins	17
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8	Qualification Assessment Document	Code Bodies to provide an update on the QAD which was issued for consultation in July, and was endorsed by QWG	Decision	Code Bodies (Sarah Ross)	10:35-10:40 5 mins	21
9	Non-SIT LDSO Test Data Plan	Programme to provide an update on the Non-SIT LDSO Test Data Plan which was issued for consultation in July, and was endorsed by QWG	Decision	Programme (Nicola Farley)	10:40-10:45 5 mins	24
10	Non-SIT LDSO Test Scenarios and Test Cases	Programme to provide an update on the following Non-SIT LDSO Test Scenarios and Test Cases which were issued for feedback in July, and was endorsed by QWG	Decision	Programme (Nicola Farley)	10:45-10:50 5 mins	26
11	P476 Exemption from MHHS Requirements for Smart Market Segment Supplier Qualification	BSC Modification progress update and next steps	Information	Elexon (Sarah Ross)	10:50-11:00 <i>10 mins</i>	28



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13	Programme Milestones related to QAG	 Overview of upcoming Programme Milestones related to QAG and any milestone changes for approval Milestones for QAG to decide on 	Information / Decision	Programme (Nicola Farley) Code Bodies (Laura Kennedy)	11:05-11:10 5 mins	32
14	Fop Programme Risks Related to QAG QAG awareness of the key RAID items impacting the QAG		Information	Chair	11:10-11:15 5 mins	44
15	AOB	OB Participants to raise any queries on Qualification		Chair	11:15-11:20 5 mins	47
16	Summary and Next Steps Summarise actions and agree any agenda items for next meeting		Information	Secretariat	11:20-11:25 5 mins	48
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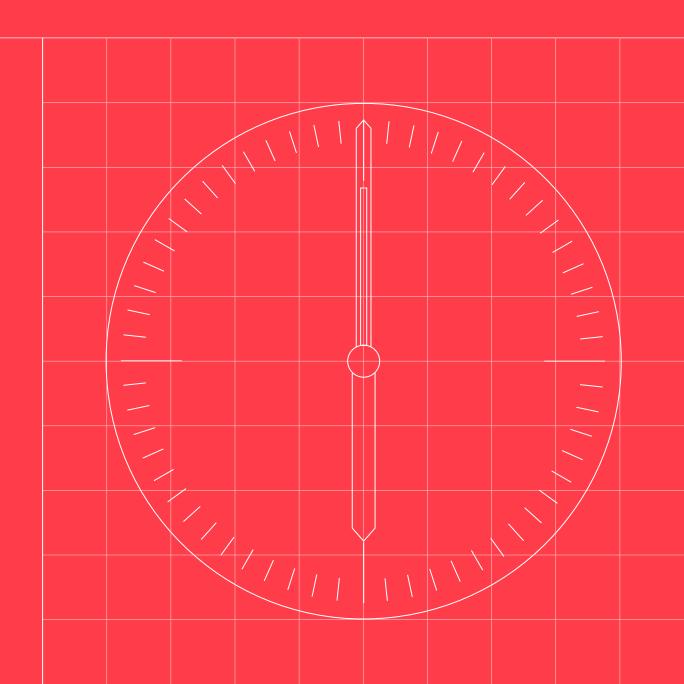


Headline Report and Actions

DECISION: Approve headline report of previous meeting and review outstanding actions

Chair and Secretariat





Headline Report and Actions Review

- 1. Approval of Headline Reports from QAG held <u>18 July 2024.</u>
- 2. Review outstanding actions (actions will be discussed by exception. Please review the action updates ahead of the meeting)

Ref	Action	Owner	Due	Latest Update
QAG06-01	Code Bodies to clarify QAD submission process and timelines	Code Bodies	22/08/2024	ONGOING: Update was provided at QWG 13 August 2024. Further update will be provided at QAG once timelines are confirmed
QAG06-02	Programme to capture Risk930 in QAG Risk slides	Programme	22/08/2024	RECOMMEND CLOSED: Risk930 captured in QAG risk slides

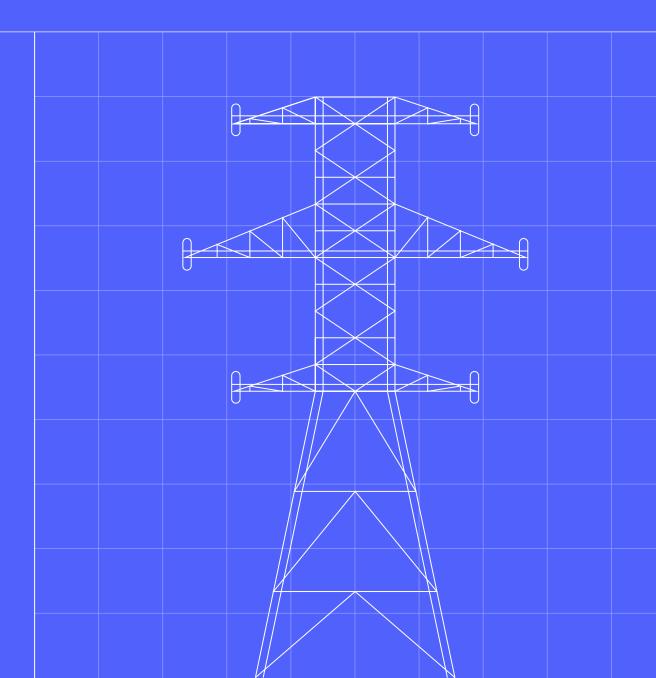


Programme Updates

INFORMATION: Receive overview of MHHS governance groups and relevant programme updates

Secretariat

0 mins – to be taken as read and discussed by exception





Level 3 Advisory Groups Updates

Programme Steering Group (PSG) PSG 07 August 2024 CR051: SRO approved CR051, Deferral of MHHSP-03. CR052: SRO approved CR052, Amending the 'M7 SCR powers enabled' Milestone. CR053: SRO approved CR051, ISD Publication Frequency Change. CR053 will go to August CDWG to discuss if the related minor Code	Design Advisory Group (DAG)DAG 14 August 2024Meeting held by correspondence only owing to diminishing content.Approval of Interface Code of Connections: Decision to approve updates made to the Interface Code of Connections, following endorsement by SDWG. This approval was made by correspondence with no objections received.	Cross Code Advisory Group (CCAG) CCAG 24 July 2024 In the meeting, the CCAG provided updates on: DIP Governance Update: The Programme confirmed 5 known inconsistencies will be added to DIP rules under the new DIP Governance in October and implemented before M10 via DIP industry consultation. Horizon Scanning Log: BSC provided updates on	 Participant Checklist: There are a few updates this week, so this week's Participant Checklist includes the following items for Programme participant review, feedback and awareness: 1. REMINDER: Non-Systems Integration Testing (SIT) Licensed Distribution System Operator (LDSO) Non-Functional and Operational Qualification Testing Plan – the deadline is Friday 16 August 2024 2. NEW! Placing Reliance Arrangements for SIT Operational – the deadline is Monday 19 August 2024 3. NEW! Updated Data Cleanse Plan and upcoming Population of ESME ID population activity – the deadline is Monday 19 August 2024
changes can be incorporated into M6 Code release. Elexon Settlement Analysis: The Settlement Analysis Model has been built and a volunteer organisation has agreed to provide 50,000 MPANs. Post-M10 Change Management: Programme provided update on SIT Functional Cycle 2, SIT Migration and Settlement Testing – as at end of Sprint 3 and into Sprint 4, contingency planning	DAG papers available <u>here</u> .	 P476 and CP1597. REC provided updates on R0144 and R0181. National Grid ESO provided CUSC updates on CMP430 and CMP431. M6 Reporting: M6 Programme status, risks and milestone updates. M7 Delivery: Ofgem M7 delivery. BSC Guidance Notes Update: Update from Elexon on Guidance Notes and Simple Guides. And, decided to cancel August CDWG2 meeting. 	 NEW! Change Request CR054 issued for Impact Assessment – the deadline is Thursday 22 August 2024 REMINDER: Non-SIT LDSO Qualification Testing Readiness Report and Requirements to Test Traceability Matrix (RTTM) Templates – the deadline is Friday 13 September 2024 REMINDER: Migration Envelopes and Weekly Submission Templates – the deadline is Wednesday 2 October 2024 Design Interim Release 8.2 coming soon! Qualification Requirements to Test Traceability Matrix (RTTM) Templates updated
and Immediate and Tactical Changes to Test Plan. PSG papers available <u>here</u> .		CCAG papers available <u>here.</u>	You can view the Participant Checklist on the respective Planning pages of the
System Integration Testing Advisory Group (SITAG)*	Qualification Advisory Group (QAG)*	Migration & Cutover Advisory Group (MCAG)*	<u>Collaboration Base</u> and the <u>MHHS website</u> . In the Participant Checklist you can view upcoming consultations and key deliverables, as well as the latest status of Change Requests in the Master Change Request Dashboard tab.
SITAG 17 July 2024 SIT Non-Functional Test Scenarios & Test Cases: SRO approved SIT Non-Functional Test Scenarios & Test Cases Theme 2 (v0.2) SIT Operational Test Scenarios and Test Cases:	QAG 18 July 2024 Non-SIT S&A QT Migration Test Scenarios: The Chair, acting with delegated authority of the MHHS Senior Responsible Owner (SRO), approved the document following endorsement from QWG.	MCAG 25 July 2024 Migration Framework Consultation 2: The Chair, acting with delegated authority of the SRO, approved the Migration Framework Consultation 2 Outputs.	We've created the Interim Release and Swagger version alignment document for Systems Integration Testing (SIT) participants. You can view this document on the respective SIT pages of the <u>Collaboration Base</u> and <u>MHHS website</u> .
SRO approved SIT Operational Test Scenarios and Test Cases Theme 2 (v0.2) Release Management & Configuration Management Approach: SRO approved the Release Management & Configuration	Non-SIT S&A QT Migration Test Data Approach: The Chair, acting with delegated authority of the MHHS Senior Responsible Owner (SRO), approved the document following endorsement from QWG.	Programme Milestones related to MCAG: The Chair, acting with delegated authority of the SRO, approved Milestone T3-MI-0017, Migration Processes & Procedures, to move from 2 August 2024 to 22 October 2024. Migration Framework Update: The Programme	 Upcoming Governance Meetings: Wednesday 15 August 2024: Migration Working Group (MWG) Tuesday 20 August 2024: Non-Functional Testing Working Group (NFTWG) Wednesday 21 August 2024: System Integration & Testing Advisory Group (SITAG)
Management Approach (v1.4) Programme Milestones related to SITAG: SRO approved date change for T3-TE-0043 from 04 October 2024 to 03 January 2025 SITAG papers available <u>here</u> .	 E2E Sandbox Guidance: The Chair, acting with delegated authority of the MHHS Senior Responsible Owner (SRO), approved the document following endorsement from QWG. IPA Assurance Period 07: IPA provided an update on Assurance Period 07. 	provided an update on the development of the Migration Framework. IPA Update: The IPA provided an update on the Consequential Change assurance approach MCAG papers available <u>here</u> .	 Wednesday 21 August 2024: Cross Code Advisory Group (CCAG) Thursday 22 August 2024: Qualification Advisory Group (QAG)

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*SITAG, MCAG, QAG replaced the Testing and Migration Advisory Group (TMAG) in Q1 2024.

Working Group Progress Report

		Systems Integration and Testing Adviso	ory Group (SITAG)*	
	Data Working Group (DWG)	Environments and Configuration Management Working Group (EWG)	Systems Integration Test Working Group (SITWG)	Non-Functional Testing Working Group (NFTWG)
Upcoming deliverables	 SIT Non-Functional and Operational Data approaches issued for industry consultation and awaiting feedback Data to be prepared and passed to DCC for processing - 25th April 	 Environments Approach and Plan (Non-SIT LDSO) April SITAG Environments Approach and Plan (Settlement testing) Q2 SITAG 	 SIT Functional Test Themes 6,7,9 (January TMAG) SIT Functional Test Themes 8 (February TMAG) 	• N/A
Latest meeting's agenda items	05 September 2024 • TBC	03 September 2024 • TBC	05 September 2024 • TBC	 20 August 2024 SIT Non-Functional Theme 3 – Focused Interface Behaviour Status of NF PIT Deliverables Status of CR054 Usage of DIP Sim in Volume Testing Discussion around realigned dates for PIT/SIT (Provisional)
Agenda items from last meeting	 01 August 2024 Data Schedule Update Cycle 2 – Current Status SIT Non-Functional - Data Preparation Cycle 3 – Data Preparation 	06 August 2024 • Cancelled	 01 August 2024 SIT Operational Test Scenarios and Test Cases - Theme 1 Milestone Update SIT Operational Test Scenarios and Test Cases - Theme 3 SIT Test Progress Update Test Case Allocation and Forward Look 	 July 2024 SIT Non-Functional Theme 2 – Lifecycle Processing/Choreography Testing SIT Non-Functional Theme 3 – Focused Interface Behaviour Status of NF PIT Deliverables
L3 escalations	None	None	None	None



Working Group Progress Report

	Migration and	Qua	lification Advisory Group (QAG)*		
	Migration Working Group (MWG)	n Working Group (MWG) Data Cleanse Working Group (DCWG) Transition & Operational Readiness Working Group (TORWG)			Qualification and E2E Sandbox Working Group (QWG)
Upcoming deliverables	Consult on Principle and process for: Developing and initialising the Migration Schedule 	• N/A	M10/M11 Cutover Plan	Upcoming deliverables Latest	N/A 10 September 2024
	Maintaining the Migration Schedule			meeting's agenda items	• TBC
Latest meeting's agenda items	 15 August 2024 Capacity envelopes and Supplier Submissions update Items for further discussion from Consultation 2 and in preparation for Consultation 3 	29 August 2024 • TBC	 14 August 2024 Service Design Definition Update Early Life Support Model M15/M16 Cutover Plan LLF ID and DUoS Tariff ID Population 		
				Agenda items from last meeting	 13 August 2024 SIT Progress and Programme Scenario Planning Qualification Approach and Plan Annex 1 of QA&P
Agenda items from last meeting	 18 July 2024 Consultation 2 Assurance Migration Roadmap Migration Execution Dependencies 	 25 July 2024 Population of ESME ID and Meter Location and Number of Displayed Register Digits Upcoming Data Cleanse Activities Data Cleanse Reporting General Clarifications 	 10 July 2024 eTORWG / Service Design Definition Update Early Life Support Model M15/M16 Cutover Plan LLF ID and DUoS Tariff ID Population 		 Annex 2 of QA&P Qualification Assessment Document Non-SIT LDSO Test Data Plan Non-SIT LDSO Test Scenarios and Test Cases Qualification Artefacts Update Engagement between Supplier & Agents Service Activation Key update from QT Subgroups Test Execution Schedule draft Interim Test Readiness Review Placing Reliance Update
L3 escalations	None	None	None	L3 escalations	None



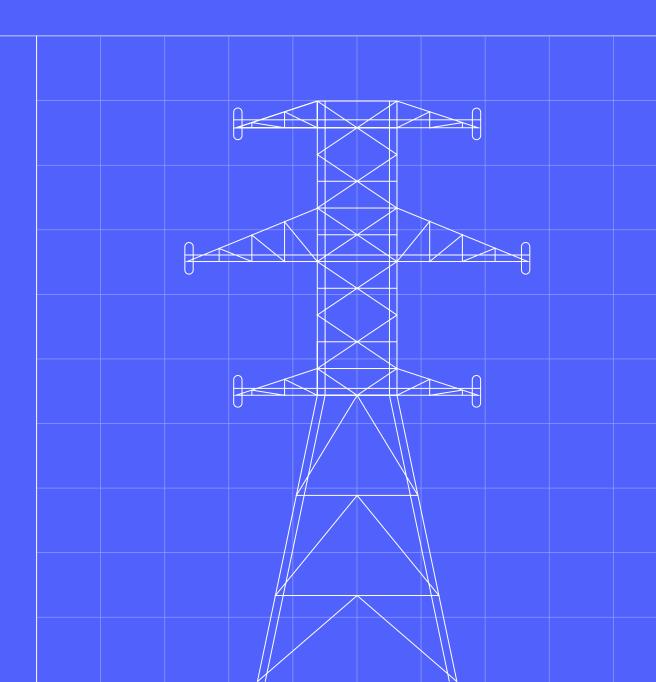
SIT Progress and Programme Scenario Planning

DISCUSSION: Update from Programme to reflect the latest decision

Programme (Jason Brogden)

10 mins MHHS PROGRAMME

Industry led, Elexon facilitated



Given that SIT is proceeding more slowly than the execution models shared previously with all SIT parties, it is prudent for the programme to consider whether some contingency should be applied to the forward plan:

- Programme plan contains up to 3 months of contingency in the path to Go-Live (M10)
- Application of contingency (if this is eventually considered to be appropriate) should follow some key principles:
 - Contingency should not be used except as a (last resort) response to specific issues impacting the critical path to M10, after all other risk mitigation and issue resolutions have been exhausted
 - Options to apply any contingency need to be carefully considered and all key stakeholders should be appropriately engaged such options need to articulate all key impacts, i.e. not only on SIT completion but all other elements of the programme plan (e.g. Qualification)
 - It should be clear how the opportunity of any additional time will constructively used unless significant delivery improvements underpin contingency plans, delivery will just 'drift' and dates will continue not to be met
 - Any contingency response should have high confidence that such a response will 'fix the issue' and further contingency responses should not be necessary

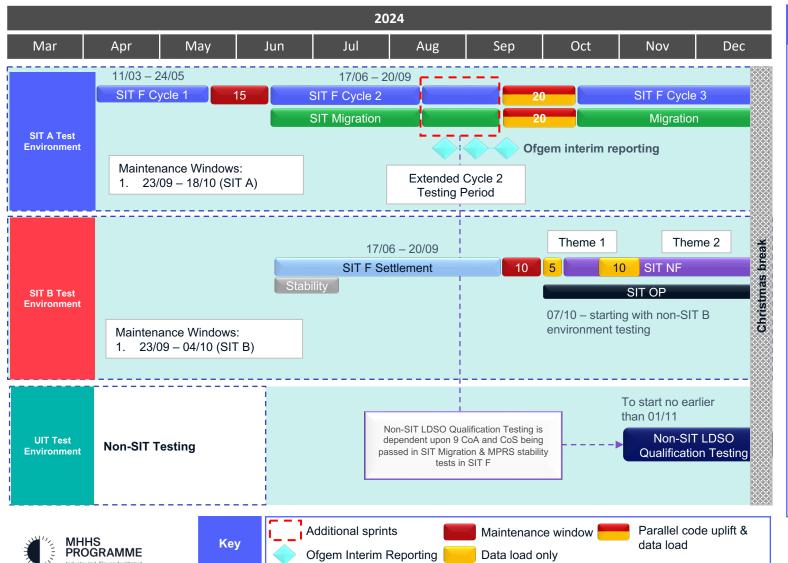
Next Steps

- Programme is currently planning how some contingency could be applied in certain scenarios
- Dialogue with the IPA started on 31-Jul-24, to provide independent input and assurance on this planning
- All volunteer parties will continue to be engaged, to understand how they are intending to respond to slow test progress
- Ofgem will be sighted on possible outcomes and impacts; everyone understands that on-time delivery of M10 is a highly-critical matter, and we
 acknowledge that any impact on M10 (and programme and industry responses) will be challenged
- If plans are likely to change, earliest signposting of any short-term adjustments is needed given generally tight resources in SIT parties' teams, and the holiday period. We will all need to be agile in our responses to the plans given how quickly things change



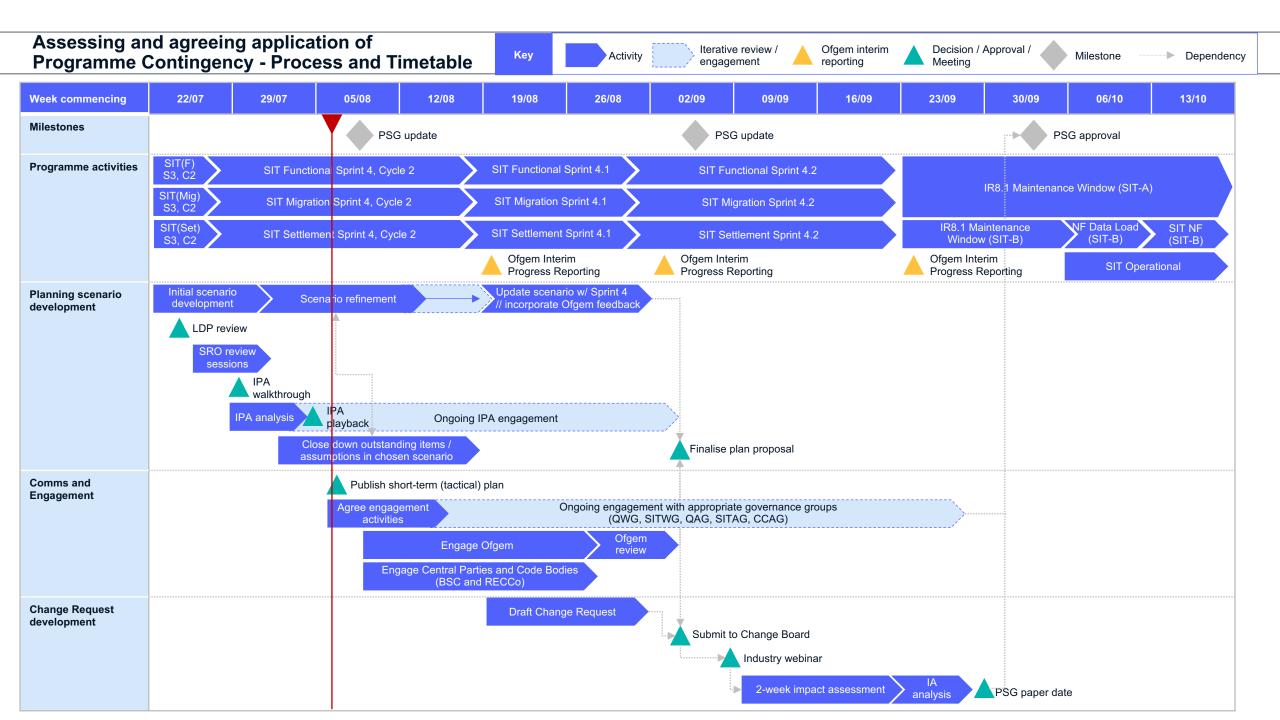
Immediate and tactical changes to Test Plan (advised to all programme participants on 06-Aug), as promised to FTIG

The Programme will extend SIT Cycle 2 by an additional 5 weeks, deferring the IR8.x maintenance window. This has knock-on implications for short term testing activities, which have been outlined in the plan below.



What has changed & why

- The IR8.x maintenance window will be deferred by 5 weeks to allow for 2 additional sprints in Cycle 2. This is to enable:
 - More time to achieve the Cycle 2 firm targets set out at the beginning of the testing cycle.
 - More time, before the maintenance window, to focus on the priority tests needed to enable Non-SIT LDSO testing to commence.
 - More uninterrupted time to complete Settlement testing, which is behind current forecast targets.
- More time to plan ahead and learn lessons from previous maintenance windows, optimising the activities to be completed.
- The IR8.x maintenance window in SIT-A environment will also be extended to 4 weeks. This is to enable more time for data preparation and loading activities and is in direct response to lessons learned feedback captured in the Cycle 1 data retrospective.
- To protect the timeline between the IR8.x maintenance window and Non-SIT LDSO Qualification testing, Non-SIT LDSO Qualification testing has been pushed back to start no earlier than 01-Nov-24.
- The Settlement testing window has been extended by 5 weeks. This means SIT Non-Functional has been delayed by the same amount of time as both test phases use the SIT-B environment. Any further delay to Settlement testing would incur a delay to SIT Non-Functional.
- The SIT Operational start date remains unchanged at 07-Oct-24.



Code Bodies are working with MHHSP to understand the impact of the SIT extension on Qualification dates and considering the following:

- Whether there are resourcing concerns for SIT PPs needing to complete the Initial QAD in parallel with SIT Cycle 2 execution
- Non-SIT LDSO Qualification Testing start date is expected to move back and is not expected to reduce the testing window
- Qualification Testing Wave start dates are dependent on completion of SIT Functional Testing
- Non-SIT Parties PIT Completion and deliverables dates for QT Entry
- Dependency of Final QAD on completion of Initial QAD and Testing
- Our assumption is that Non-SIT S&As will stay in the Wave they are currently allocated to and that the length of Waves will not reduce in time

Next Steps

- Further updates and discussions via QAG, subgroups and communications will follow.
- Please let us know if you believe there is any specific that should be considered.

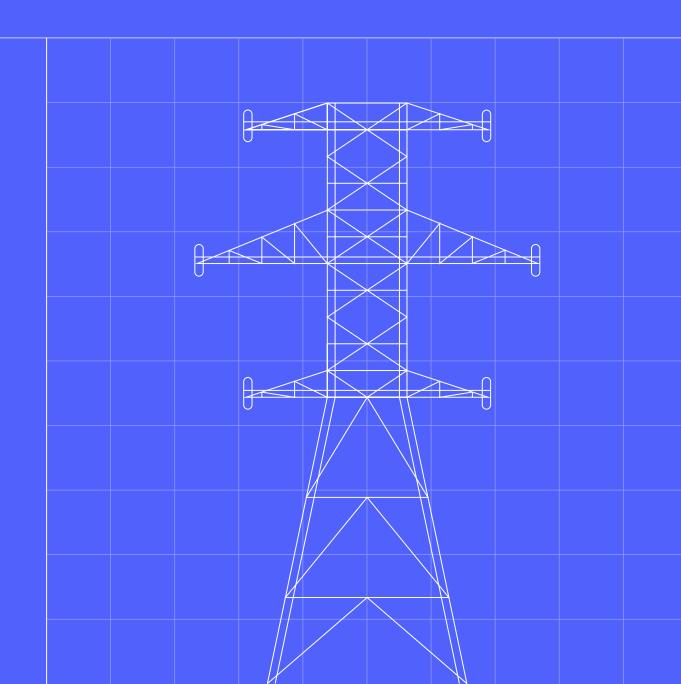


Qualification Approach and Plan

DECISION: Code Bodies to provide an update on the QA&P which was issued for consultation in July, and was endorsed by QWG

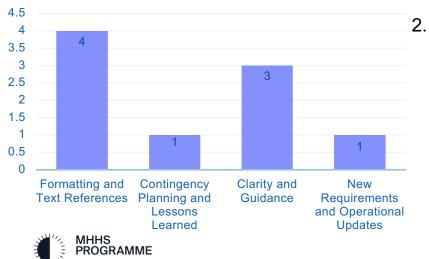
Code Bodies (Sarah Ross)





9 comments

6 organisations





You said:

Comments provided valuable feedback on formatting and typos throughout the document.

We did:

1. Where applicable, we have fixed any typos to avoid confusion and provide applicants with clarity.

DECISION

. We made changes to the formatting inconsistencies noted in the comments to ensure a uniform appearance throughout the document.



You said:

Comments suggested enhancing clarity and providing additional information in some sections of the document

We did:

1. We have added additional information and guidance points to enhance clarity and address the concerns raised in the comments.

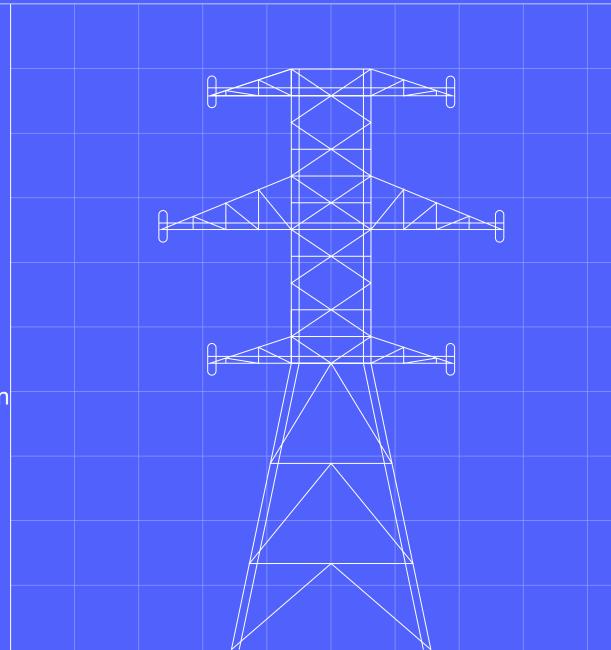
QAG Recommendation of QA&P for Approval

Annex 1 of Qualification Approach and Plan

DECISION: Programme to provide an update on the Annex 1 of the QAP which was issued for consultation in July, and was endorsed by QWG

Programme (Nicola Farley)





Summary of Qualification Approach and Plan – Annex 1 – Non-SIT LDSO QT consultation responses

V1.2 of Annex 1 of QA&P contained updates for non-functional and operational testing. It also included incorporated responses to consultation feedback received on V1.1

2 comments received from 2 organisations both of which resulted in minor updates.

- Update to section 8.6 Test Plan to clarify this has been separated into two deliverables. One for functional and migration and another for nonfunctional and operational
- Update to section 5.3 Testing types -Non-Functional to clarify that testing will cover level 3 and 4 validations as level 1 and 2 are carried out by the DIP rather than Programme Participants
- Annex 1 was endorsed by QWG on 13 August.
- Subject to QAG endorsement, Annex 1 will be presented to the August BSC and REC PABs.

DECISION	QAG Recommendation of Annex 1 of QA&P for Approval	
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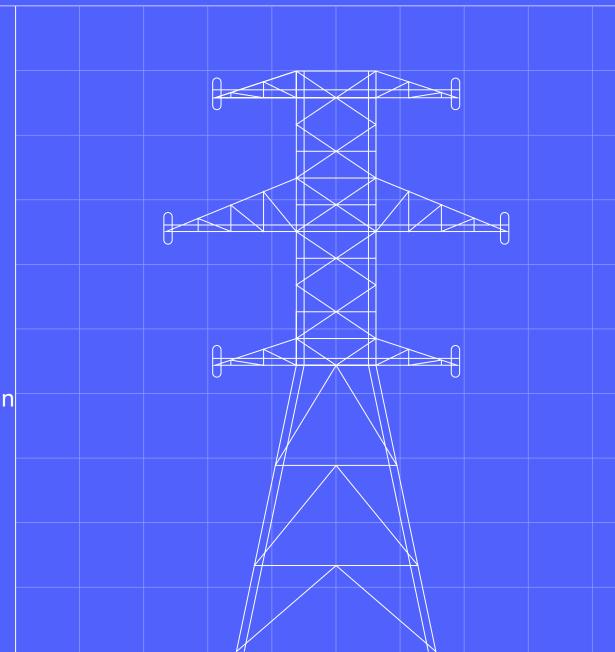


Annex 2 of Qualification Approach and Plan

DECISION: Code Bodies to provide an update on the Annex 2 of the QAP which was issued for consultation in July, and was endorsed by QWG

Code Bodies (Devon Leslie)

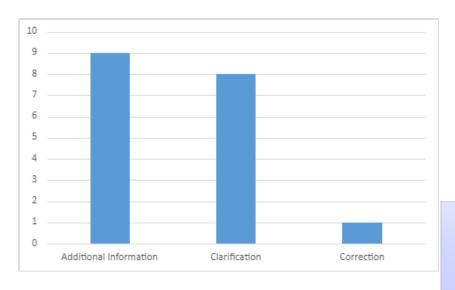




Annex 2 Consultation



- 5 organisations
- confirmations





You said:

There was a need for additional information in the document.

We did:

DECISION

- 1. Where possible, we enhanced sections with additional commentary to provide additional information.
- 2. We have provided detailed responses in cases where a document update was not needed.



You said:

There were some clarifications requested regarding test scope, testing environments and timelines.

We did:

- 1. We have updated the document, where appropriate, to clarify the overall approach.
- 2. Where updates were not made to the document we will ensure updates are provided via SAQTSG & QWG.

QAG Recommendation of Annex 2 of QA&P for approval



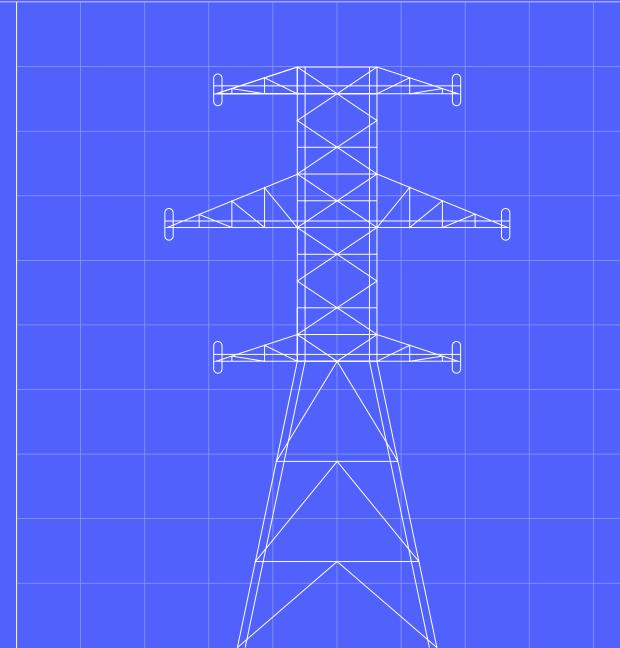
QAD

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DECISION: Code Bodies to provide an update on the QAD which was issued for consultation in July, and was endorsed by QWG

Code Bodies (Sarah Ross)







? Content and Text Modifications

You said:

9 confirmations

1 organisations

Comments indicated that some content and text on the document needed to be modified.

We did:

- 1. Where applicable, missing text has been provided.
- 2. Questions have been made clearer, with added guidance notes.

Numbering and Sectioning

You said:

Comments pointed out that the number sequence in the document need to be updated.

We did:

1. We have corrected the number sequence to ensure smooth continuity and updated sequencing. Non-Functional Requirements

You said:

Clarity was needed on mapping of Business Requirements.

We did:

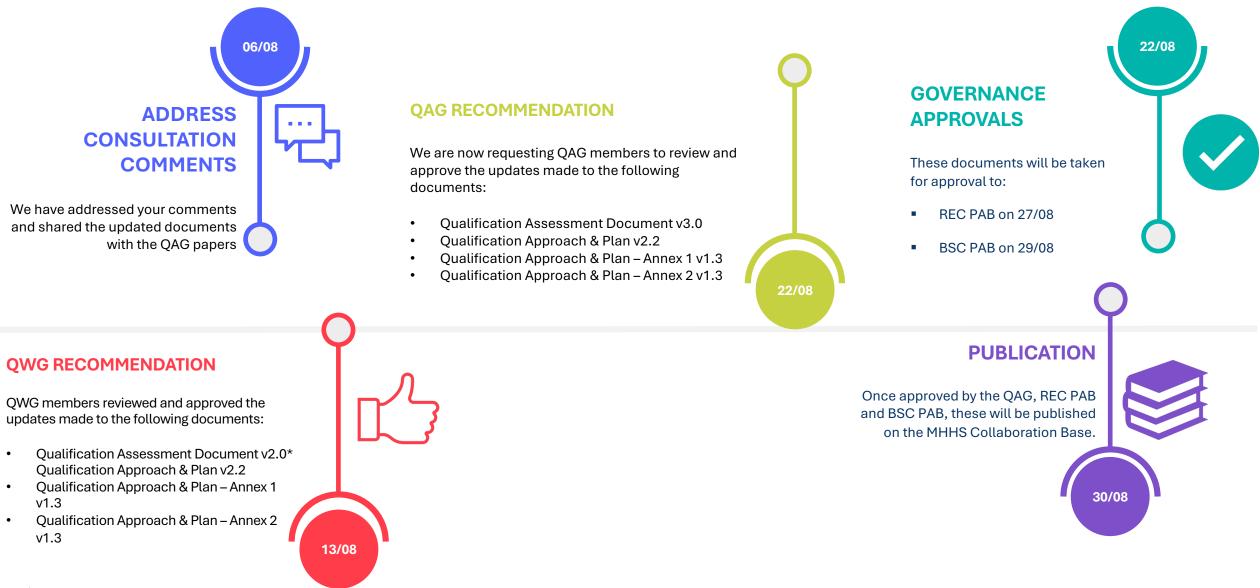
1. For clarity and mapping against the Code Bodies Assessment Criteria for all roles, we have a question 4.6.1.B on the document that cover and map the Non-Functional Requirements.

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DECISION

QAG Recommendation of QAD for Approval

Next steps



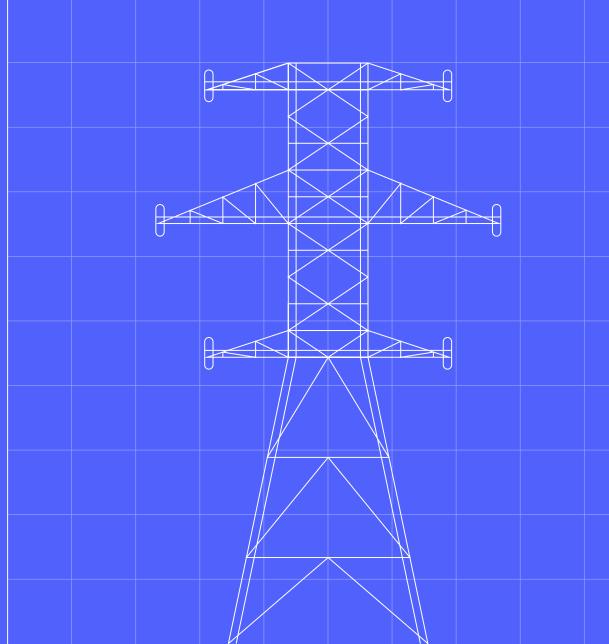


Non-SIT LDSO Test Data Plan

DECISION: Programme to provide an update on the Non-SIT LDSO Test Data Plan which was issued for consultation in July, and was endorsed by QWG

Programme (Nicola Farley)





Consultation Responses

Version 1.1 of the Non-SIT LDSO Test Data was issued on 3rd July 2024 following updates to the Non-Functional and Operational Testing artefacts

3 Comments*

0 Updates

2 Organisations

3 Comments responded to

*Questions around whether Test Data from the June data cut can be utilised for NFT and Operational Testing or whether additional Test Data will be required

Next step - Documents will be taken for approval to at QAG on 22/08. Once approved by the QAG, it will be published on the MHHS Collaboration Base.

DECISION	QAG Recommendation of Non-SIT LDSO Qualification Test Data Plan & Approach v1.1 for Approval
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Non-SIT LDSO Test Scenarios and Test Cases

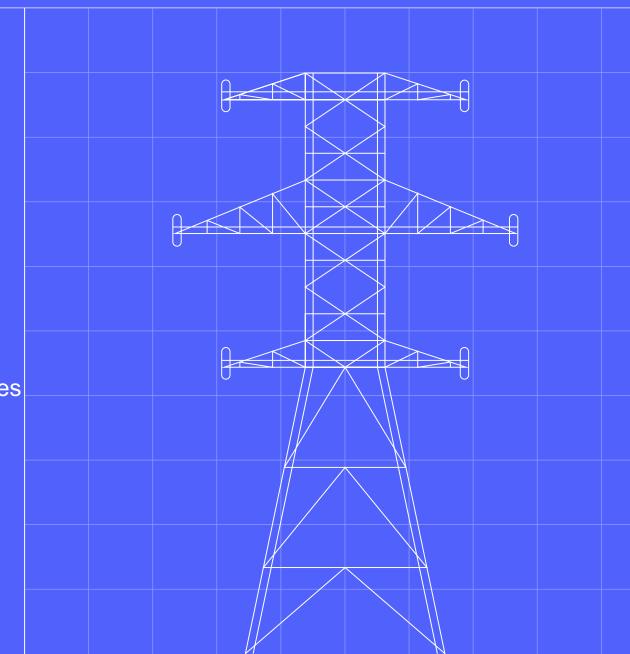
DECISION: Programme to provide an update on the following Non-SIT LDSO Test Scenarios and Test Cases which were issued for feedback in July, and was endorsed by QWG

Programme (Nicola Farley)

5 mins

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Non-SIT LDSO Test Scenarios and Tests cases

Functional and Migration Test Scenarios and Test Cases

Updated Functional and Migration test scenarios and test cases including the test case catalogue located

on the collaboration are now available. The changes have been a result of the release of IR8 and IR8.1,

participants' feedback, removal of duplications, clarification of the data preconditions, and some other

minor corrections. Full list of changes will be published in the test catalogue.

Non-Functional Test Scenarios and Test Cases

Walkthrough session with participants held on 19th July. Test scenarios and test cases have been available on the collaboration base for the consultation. Consolidated feedback and responses log shared on the collaboration base.

Operational Test Scenarios and Test Cases

A walkthrough session was conducted as planned on 12th July. Material and the feedback log have been available on the collaboration base.

DECISION	QAG Recommendation of Non-SIT LDSO Test Scenarios and Tests cases for Approval



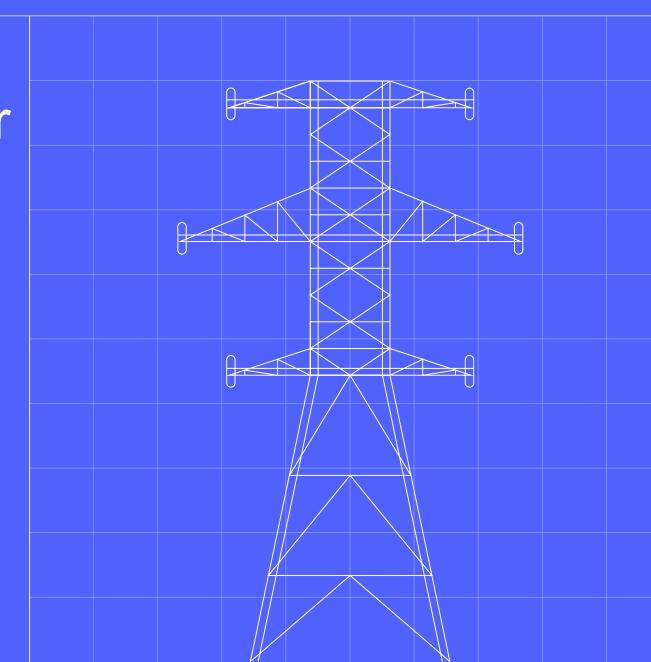
P476 Exemption from MHHS Requirements for Smart Market Segment Supplier Qualification– BSC Modification Next Steps

INFORMATION: BSC Modification progress update and next steps

Code Bodies (Sarah Ross)

10 mins

MHHS PROGRAMME Industry led, Elexon facilitated



P476 Exemption from MHHS Requirements for Smart Market Segment Supplier Qualification– BSC Modification Next Steps

Ev	ent	Date
✓	PAB requested the BSC Panel to raise the Modification, and BSCCo presents the Initial Written Assessment	11 July 2024
√	BSC Panel raised P476	11 July 2024
✓	Report Phase Consultation (10WDs)	15 July 2024 – 26 July 2024
√	Panel recommended approval of P476	8 August 2024
√	Issue Final Modification Report to Authority for Approval	12 August 2024
	Authority Decision	Before 2 November 2024
	Target Implementation Date	2 December 2024



- Qualification artefact updates including Qualification Assessment Document, Qualification Approach & Plan
- Guidance document with the Eligibility criteria, Preventative and Detective Performance Assurance Technique process
- Testing Documentation updates including Test scenarios to exclude Smart meter segment

Current guidance is to proceed with submissions based on the current position of no market segment exemption other than UMS.

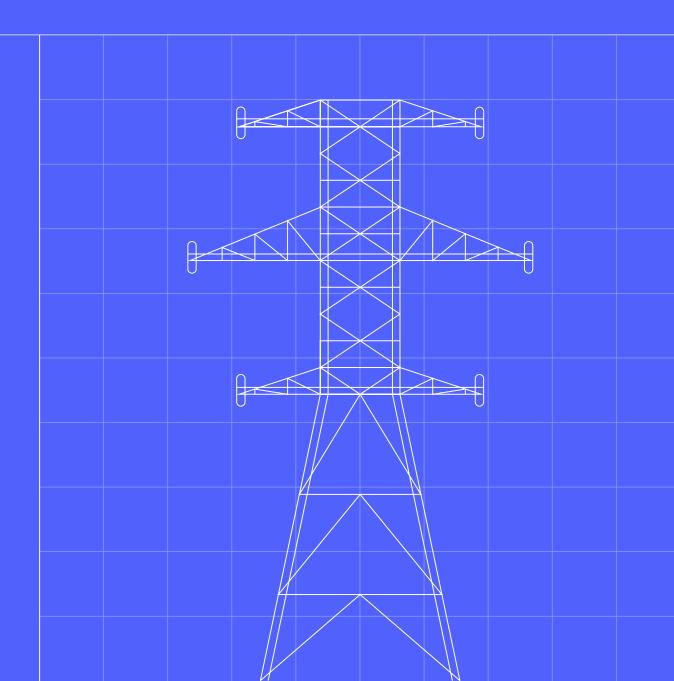


Updates from QWG

DISCUSSION: Forum for queries on QWG

Code Bodies (Sarah Ross)





This Month the QWG discussed:

- Qualification Artefacts and Plan
- Service Activation
- Placing Reliance Update



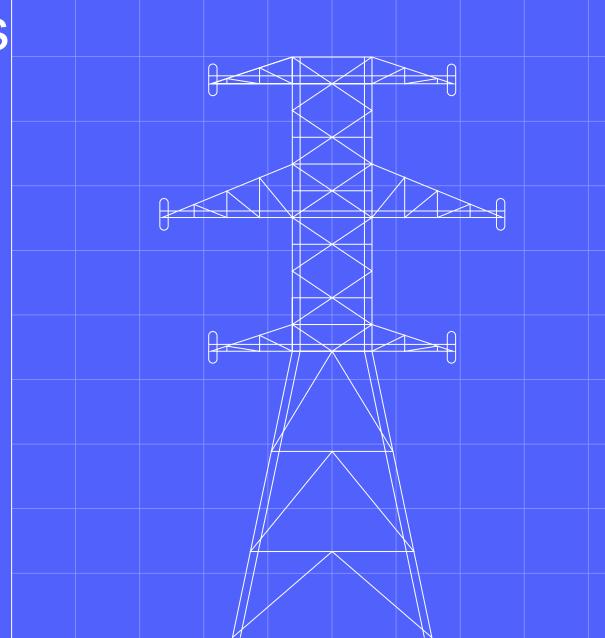
Programme Milestones related to QAG

INFORMATION/DECISION: Overview of upcoming Programme Milestones related to QAG and any milestone changes for approval:

Milestones for QAG to decide on

Programme (Nicola Farley) & Code Bodies (Laura Kennedy)





•Following discussion and participant feedback at the August Qualification Working Group (QWG), the Programme and Code Bodies intend to push back the Initial QAD submission window for **Systems Integration Testing (SIT) Programme participants** and **Non-SIT Licensed Distribution** System Operators (LDSOs) by at least a month.

•This is to reflect the short-term delay to SIT activities and to provide Programme participants with more time to prepare.

•The Initial QAD submission window was due to open on 2 September 2024. It is now not expected to open till at least 1 October 2024.

•The Initial QAD submission window is a Tier 3 milestone in the Programme Plan for Non-SIT LDSOs, and therefore requires formal approval at the Qualification Advisory Group (QAG). However, as the programme plan is still be reviewed formally moving the associated milestone does not feel prudent.

• Instead, we are asking QAG to endorse Non-SIT LDSO and SIT participants working towards a initial QAD window start on the 1 October 2024 whilst the programme plan review is being concluded.

•The Initial QAD submission windows for Non-SIT Supplier and Agent participants is later, so it is less urgent to address at this time, but it is likely that these windows will also be pushed back to reflect later Programme activities.

•We expect Programme participants to continue to progress their readiness activities and the change in Initial QAD submission window timelines should not impact momentum.

•To that end, a Word version of the QAD will be published on the Qualification Assessment Document page of the MHHS website to enable participants to continue to prepare their submission once this has been approved by the Balancing & Settlement Code (BSC) and Retail Energy Code (REC) Performance Assurance Boards (PABs).

•This final version of the QAD is tabled for approval at the BSC PAB and the REC PAB at the end of August.

•Further updates about Qualification milestones will be discussed at future QAGs and we'll provide additional communication to participants as soon as possible to support participant planning.



Below are the dates, Non-SIT LDSO are asked to work towards following the announcement that non-SIT LDSO will not start earlier than 1 November 2024. We are not asking QAG to approve the change in milestones associated but confirm they agree with non-SIT LDSO working towards these new dates whilst the programme plan is being reviewed.

Activity	Scheduled Date	Updated Date		
QT Test Plan including draft QT RTTM submission (non-functional and operational)	16 th August 204	Unchanged		
DIP Onboarding	5th August to 13 th September	5th August to 13 th September		
Smoke Testing	Sep-24	Oct-24		
Submission of MHHS-DEL1052 PIT Test Completion Report, supporting test evidence and MHHS-DEL1050 PIT Requirements to Test Traceability Matrix (functional and migration)	31 st August 2024*	30th September 2024		
Final Test Readiness Report Submission	13th September 2024	11th October 2024		
Non-SIT LDSO QT Entry Gate	27 th September 2024	last date by 31st October 2024		
Submission of MHHS-DEL1052 PIT Test Completion Report, supporting test evidence and MHHS-DEL1050 PIT Requirements to Test Traceability Matrix (Non-Functional, Operational and functional PIT of MPRS)	30 th September 2024	31st October 2024		
Non-SIT LDSO QT starts	1 st October 2024	4th November 2024		



Look Ahead – Key Milestones Status at 13 August 24 (1)

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Milestone ID	Forum	Milestone Title	Baseline Date	Forecast Date	Responsible	Previous RAG 07/08/24	Current RAG 14/08/24	Forecast RAG 21/08/24	Commentary
T3-DB-0153	SITAG	SIT Non-Functional PIT RTTM submitted to Programme for assurance	Thu 30/05/24	Thu 30/05/24	PP				32/34 RTTMs have been submitted to the Programme. Because of the delay to all RTTMs being submitted there is an increased risk to completion of SIT Non- Functional PIT. Re-forecasting the completion date isn't possible as delivery is dependent on the PPs. Engagement taking place for remaining PPs
T3-DB-0155	SITAG	SIT Non-Functional PIT test scenarios submitted to Programme for assurance	Thu 30/05/24	Thu 30/05/24	PP				29/34 test scenarios have been submitted to the Programme. Because of the delay to all test scenarios being submitted there is an increased risk to completion of SIT Non-Functional PIT. Re-forecasting the completion date isn't possible as delivery is dependent on the PPs. Engagement taking place for remaining PPs
T3-DB-0159	SITAG	SIT Operational PIT Test Approach & Plan (PIT) submitted to Programme for assurance	Fri 14/06/24	Fri 14/06/24	PP				28/34 test approach and plans have been submitted to the Programme. Because of the delay to all Test Approach and plans being submitted there is an increased risk to completion of SIT Operational PIT. Re-forecasting the completion date isn't possible as delivery is dependent on the PPs. Engagement taking place for remaining PPs
T3-DB-0161	SITAG	SIT Operational PIT RTTM submitted to Programme for assurance	Thu 04/07/24	Thu 04/07/24	PP				19/34 SIT Operational PIT RTTMs have been submitted to the Programme. Because of the delay to all RTTMs being submitted there is an increased risk to completion of SIT Operational PIT. Re-forecasting the completion date isn't possible as delivery is dependent on the PPs. Engagement taking place for remaining PPs
T3-DB-0163	SITAG	SIT Operational PIT test scenarios submitted to Programme for assurance	Thu 04/07/24	Thu 04/07/24	PP				19/34 SIT Operational PIT test scenarios have been submitted to the Programme. Because of the delay to all SIT Operational PIT test scenarios being submitted there is increased risk to the completion of SIT Operational PIT. Re-forecasting the completion date isn't possible as delivery is dependent on the PPs. Engagement taking place for remaining PPs
T3-DB-0154	SITAG	SIT Non-Functional RTTM MHHS Review Completed	Thu 11/07/24	Thu 11/07/24	SI Test				32/34 reviewed. As per T3-DB-0153, Status red until remaining RTTMs submitted and reviewed
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T3-DB-0156	SITAG	SIT Non-Functional Test scenarios MHHS Review Completed	Thu 11/07/24	Thu 11/07/24	SI Test				
T3-QU-0116	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	Interim Test Readiness Report Submission to MHHS Programme for Review	Fri 26/07/24	Fri 26/07/24	LDSO				11 of the expected 12 Interim Test Readiness Reports have been received and the outstanding one is expected by 16/8/24. These are not a direct requirement of onboarding but a gap analysis ahead of test start
T3-MI-0033	MCAG (Transition)	MCAG Approval of Early Life Support Model	Tue 30/07/24	Tue 30/07/24	SI Transition				Date will be missed because of input required from Code-Bodies. Because of this drafting and publication of the document have been delayed. Impact will be further defined once timelines are understood. Update will be given when further discussions have been held with the Code Bodies at the end of August
T3-DB-0157	SITAG	SIT Non-Functional PIT Completion Report submitted to Programme for assurance	Fri 02/08/24	Fri 02/08/24	PP				12/34 SIT Operational PIT RTTMs have been submitted to the Programme. Because of the delay to all RTTMs being submitted there is an increased risk to completion of SIT Operational PIT. Re-forecasting the completion date isn't possible as delivery is dependent on the PPs. Engagement taking place for remaining PPs
T3-DB-0160	SITAG	SIT Operational Test approach and plan MHHS Review Completed	Thu 08/08/24	Thu 08/08/24	SI Test				28/34 reviewed. As per T3-DB-0159, Status red until remaining PIT Test Approach and Plans submitted and reviewed
T3-DB-0162	SITAG	SIT Operational RTTM MHHS Review Completed	Thu 15/08/24	Thu 15/08/24	SI Test				19/34 reviewed. As per T3-DB-0161. Status red until remaining PIT Test Approach and Plans submitted and reviewed
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Look Ahead – Key Milestones Status at 13 August 24 (3)

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Milestone ID	Forum	Milestone Title	Baseline Date	Forecast Date	Responsible	Previous RAG 07/08/24	Current RAG 14/08/24	Forecast RAG 21/08/24	Commentary 1
T3-DB-0164	SITAG	SIT Operational Test scenarios MHHS Review Completed	Thu 15/08/24	Thu 15/08/24	SI Test				19/34 reviewed. As per T3-DB-0163. Status Amber until remaining PIT Test Approach and Plans submitted and reviewed
T3-DB-0158	SITAG	SIT Non-Functional PIT Completion Report MHHS Review Completed	Fri 16/08/24	Fri 16/08/24	SI Test				12/34 reviewed. As per T3-DB-0157. Status Amber until remaining PIT Test Approach and Plans submitted and reviewed
T3-MI-0024	MCAG (Transition)	DCC to extract ESME ID and share with LDSO	Fri 16/08/24	Fri 16/08/24	DCC/SI				On track
T3-TE-0081	SITAG	Cycle 3 - PP's confirmation that test data is ready for SIT Functional	Mon 19/08/24	Fri 18/10/24	SI Test Data				Date re-forecast in line with short term scenario planning. Introduction of 5 weeks of additional sprints
T3-TE-0116	SITAG	SIT NFT Scenarios & Test Cases Approved - Theme 3	Wed 21/08/24	Wed 21/08/24	SI Test				On track
T3-TE-0117	SITAG	SIT Operational Scenarios & Test Cases Approved - Theme 1	Wed 21/08/24	Wed 21/08/24	SI Test				On track
T3-QU-0110	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	QAG Approval for Operational, Non-Functional & Migration Annexes of Approach & Plan	Thu 22/08/24	Thu 22/08/24	Code Bodies				On track
T3-QU-0008	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	Qualification Testing for Non-SIT LDSOs (Functional, Migration, NFT, Operational) Test Execution Schedule Complete	Thu 22/08/24	Thu 22/08/24	Non-SIT LDSO				Date will not be met because of re-planning activity around SIT Cycle 2 Maintenance window. Maintain dialog with Programme scenario planning from SIT. New forecast date will be defined after programme scenario CR is approved
T3-QU-0071	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	Test Scenarios & Cases - Non-Functional - Approved at QAG	Thu 22/08/24	Thu 22/08/24	Non-SIT LDSO				On track
T3-QU-0073	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	Test Scenarios & Cases - Operational - Approved at QAG	Thu 22/08/24	Thu 22/08/24	Non-SIT LDSO				On track
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Milestone ID	Forum	Milestone Title	Baseline Date	Forecast Date	Responsible	Previous RAG 07/08/24	Current RAG 14/08/24	Forecast RAG 21/08/24	Commentary		
T3-QU-0077	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	PP Test Scope Presented at QAG	Thu 22/08/24	Thu 22/08/24	Non-SIT LDSO				On track		
T3-QU-0081	QAG	QAG Approval of Qualification Approach and Plan v3	Thu 22/08/24	Thu 22/08/24	Code Bodies				On track		
T3-QU-0083	QAG	QAG Endorsement of Qualification Assessment Document v2	Thu 22/08/24	Thu 22/08/24	Code Bodies				On track		
T3-TE-0035	QAG	Non-SIT LDSO Test Harness Released	Fri 23/08/24	Fri 23/08/24	SI DevOps				Date will be missed because Sims & Ems are blocked from completing connectivity and regression testing activities due to message functionality being disabled in the current UIT environment version (IR7.3), only being available from 2/9. LDP working towards getting the milestone date changed to September		
T3-TE-0044	QAG	Central Parties' UIT environments ready to start connectivity proving (incl. certificates and security compliance)	Fri 23/08/24	Fri 23/08/24	SI Test				On track		
T3-RE-0550	CCAG	CCAG recommend final code to PSG for baselining	Fri 23/08/24	Wed 21/08/24	PP				On track		
T1-RE-1000	PSG	Code changes baselined (M6)	Fri 23/08/24	Fri 02/09/24	CPT				CCAG will approve the code text to go to Ofgem on 23/8/24. PSG will then ratify the milestone at PSG on 2/9/24		
T2-TE-0700	SITAG	SIT Non-Functional Testing Preparation Complete	Mon 26/08/24	Mon 26/09/24	SI Test				Date at risk due to lower than expected test velocity. Date re-forecast in line with short term scenario planning. Introduction of 5 weeks additional sprints		
T3-QU-0080	QAG	Assessment Criteria (Functional, Non-Functional, Migration, Operational) Approved by REC PAB and BSC PAB	Thu 29/08/24	Thu 29/08/24	Code Bodies				On track		
T3-QU-0065	QAG	Non-Functional Testing elements of Qualification Approach and Plan v3 approved by REC PAB and BSC PAB	Thu 29/08/24	Thu 29/08/24	Code Bodies				On track		
T3-QU-0067	QAG	Qualification Assessment Document v2 approved by REC PAB and BSC PAB Thu 29/08/24 Thu 29/08/24 Code Bodies Image: Code Bodies On track									
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Milestone ID	Forum	Milestone Title	Baseline Date	Forecast Date	Responsible	Previous RAG 07/08/24	Current RAG 14/08/24	Forecast RAG 21/08/24	Commentary
T3-TE-0040	SITAG	SIT Non-Functional Testing Start	Mon 02/09/24	Mon 07/10/24	SI Test				Date will be missed due to lower than expected test velocity. Start of SIT-Non Functional (MVC) will be delayed. Date re-forecast in line with short term scenario planning. Introduction of 5 weeks additional sprints
	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	Test Data Signed Off	Tue 03/09/24	Tue 03/09/24	Non-SIT LDSO				Date at risk because the Test Harness will be loaded with dummy suppliers MHHS (outgoing supplier) and MHHX (incoming supplier) for the Change of Supply Test Cases. For messages to flow between DIP, the LDSO systems and the Test Harness the LDSO systems will need to be updated with these dummy suppliers. This means that all MPANs required for Test will need the dummy supplier added (MHHS) and any MPANs going through Change of Supplier (MHHX) will need that dummy supplier added.
T3-DB-0165	SITAG	SIT Operational PIT Completion Report submitted to Programme for assurance	Fri 06/09/24	Fri 06/09/24	PP				Date at risk because of potential delay to submissions for SIT Operational PIT completion reports. Impact may be a delay to the start of SIT Operational Testing. Continue engagement with PPs
T3-QU-0084	QAG	Update to Qualification Assessment Document Portal post QAD V2 Complete	Thu 12/09/24	Thu 12/09/24	QAD Portal Dev Team				On track
T3-TE-0119	SITAG	SIT Operational Scenarios & Test Cases Approved - Theme 3	Wed 18/09/24	Wed 18/09/24	SI Test				On track
	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	LDSO Test Environments Connection Confirmed to UIT Environment	Wed 18/09/24	Wed 18/09/24	Non-SIT LDSO				At risk because of DIP env availability for the test harness. (Issue no: I186). Issue will be avoided if start of QT window is delayed
T3-QU-0124	QAG	E2E Sandbox Test Data Approach and Plan Approved	Thu 19/09/24	Thu 19/09/24	Sandbox (Qualification Governance)				On track
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Milestone ID	Forum	Milestone Title	Baseline Date	Forecast Date	Responsible	Previous RAG 07/08/24	Current RAG 14/08/24	Forecast RAG 21/08/24	Commentary 1
T3-TE-0119	SITAG	SIT Operational Scenarios & Test Cases Approved - Theme 3	Wed 18/09/24	Wed 18/09/24	SI Test				On track
T3-QU-0078	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	LDSO Test Environments Connection Confirmed to UIT Environment	Wed 18/09/24	Wed 18/09/24	Non-SIT LDSO				At risk because of DIP env availability for the test harness. (Issue no: I186). Issue will be avoided if start of QT window is delayed
T3-QU-0124	QAG	E2E Sandbox Test Data Approach and Plan Approved	Thu 19/09/24	Thu 19/09/24	Sandbox (Qualification Governance)				On track
T3-QU-0120	QAG	QAG Approval of QT Non-Functional Test Scenarios and Test Cases Batch 2	Thu 19/09/24	Thu 19/09/24	Non-SIT S&A QT Test Team				Delay in SIT Non-Functional/Operational Test Scenario Approval dates. QT Test Scenarios which reuse SIT Scenarios are unable to be approved until SIT Scenarios are approved. Review scope of SIT NF/Operational to understand whether all themes impact QT, work with SIT team to increase parallelisation of activities where possible.
T3-QU-0121	QAG	QAG Approval of QT Operational Test Scenarios and Test Cases Batch 1	Thu 19/09/24	Thu 19/09/24	Non-SIT S&A QT Test Team				Delay in SIT Non-Functional/Operational Test Scenario Approval dates. QT Test Scenarios which reuse SIT Scenarios are unable to be approved until SIT Scenarios are approved. Review scope of SIT NF/Operational to understand whether all themes impact QT, work with SIT team to increase parallelisation of activities where possible.
T3-QU-0122	QAG	QAG Approval of QT Operational Test Scenarios and Test Cases Batch 2	Thu 19/09/24	Thu 19/09/24	Non-SIT S&A QT Test Team				Delay in SIT Non-Functional/Operational Test Scenario Approval dates. QT Test Scenarios which reuse SIT Scenarios are unable to be approved until SIT Scenarios are approved. Review scope of SIT NF/Operational to understand whether all themes impact QT, work with SIT team to increase parallelisation of activities where possible.
T3-DB-0166	SITAG	SIT Operational PIT Completion Report MHHS Review Completed	Fri 20/09/24	Fri 20/09/24	SI Test				Date at risk because of potential delay to submissions for SIT Operational PIT completion reports. Impact may be a delay to the start of SIT Operational Testing. Continue engagement with PPs





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Look Ahead – Key Milestones Status at 13 August 24 (7)

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Milestone ID	Forum	Milestone Title	Baseline Date	Forecast Date	Responsible	Previous RAG 07/08/24	Current RAG 14/08/24	Forecast RAG 21/08/24	Commentary
T2-TE-0750	SITAG	SIT Operational Testing Preparation Complete	Wed 25/09/24	Wed 25/09/24	SI Test				Date at risk due to lower than expected test velocity and Participants PIT submissions
T3-QU-0076	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	Non-SIT LDSO Participants have submitted PIT Test Completion Report & evidence for QT Entry	Mon 30/09/24	Mon 30/09/24	Non-SIT LDSO				Date at risk as likely to change due to deferral of QT window. Forecast date to be updated mid Sep
T3-QU-0007	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	Qualification Testing for Non-SIT LDSOs (Functional, Migration, NFT, Operational) Programme Test Readiness confirmed	Mon 30/09/24	Mon 30/09/24	Non-SIT LDSO				Date at risk as likely to change due to deferral of QT window. Forecast date to be updated mid Sep
T2-QU-0550	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	Qualification Testing for Non-SIT LDSOs (Functional, Migration, NFT, Operational) Test Readiness Confirmed (Final Test Readiness Review for LDSO)	Mon 30/09/24	Mon 30/09/24	LDSO				Date at risk as likely to change due to deferral of QT window. Forecast date to be updated mid Sep
T3-QU-0115	QAG (Non- SIT LDSO)	Non-SIT LDSO QT Test Execution Starts	Tue 01/10/24	Fri 01/11/24	Non-SIT LDSO				Date re-forecast in line with short term scenario planning as being no earlier than 1/11/24. This will continue to be developed in scenario planning.
T3-MI-0030	MCAG (Transition)	Automated Population of Null Connection Type	Fri 04/10/24	Fri 04/10/24	LDSO				On track
T3-MI-0027	MCAG (Transition)	Automated Population of Connection Type for Measurement Classes 'B', 'D', 'F' & 'G'	Fri 04/10/24	Fri 04/10/24	LDSO				On track
T3-MI-0028	MCAG (Transition)	BAU Population of Connection Type for Site Specific LLFCs within Measurement Classes 'C' & 'E'	Fri 04/10/24	Fri 04/10/24	LDSO				On track
T3-MI-0029	MCAG (Transition)	Automated Population of Connection Type for Smart Meters within Measurement Class 'A'	Fri 04/10/24	Fri 04/10/24	LDSO				On track
T3-TE-0042	SITAG	SIT Operational Testing Start	Mon 07/10/24	Mon 07/10/24	SI Test				On track
T3-QU-0087	QAG	Non-SIT LDSO QT Participants have submitted their initial QAD	Thu 10/10/24	Thu 10/10/24	Participants				On track
T3-QU-0123	QAG	QAG Approval of QT Operational Test Scenarios and Test Cases Batch 3	Thu 17/10/24	Thu 17/10/24	Non-SIT S&A QT Test Team				Milestone to be removed as it has been confirmed by the Code Bodies that it doesn't contain the scope of testing involved in Qualification Testing



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Look Ahead – Key Milestones Status at 13 August 24 (8)

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Milestone ID	Forum	Milestone Title	Baseline Date	Forecast Date	Responsible	Previous RAG 07/08/24	Current RAG 14/08/24	Forecast RAG 21/08/24	Commentary
T3-TE-0041	QAG	Back-up SITAG decision on early Qualification Testing Execution start	Fri 18/10/24	Fri 27/09/24	SI Test				To be removed because SIT has not made sufficient progress to allow early qualification test start.
T2-TE-0800	SITAG	SIT Migration Testing Test Completion Report (Minimum Viable Cohort) Approved	Fri 18/10/24	Wed 15/01/25	SI Test				Date change because the plan did not consider SIT Migration regression testing. SIT Migration Test Completion Report date was incorrect. Revise plan to align to Jan 25 SITAG approval. Date change to form part of Programme CR
T3-MI-0031	MCAG (Transition)	Each LDSO has linked al relevant import/export MPANS	Fri 18/10/24	Fri 18/10/24	LDSO				On track
T3-MI-0017	MCAG (Migration)	MCAG Approval of Migration Framework Artefacts (Baselined)	Tue 22/10/24	Tue 22/10/24	PP				On track
T3-MI-0039	MCAG (Migration)	V1.0 of Migration Schedule Baseline Approved at MCAG	Tue 22/10/24	Tue 22/10/24	PP				On track
T3-TE-0082	SITAG	Regression - PP's confirmation that test data is ready for SIT Functional	Fri 25/10/24	Fri 25/10/24	SI Test Data				Date will not be met due to programme scenario planning
T3-TE-0048	QAG	UIT E2E Sandbox Preparation Complete	Fri 31/01/25	Fri 31/01/25	SI Test				
T3-MI-0032	MCAG (Transition)	Approval of M15/M16 cut-over plan	Tue 29/10/24	Tue 29/10/24	SI Transition				On track



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Key Milestones Change at 13-August-24

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Milestone ID	Approving Governance Forum	Responsible	Change Type	Milestone Title	Baseline Date	Forecast Date	RAG	RAG	Forecast RAG 17/07/24	Commentary
T3-TE-0041	QAG	SI Test	Remove	Back-up SITAG decision on early Qualification Testing Execution start	Fri 18/10/24	Fri 27/09/24				Milestone to be removed as no longer applicable
T3-QU-0123	QAG	Non-SIT S&A QT Test Team	Remove	QAG Approval of QT Operational Test Scenarios and Test Cases Batch 3	Thu 17/10/24	Thu 17/10/24				Milestone to be removed as it has been confirmed by the Code Bodies that it doesn't contain the scope of testing involved in Qualification Testing





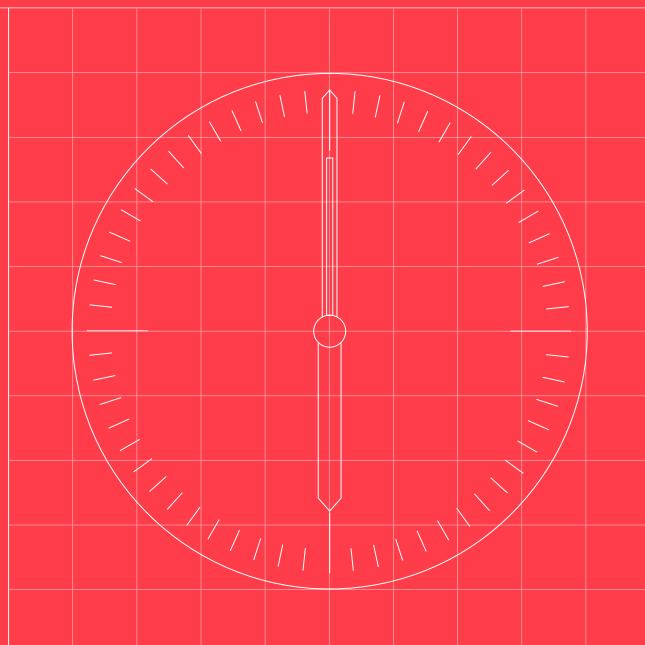
Top Programme Risks Related to QAG

INFORMATION: QAG awareness of the key RAID items impacting the QAG

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Risks to Qualification success (Page 1 of 2)

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Theme	Summary	Mitigation Approach Overview
Risks to Qualification Success	Code Bodies are accountable for Qualification for all relevant PPs. Industry participants have raised a risk historically that there has been a lack of clarity on the approach and plan to deliver Qualification for non-SIT LDSOs, Suppliers and Agents.	 CR 47 and 48 have been approved by programme governance. This includes some additional milestones to support participant planning. CR 47 and 48 now embodied in Programme Plan which has highlighted R900 risk to M10 (in later slide). Ongoing collaboration between MHHSP and Code Bodies and industry to develop and approve Qualification material through QWG & QAG. Wave allocation has been confirmed and Code Bodies are reviewing placing reliance

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R930	There is a risk that the MVC will not																							1. Programme is currently conducting Scenario Planning across all Test
	complete SIT in line with the Programme																							Phases and consequential impact on Programme Plan.
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P276	There is risk of Elexon BSC						+							-				+			+			1. Code Bodies now have view of the participants wave allocation choice
11270	and/or RECCo having limited capacity to																							from PQS. Code Bodies are working with the Non-SIT S&A QT Team and
	manage the volume of Participants going																						Score	the Qualification Service Providers to ensure that we are resourced
	through Qualification testing at any one										()	(c) <mark>-</mark>						► (T)					remains	accordingly.
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R332	Suppliers may require maximum amount																							1. PP's will be providing updated QT plans ahead of their QT wave starting
	of time to complete their DBT, resulting in																						Score	which will provide information on readiness and their timescales.
	backlog in final waves of Qualification											ି ≮			حاد									2. Code Bodies reviewing placing reliance submissions which will give
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R919	There is a risk that the deferment of the						++											+						1. Assessment of potential LDP solution to support Theme 1 underway.
	SITAG's approval of the SIT Non-Functional																							2. Progressing discussions with Avanade & Helix
	Test Approach and Plan could impact																						Score	3. Need to bring back NFT Approach & Plan to SITAG – July target but this
	readiness activities for SIT and							6								A							increase	is very tight
	Qualification Non-Functional Testing							C				Ý				$\mathbf{\nabla}$							d to 20	4. Theme 1 unlikely to impact PP testing in Themes 2 & 3 and ongoing
																								discussions with LDSOs on NFT positive as clarifications, rather than
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Risks to Qualification success (Page 2 of 2)

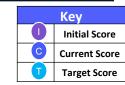
Theme	Summary	Mitigation Approach Overview
Risks to Qualification Success	Code Bodies are accountable for Qualification for all relevant PPs. Industry participants have raised a risk historically that there has been a lack of clarity on the approach and plan to deliver Qualification for non-SIT LDSOs, Suppliers and Agents.	 CR 47 and 48 have been approved by programme governance. This includes some additional milestones to support participant planning. CR 47 and 48 now embodied in Programme Plan which has highlighted R900 risk to M10 (in later slide). Ongoing collaboration between MHHSP and Code Bodies and industry to develop and approve Qualification material through QWG & QAG. Participants have submitted their PQS and PIT plans which are being reviewed

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R532	There is a risk that SIT participants will need to execute additional Qualification Testing to qualify				O					*				Score mains at 18	 Programme has sent request to Code Bodies to clarify PIT approach to mitigate this risk. Further discussion required between Programme SIT team, Non-SIT LDSO team and Code Bodies to mitigate this risk for SSEN and BUUK. SIT team to document their approach to PIT assurance so audit trail of the process and procedures used
R695	Code Bodies will not be ready to complete Supplier and Agent Qualification in time for waves (time)					€		-0-			->(re	emains	 Code Bodies have published qualification document that sets out a clear plan for required activities and associated documentation on qualification requirements (e.g. QA&P v2 (including Annex 1 and 2 on testing approach), QAD v1 and REC and BSC assessment criteria Dates from the approved QA&Pv2 to be included in the Programme Plan via CR47 and CR48 and Code Body activity is currently tracking to these dates. Code Bodies reporting progress on Qualification activities to MHHS Programme (inc PSG, QAG and Programme Project Board). Detailed plan qualification plan incorporated into MHHS Programme plan. Regular review sessions happening.
R928	There is a risk that SIT Testing is delayed due to technical issues or lack of resource causing a stable code base to be delivered/available later than expected to UIT. This may impact the commencement date for Non SIT LDSO QT.						စာ-			->	7			Score mains at 14	 Collaboration between Code Bodies and MHHSP to understand the progress of SIT and any issues which may impact Qualification Waves commencing. Two layers of checkpoints: 1) Speaking to Participants on their readiness. Engagement and flagging any issues from Qualification PPs 2) Entry criteria into LDSO Qualification is defined at a high level included in the LDSO Test Approach



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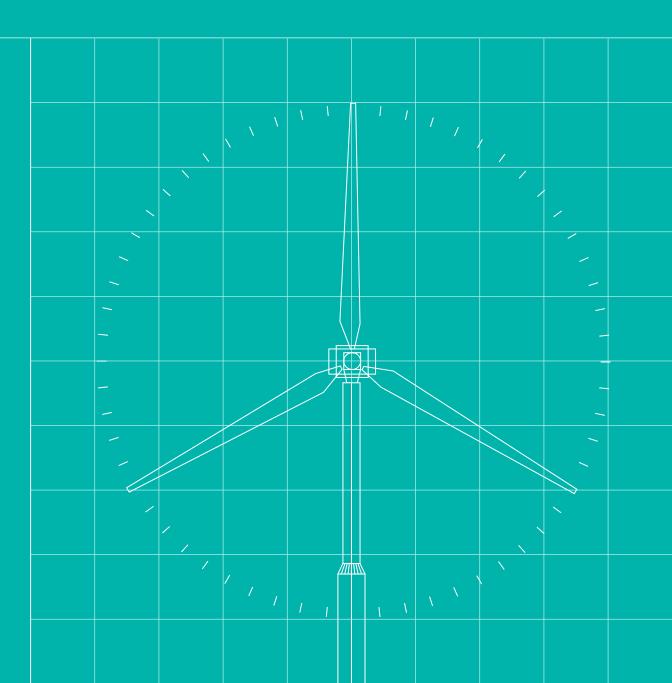
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DISCUSSION: Participants to raise any queries on Qualification

Chair

5 mins





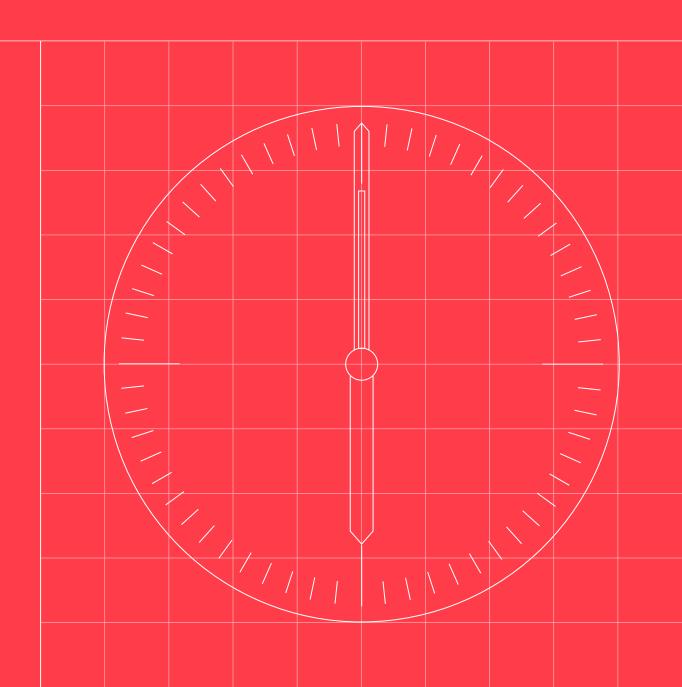
Summary and next steps

INFORMATION: Summarise actions and agree any agenda items for next meeting

Secretariat

5 mins





Summary and next steps

Next steps:

- 1. Confirm actions from meeting
- 2. Date of the next QWG: Tuesday 10 September 2024
- 3. Date of the next regular QAG: Thursday 19 September 2024
- 4. Date of the next LQTSG: Wednesday 28 August 2024
- 5. Date of the next SAQTSG: Wednesday 04 September

