Appendix A Template for Submissions

To assist Gas Industry Co in the orderly and efficient consideration of submitters' responses, a suggested format for submissions has been prepared an electronic copy of which is available on our website. This is drawn from the questions posed throughout this Consultation Document. Submitters are also invited to include any other comments in their responses to this Consultation Document

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QUESTION	COMMENT
 Q1: In regard to the proposal to amend rule 5 and Schedule part A definitions: Do you agree or disagree with the proposals? Please provide reasons. Do you have any comments on the specific drafting proposed? Do you agree or disagree that the proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act? 	 Agree with the proposal, clarified definitions do clearer reflect what happens in practice. No comment on drafting proposed Agree that proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act
 Q2: In regard to the proposal to amend rules 24 and 25 in respect of the payment of ongoing fees: Do you agree or disagree with the proposals? Please provide reasons. Do you have any comments on the specific drafting proposed? Do you agree or disagree that the proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act? 	 Agree with the proposal to introduce the concept of Payment Year and clarify rules around estimated ongoing fees payable. No comment on drafting proposed Agree that proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act

QUESTION	COMMENT
 Q3: In relation to the proposals to amend rules 28.1, 29, 30 and 31, and insert new rule 31.1.3: Do you agree or disagree with the proposals? Please provide reasons. Do you have any comments on the specific drafting proposed? Do you agree or disagree that the proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act? 	 Agree with the proposal to clarify rules around the transmission methods used and when a given process is deemed to have occurred. No comment on drafting proposed Agree that proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act
 Q4: In relation to the proposal to amend rules 43.2.2 and 47.1: Do you agree or disagree with the proposal? Please provide reasons. Do you have any comments on the specific drafting proposed? Do you agree or disagree that the proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act? 	 Agree with the proposal to introduce permissive language around storing and publishing Loss Factors to clearer reflect distributor practices. No comment on drafting proposed Agree that proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act
 Q5: In relation to the proposals to delete rule 65.2.6, amend rules 67.1.2, 67.3, 69.1, 69.2, 69.3, and 72.2; and insert new rule 67.3A: Do you agree or disagree with the proposals? Please provide reasons. Do you have any comments on the specific drafting proposed? Do you agree or disagree that the proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act? 	 Agree with the proposal to clarify timing constraints on all switches and ensure consistency by cross referencing to relevant rules. No comment on drafting proposed Agree that proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act
 Q6: In relation to the proposal to amend rules 69.4, 75, 78.1, 78.3.2 and 81.1; insert new rules 69.1A, 69.4, 74A, 75.4 and 78.2A; and delete rule 78.5: Do you agree or disagree with the proposals? Please provide reasons. Do you have any comments on the specific drafting proposed? Do you agree or disagree that the proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act? 	 Agree with the proposal to amend rules to assist with clarification of the withdrawal process and ensure current withdrawal and read change exemptions are also no longer required. No comment on drafting proposed Agree that proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act

QUESTION	COMMENT
 Q7: In relation to the proposal to delete Part 4 of the Rules: Do you agree or disagree with the proposal? Please provide reasons. Do you have any comments on the specific drafting proposed? Do you agree or disagree that the proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act? 	 Agree with the proposal to delete rule 4 as transitional exemptions for switches not completed prior to Go Live is no longer relevant and other rule changes ensure current exemptions are also no longer required. No comment on drafting proposed Agree that proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act
 Q8: In relation to the minor drafting changes proposed in section 3.8: Do you agree or disagree with the proposals? Please provide reasons. Do you have any comments on the specific drafting proposed? Do you agree or disagree that the proposals meet the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act? 	 Agree with the proposal to correct formatting and minor text/content changes No comment on drafting proposed Agree that proposal meets the requirements of section 43N(3) of the Act