RC_2009_40 Provision of Load Following Ancillary Service

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Submission

1. Please provide your views on the proposal, including any objections or suggested revisions

LGP supports the Rule Change to broaden the Market Rules to allow Non-Scheduled Generators and Loads to provide Load Following Ancillary Service on the grounds that it increases the potential range of participants who may provide the service thereby increasing competition, avoiding discrimination against particular energy options and encouraging measures to manage the amount of electricity used. We all consider this change to facilitate the implementation of climate mitigation strategies.

2. Please provide an assessment, whether the change will better facilitate the achievement of the Market Objectives

LGP perceives the change to facilitate reduced costs through increased competition and removal of discrimination against particular technologies. It also potentially reduces energy consumption.

3.	Please indicate if the proposed change will have any implications for your
	organisation, (for example changes to your IT or business systems) and any costs
	involved

LGP would incur no organisational costs as a consequence of adopting the change.

4. Please indicate the time required for your organisation to implement the change, should it be accepted as proposed

LGP would be able to implement this Rule Change immediately.

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