Ancillary Services Vision Consultation Paper

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In September 2006 the Regulatory Authorities approved the continuation of the existing and separate commercial arrangements for Ancillary Services within each jurisdiction for "Day 1" of the SEM - the "Go-Live" date, 1st November 2007 - pending a full and proper review. The attached Ancillary Services Consultation Paper entitled "Proposed System Operation Services' Payments & Charges in SEM" is part of this review process. The paper has been developed by the system operators and it sets out All-Island policy options for Ancillary Services and other system operations related payments/charges, for implementation at some stage post the SEM's Go-Live date. It takes account of earlier comments made at an industry workshop on the issue, held by the system operators on 10th May 2007.

The policy options considered in this public consultation process will subsequently lead to a decision paper from the Regulatory Authorities.

Comments on this consultation paper should be forwarded, preferably in electronic form, by not later than 5:00pm on 21st September 2007 to:

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