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FMR: Standard Agreement – DNO Service Terms Template - Amendment record

 Guidance

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0.0.2 Annex 1: Associated meta-data

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Identifier	FMR-SAST
Title	Standard Agreement - <i>DNO</i> Service Terms Template
Type	<i>Flexibility Market Rule</i>
Collection	<i>Sub-Market</i> Alignment
Audience	<i>DNOs, Flexibility Service Providers</i>
Expertise	Legal, Contracting
Owner	<i>Market Facilitator</i>
Expected benefit	
Related end-to-end process reference	Reduced legal costs
References	FMR-SMD, FMR-SAGT
IsReferencedBy	FMR-PD, FMR-SAGT
Published version number	1.0
Applicability	<i>All DNO sub-markets</i>

Published Date	08/10/2026
<i>Implementation Date</i>	01/04/2027
End Date	-
Terms of variations	<i>DNOs</i> may deviate from the baseline terms set out in this rule without requiring formal <i>derogation</i> , provided that any such deviation is recorded in the Standard Agreement Alignment and Deviation Register for the relevant <i>Sub-Market</i> . The <i>System Operator</i> must update and publish the register no later than 10 <i>working days</i> before any change to the contractual wording is used for the relevant <i>Sub-Market</i> which affects the content of the register.
IsReplacedBy	N/A
Replaces	N/A
Status	Final
Change since last version	First publication
Description	What? This rule sets out the template to be used for <i>DNO</i> service terms. These sit alongside the General Terms and Conditions and detail how the services are procured and form the basis of the legal contract.

How?

This template sets out a standard structure, and some standard terms for *DNOs* to use in their Service Terms. *DNOs* supplement it with additional organisation specific terms.

Who?

This rule impacts all *DNOs*, and in turn their *Flexibility Service Providers*

When?

This rule comes into force on the *Implementation Date*.

Why?

This rule aims to standardise contractual terms across *Sub-Markets*, reduce legal complexity and cost, promote transparency and fairness, and support faster access to *flexibility markets*.