SSE response to Ofcom's May 2014 consultation on the application of Relevant Turnover threshold

Web form response

Question 1: Do you agree with our assessments of the impacts? If not, please explain your reasons why:

Yes

Question 2: Do you agree with our proposed change and the wording of the Direction? If not, please explain your reasons why.:

Yes. SSE fully supports the clarifications proposed in the February 2014 consultation that seek to ensure that providers of wholesale services supporting retail PATS services to end users are fully brought into the disciplines of the metering and billing framework, as we argued in our response to the February 2013 consultation. The point raised in this consultation about the definition of relevant turnover also including wholesale turnover - through the wording changes already proposed - is part of that clarification and we support Ofcom's position on this.