

Capacity Market

Guidance Update – 11 August 2016 - Cloning



What is Cloning?

- Replicates an existing Capacity Market Unit (CMU) content where there are changes
- Allows you to make appropriate amendments, quicker and easier
- Reflects a new configuration of the CMU

Why do I need a CMUID Change?

- Because that's the way the system is set up, if you want to make any changes to CMU content a new CMUID is required

Configuration changes include

(even where the physical asset / number of components is not changed)

- Change of CMU Type
- Capacity Method Change
- Connection Agreement of Capacity Change
- Technical Reliability
- Construction Plan Milestone Change

Why does it work that way?

- Provides a Unique Identifier for a specific CMU state
- Allows us to track and manage all activity relating to a CMU E.g:
 - Pre qualification
 - Assessment
 - Auctions
 - Agreement Management

What do I need to Do?

- We recognise that consistency is key. To achieve this, please Use the same original site name in the “CMU Name” Field.
- To make this easier, the “CMU Name” field is automatically populated with the cloned CMU details.
- So you shouldn’t need to change anything.
- CMUID – There is no defined expectation from the Delivery Body as to how this should look, so please use this in a way that is useful to you.

To make things easier...

- The Delivery Body will manually edit records where there are new data items required on an existing CMU, due to rule changes e.g. new construction plan timescales
- DSR / Meter Test Certificates – For any changes which do not impact on the validity of the certificates, you can upload the existing certificate which references the old CMUID. But please provide a list of old and new CMUID's which link

TO REQUEST A MANUAL EDIT, YOUR COMPANY MAIN ADMIN SHOULD EMAIL EMR@NATIONALGRID.COM

If you have any further queries on Cloning then please do get in touch with the EMR team

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