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# **THE DISTRIBUTION CODE**

and

## **THE GUIDE TO THE DISTRIBUTION CODE**

### **OF LICENSED DISTRIBUTION NETWORK OPERATORS OF GREAT BRITAIN**

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## **GUIDANCE NOTE 1**

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Adopted for the Distribution Code of Great Britain)

### **ENGINEERING RECOMMENDATION P2/6**

The **Distribution Code Review Panel** has reviewed Engineering Recommendation P2/6 and for **Customers** falling within the remit of the **Distribution Code** has agreed that:-

The main section of this document deals with the establishment of recommendations for the security of electricity transmission and distribution systems of network operators. It does not apply to the supply connection of a **Customer**.

Each **Customer** supply connection needs to be considered on its own merits by discussion between the **Customer** and the network operator. The costs of providing a **Customer** supply connection by the network operator will be partly dependent upon the nature of the network operator's electrical system and the location of the **Customer's** premises. It will be for the **Customer** to decide, in negotiations with the network operator, the level of security required for the electricity supply to be provided to the **Customer's** premises. In general, the greater the level of security of supply required by the **Customer**, the greater the capital investment required by the network operator, as a consequence this will require the **Customer** to meet a higher level of supply connection charge.