Compliance plan for Contact Energy Certified Reconciliation Participant – June 2023

	Relevant information	n	
Non-compliance	0	escription	
Audit Ref: 2.1	стст		
With: Clause 10.6, 11.2,	Some inaccurate data is recorded and	I was not updated	d as soon as practicable.
15.2	Some previous audit corrections not of	carried out.	
	CTCS and CTCX		
	Some inaccurate data is recorded and	I was not updated	d as soon as practicable.
	Some previous audit corrections not of	carried out.	
	Potential impact: High		
	Actual impact: High		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 6		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
High	The controls are moderate overall, as validation of inputs into the submission accuracy. The impact is high based on the volumedata has not yet been prepared in son	on process which	will help to improve data
Actions tak	en to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
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Active date variance with I	ED and/or meter certification date		
	through the exceptions identified	Ongoing	
-	ing with MEPs, Networks and field accurate information is returned on		
_	and inaccurate paperwork issues project to identify ways to further rising.		
Active ICPs with ANZSIC "T	994" or "T994000" don't know		

Contact is actively investigating and resolving all 'T9' series ANZSIC code discrepancies identified during the RP Audit.	Ongoing
Active ICP with no MEP and unmetered flag set to 'N'	
Contact has BPEMs within SAP to identify ICPs in this scenario. We find most of these exceptions are where an MEP has auto accepted the nomination and metering details are still required to be uploaded into the Registry.	Ongoing
Contact is creating additional Registry reporting within Data Bricks to identify active ICPs with no metering event loaded in the Registry and UNM flag is set to 'N'. ICPs that appear on this report will also be investigated to identify if corrections are required to our nomination information loaded in the Registry.	
UNM discrepancies	
Contact has been continuously improving this process since the last audit. New reporting has been put in place, with more users have being trained in how to resolve these exceptions as they arise.	Ongoing
We are working with our SAP technical team to create a new exception in our system to identify where UNM load details are removed within the Registry to ensure the change is replicated in our system in timely manner.	
Profile discrepancies	
Contact has strong reporting in place to seize any discrepancies. We are actively working with customers, distributors, and MEPs, to ensure the ICPs identified via our monthly reporting as having incorrect generation related data applied within SAP or the Registry is being investigated/corrected.	Ongoing
Arc cat 2 meters submitted as HHR	
Arc meters are currently being replaced by vector, which is expected to be completed this year. We acknowledge as the program of work nears completion there is the risk of some further data attainment issues. These issues will self-resolve as a result of that work in due course.	Later this year.
Incorrect status recorded on the registry	
Contact is actively investigating all status discrepancies identified via the RP Audit and will be completing corrections	Ongoing

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where feasible. Our teams will also cross check the status	
discrepancies identified during the RP Audit against our	
regularly run discrepancy reporting to ensure all discrepancy	
variances are covered within our data queries.	CTCS/CTCX
CTCS and CTCX	01/05/2023
One ICP with incorrect Active status date corrected during the	
audit. One new connection and one disconnection had	
incorrect status dates and were corrected during the audit.	
Ç	N/A
Where issues from previous audits had not been corrected this	
was due to the R14 period having passed which meant any work	
undertaken to correct would not have improved submission	
accuracy.	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will	Completion
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Contact will continue to review its processes, documentation,	
and reporting to ensure data discrepancies are identified and	
resolved at the earliest convenience. As shortfalls are realized,	
we will further investigate opportunities to reduce issues arising	Ongoing
by implementing system, process, and/or report enhancements.	
We will continue to have regular conversations with internal	
teams, MEPs, Networks, and third-party service providers to	
ensure the importance of, and continued improvement to,	
timeframes and data completeness is recognized.	
CTCS and CTCX	
Simply Energy have raised the issue of being able to import	CTCS/CTCX
Simply Energy have raised the issue of being able to import	
partial HHR datafiles from MEPs with their system provider again and are hopeful of being able to progress a solution given	0
other recent system changes may have facilitated a solution for	Ongoing
this.	
Simply Energy have created a process where the Data	
Management analyst works with the Billing team to identify	
zero usage sites every three months, investigate these to find	
those that are reading 0, and then raise requests for the customer to be contacted to verify that 0 usage is correct.	23/06/2023
Where the customer believes this usage to be incorrect the	, ,
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business will raise service orders for the MEP to investigate.	

	Electrical Connection of Point o	f Connection	
Non-compliance	D	escription	
Audit Ref: 2.11	стст		
With: Clause 10.33A	104 new ICPs did not have their meter electrical connection.	ers certified with	in five business days of initial
	244 reconnection ICPs did not have th reconnection.	eir meters certifie	ed within five business days of
	Metering for three ICPs was not recer	tified on un-bridg	ing.
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	One new ICP did not have its mete electrical connection.	r certified within	five business days of initial
	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Strong		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 1		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	The controls are rated as strong. Unc The audit risk rating is low as a small meters may have unidentified accura help to identify these.	proportion of ICI	Ps were affected. Uncertified
Actions tak	en to resolve the issue	Completion	Remedial action status

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст		Identified
Late certification		
Unfortunately, Contact is unable to resolve this non-compliance as this has already occurred, however, we have started investigating and implementing preventative actions to increase our controls and further reduce the likelihood of this non-compliance arising in the future Please refer to the preventative actions section.		
Not recertified on un-bridging		
We are in the process of organising certification for the ICPs identified during the RP Audit as not being recertified on unbridging.		
<u>ctcs</u>	<u>CTCS</u>	
	NA	

Simply Energy cannot correct historic timeliness of these updates.	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date
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Contact will continue to communicate & work with MEPs and field service providers to determine how we can further decrease the opportunity of non-certified metering and late meter certifications from arising.	
We have identified a gap where replication of our recertification monitoring report had not been successfully replicated from SAS to Data Bricks. We are in the process of replicating this report into Data Bricks, and plan on using this as an opportunity to implement improvements to the reporting, as well as discuss ownership, responsibilities, and training with the respective teams involved.	30/09/2023
<u>ctcs</u>	<u>CTCS</u>
Simply Energy have identified more resource is needed in this space and as a result, are proactively training another member of the team to assist in this space which will ensure better data quality - Operations Team Lead is also acting as Quality Control.	01/09/2023
Simply Energy is also working with their internal system administrator to improve current process in Salesforce to assist with timing and actions and to provide the Operations Team Leader visibility to assist and/or add resource where required.	01/12/2023

	Arrangements for line function services
Non-compliance	Description
Audit Ref: 2.12	стсѕ
With: Clause 11.16	CTCS traded on ICPs connected to the CIAL, SMAL and TIKL networks where there was no arrangement or agreement in place.
	Potential impact: High
	Actual impact: Low
	Audit history: None
From: 01-Sep-22	Controls: Moderate
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2

Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	The controls are rated as moderate. arrangements in place for these exist arrangements in place.		
	The impact is low because 12 active lonetworks during the audit period, and issues arose during the audit period on arrangement in place. Contact an place with other networks managed by	d seven active ICP which could not be d Simply Energy h	s are currently supplied. No e resolved because there was
Actions tak	en to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
CTCS		<u>CTCS</u>	Identified
. , . , .	cess of agreeing terms with SMAL, O April 2023, and TIKL do not have an	31/08/2023	
Preventative actions tak	cen to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
CTCS		<u>CTCS</u>	
trading so in the unlikely ca monthly check will be inco	n a trader entering into a DDA before ase that this has not happened, a rporated into the business day and ensure we progress these to	20/06/2023	

	Arrangements for metering equipment provision
Non-compliance	Description
Audit Ref: 2.13	стст
With: Clause 10.36	No arrangement in place for the maintenance of BOPE metering.
	Potential impact: Low
	Actual impact: Low
	Audit history: Multiple times
From: 01-Dec-21	Controls: Strong
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 1
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating
Low	The controls are rated as strong overall. BOPE meters are displaced as soon as possible. The audit risk rating is low as a small proportion of ICPs were affected.

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Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
<u>стст</u>	стст	Identified
Contact was originally in the process of establishing an agreement with BOPE/Nova, however, this ceased when BOPE meters were acquired by IHub.		
Our arrangements in relation to BOPE meters will be resolved either through the transfer of the BOPE MEP ownership within the registry to IHub or our next metering service arrangement iteration with IHub (due Feb 2024).	28/02/2024	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	

	Meter bridging		
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 2.17	стст		
With: Clause 10.33C and 2A of Schedule 15.2	Two ICPs from a sample of 21 where than one business day from when Co		_
	Volume corrections not applied for 48 away.	3 bridged ICPs tha	t have subsequently switched
	Volume corrections not applied or a sample of nine ICPs.	pplied incorrectly	for five bridged ICPs from a
	Potential impact: Medium		
	Actual impact: Unknown		
	Audit history: None		
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Weak		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 6		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Medium	The controls are rated as weak. While meters has improved the controls ard to ensure that these are consistently	ound processing c	
	The audit risk rating is medium based identified.	on the number o	f ICPs with bridged meters
Actions take	en to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст			Identified
Late notification to MEP of	a ridged meter		

Unfortunately, we are unable to resolve this non-compliance as this has already occurred, however, we have started investigating and implementing preventative actions to increase our controls and further reduce the likelihood of this non-compliance arising in the future Please refer to the preventative actions section. Volume Corrections	N/A	
Energy Rec team to complete reconciliation of existing corrections for accuracy, including apply consumption corrections for Bridged ICPs not yet corrected and ensure that the volumes are correctly applied for submission based on the submission type for the affected ICP.	30/09/2023	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
Late notification to MEP of a Bridged meter With the implementation of Project Edna, we have been successful in advocating for data previously only accessible via Orb, to be available within our new data platform. This newly accessible data will open further opportunities to automate the monitoring and notifying of bridged meters to MEPs. We are working with our Business Simplification Team to identify how we can utilise this newly accessible data to improve our processes and reporting of bridged meters, to further decrease the likelihood of this non-compliance arising in the future. While our Business Simplification Team investigate these opportunities, we will continue to identify bridged metering daily via our FWR (further work required) flags within our service order dockets and will notify MEPs the same day these are identified. Volume Corrections	Working progress	

Changes to registry information	
Non-compliance	Description
Audit Ref: 3.3	стст
With: Clause 10 Schedule	1,718 late updates to "active" status.
11.1	721 late updates to "inactive" status.
	2,544 late trader updates.

186 ANZSIC code updates were made more than 20 business days after CTCT began trading at the ICP.
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Eight late updates to "active" status.
20 late updates to "inactive" status.
127 late trader updates.
One ANZSIC code update was made more than 20 business days after CTCS began trading at the ICP.
Potential impact: Low
Actual impact: Low
Audit history: Multiple times
Controls: Moderate
Breach risk rating: 2
Rationale for audit risk rating
The controls are rated as moderate overall, as there is room for improvement.
Overall, the level of compliance is high with the majority of updates being completed within five business days of the event. The audit risk rating is low.

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
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Status & Trader updates		
Contact acknowledges the non-compliances identified and the underlying factors that lead to incorrect or late notifications in the Registry.		
Where errors or delays are a result of the paperwork returned from the field, we will continue to utilise the contractor performance provisions within our respective agreements to address any concerns and improve the process moving forward.	Ongoing	
Where trending errors or delays are found to be a result of data entry issues, processes, or system related errors, we will continue to review the respective areas to identify opportunities for improvement. These improvements will be by way of improving process documentation, providing additional training where required, and/or completing system enhancements.		
ANZISC Codes Contact has monthly reporting in place to identify ICPs with an incorrect ANZSIC code applied in the Registry. This reporting is utilised to identify and correct ANZISIC code inaccuracies where		

they exist, as well as being used to help identify the underlying factors causing the data inaccuracies to arise.	Ongoing	
The late updates identified by the Auditors were predominately a result of correcting data inaccuracies identified via the abovementioned reporting, or a result of the delays in paperwork affecting new connections and meter changes.		
As the root cause of the data inaccuracies are identified, we are actively working to implement further training and or process changes to assist with decreasing the opportunity for the loading of incorrect late ANZSIC codes updates to the Registry from arising.		
CTCS		
The 127 late trader updates were caused by an MEP providing consistent unvalidated HHR AMI data. Simply Energy performed a review of estimated HHR data and therefore backdated any changes to when the last time was that Actual data was received. A backdated date therefore was unavoidable.	CTCS	
Late updates cannot be corrected. NB Meetings were held immediately after the Audit to ensure that Data Quality and timeliness was a daily priority. Process refreshers were also	N/A	
provided to all team members.		
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
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Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	date	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur CTCT We will continue to assess and enhance our processes, discrepancy reports, documentation, etc on a regular basis to ensure they are fit for purpose.	date <u>CTCT</u>	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur CTCT We will continue to assess and enhance our processes, discrepancy reports, documentation, etc on a regular basis to	date CTCT Ongoing	

Simply Energy is also working with their internal system	01/12/2023	
administrator to improve current process in Salesforce to assist		
with timing and actions and to provide the Operations Team		
Leader visibility to assist and/or add resource where required.		

Trader responsibility for an ICP			
Non-compliance	С	escription	
Audit Ref: 3.4	стст		
With: Clause 11.18	ICP 0000514338CE7AF did not have a days of initial electrical connection.	n accepted MEP r	nomination within 14 business
	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 18-Nov-22	Controls: Strong		
To: 23-Feb-23	Breach risk rating: 1		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	The controls are strong, because the where two service orders were rasubsequent investigation to confirm t	aised for one n	
	The impact is low, because the MEP meter on the initial electrical connect	·	esponsibility and certified the
Actions tak	en to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст		стст	Identified
An MEP event is now prese	ent within the Registry.	26/06/2023	
The missing data was a result of two new connection jobs being raised for the same ICP, which entail required investigation to confirm if the metering information returned on the completed service order was correct or not.			
Preventative actions tal	ken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
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We are looking into what opportunities we have to improve existing reporting to identify ICPs that did not have an accepted MEP nomination within 14 business days of initial electrical connection as a result of paperwork related issues.			

Provision of information to the registry manager			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 3.5	стст		
With: Clause 9 Schedule	503 late updates to active status and	MEP nominations	for new connections.
11.1	ICP 0000062294NT59C was connected recorded consumption since 14 Febru moved to active status by CTCT becausupplied under CTCS.	ary 2023. The ICI	P has not been claimed and
	13 of a sample of 49 ICPs checked h corrected during the audit.	ad incorrect activ	ve status dates, and one was
	186 ANZSIC code updates were made trading at the ICP.	more than 20 bu	usiness days after CTCT began
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	18 late updates to active status for ne	w connections.	
	One ICP had an incorrect active status audit.	date recorded ar	nd was corrected during the
	One ANZSIC code update was made trading at the ICP.	more than 20 bu	siness days after CTCS began
	Four late MEP nominations for new co	onnections.	
	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 29-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	The controls are rated as moderate for	r both codes, as th	nere is room for improvement.
	The audit risk rating is low because the number of ICPs affected overall is small. Late or inaccurate changes to "active" can result in delays in providing submission information and billing the customer, and incorrect active dates can have an impact on submission data.		
Actions tak	en to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст		стст	Identified
New Connection		Ongoing	
Correction process is underway for the ICPs identified during the audit process.			
New connections are monitored through automated daily reports. Late updates are often related to delayed paperwork returned from the field by the contractors. We are reviewing			

this process under our business simplification project to work more collaboratively with our field service providers to ensure field paperwork is returned accurately and in timely manner.

ICP 0000062294NT59C is now claimed by CTCS with an active date of 13/02/2023.

We are regularly providing training to our operators to ensure new connections for ToU meters are passed over to CTCS at the earliest convenience, and we are exploring further changes to our system that would ensure more robust controls to monitor these are in place.

ANSIC codes

Contact has monthly reporting in place to identify ICPs with an incorrect ANZSIC code applied in the Registry. This reporting is utilised to identify and correct ANZISIC code inaccuracies where they exist, as well as being used to help identify the underlying factors causing the data inaccuracies to arise.

The late updates identified by the Auditors were predominately a result of correcting data inaccuracies identified via the abovementioned reporting, or a result of the delays in paperwork affecting new connections and meter changes.

As the root cause of the data inaccuracies are identified, we are actively working to implement further training and or process changes to assist with decreasing the opportunity for the loading of incorrect late ANZSIC codes updates to the Registry from arising.

CTCS

Late updates cannot be corrected. Simply Energy continues to review the ANZSIC codes of ICPs that switch in from other traders to get them as accurate as possible, which includes periodic reviews of all ICPs. Sometimes this will mean an ANZSIC code is updated weeks after switching an ICP where the business believes the coding can be improved - as discussed with the auditor, Simply Energy are prioritizing accuracy over timeliness.

Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will completion date

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N/A

Ongoing

We continue to work with our field service providers to ensure complete and accurate paperwork is retuned in a timely

manner. Regular training is provided to the agents, and we are exploring potential changes within the system to ensure more robust controls are in place to restrict ToU meter new connections being accepted or raised by under CTCT.		
We will continue to assess an enhance our processes, discrepancy reports, documentation, etc on a regular basis to ensure they are fit for purpose.		
<u>ctcs</u>	<u>CTCS</u>	
Simply Energy have identified more resource is needed in this space and as a result, are proactively training another member of the team to assist in this space which will ensure better data quality - Operations Team Lead is also acting as Quality Control	01/09/2023	
Monthly reports are sent to Operations where the ANZSIC code requires further investigation for existing ICP's - the Operations Team works closely with the Customer Care Team to provide the correct codes and the Registry is updated as soon as an improved code is confirmed.	Ongoing	

ANZSIC Codes	
Non-compliance	Description
Audit Ref: 3.6	стст
With: Clause 9 (1(k) of Schedule 11.1	Six (6%) of the 100 ICPs sampled had an incorrect ANZSIC code applied and were corrected during the audit.
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	Three (10%) of the 30 ICPs sampled had an incorrect ANZSIC code applied and were corrected during the audit.
	Potential impact: Low
	Actual impact: Low
	Audit history: Multiple times
From: 01-Oct-20	Controls: Moderate
To: 02-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating
Low	The controls are rated as moderate overall but there is room for improvement. The audit risk rating is low because there is no impact on settlement outcomes and a low impact on the Electricity Authority's reporting accuracy.

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
<u>стст</u>	<u>стст</u>	Cleared
Contact has monthly reporting in place to identify ICPs with an incorrect ANZSIC code applied in the Registry. This reporting is utilised to identify and correct ANZISIC code inaccuracies where they exist, as well as being used to help identify the underlying factors causing the data inaccuracies to arise.	Ongoing	
As the root cause of the data inaccuracies are identified, we are actively working to implement further training and or process changes to assist with decreasing the opportunity for the loading of incorrect or late ANZSIC code updates to the Registry from arising.		
<u>ctcs</u>	CTCC	
30 ICPs sampled had an incorrect ANZSIC code applied and were corrected during the audit.	26/05/2023	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
<u>CTCS</u>	<u>CTCS</u>	
Simply Energy's project to improve the accuracy of ANZSIC codes is ongoing. There are regular monthly checks of any new ICP on the "Residential" or "Unknown" ANZSIC codes and in addition, the team are going through all ICPs in order of ANZSIC codes, to assess if the code seems appropriate based on the business name and contacting the customer to confirm if not. This process is currently up to ANZSIC C130 so it will take time to check every ICP Simply Energy are the responsible Trader for and the business accepts that there may be some inaccuracies in the meanwhile as they work towards completion of this review.	Ongoing	

Changes to unmetered load		
Non-compliance	Description	
Audit Ref: 3.7 With: Clause 9(1)(f) of Schedule 11.1	CTCT 0000040854NT2F4 had incorrect daily unmetered kWh recorded and was updated on the registry and in SAP during the audit. Due to a calculation error the load was	
	recorded as 0.62 kWh per day instead of 6.187 kWh per day. 0000254425HB5DE had incorrect daily kWh recorded and has been corrected in SAP but not on the registry. Ballast was not included in the original calculation of 1.32 kWh per day which has now been corrected to 1.51 kWh per day.	

0000018605WEC0F had incorrect daily kWh recorded and is to be corrected in SAP and on the registry. The original calculation of 0.302 did not include the full wattage that CTCT and the distributor believe is connected to the ICP (0.529 kWh per day for 184W connected 11.5 hours per day across four ICPs).

0000553257NR3D0 is recorded with 1.2 kWh daily unmetered kWh and 0.00;0.00;SecurityGate. It is expected to be recorded with 0.02 kWh per day and 0.2kW;0.10;SecurityGate.

0007680774HB8DE's trader update for 1 November 2014 on 14 September 2022 contained an incorrect daily unmetered kWh. Daily unmetered kWh should be 2.989 but was updated to 3.000 in error.

ICP 0000513944CEF86 is an unmetered weather station which switched in on 1 January 2023. CTCT has investigated the load with the network and customer who have confirmed that the ICP was livened with 480W connected 24 hours, equivalent to 11.52 kWh per day or 4,205 kWh per annum. The network has updated their unmetered load details on the registry, and CTCT intends to update their trader unmetered load details in SAP and the registry and provide revised submission data.

Potential impact: Low Actual impact: Low

Audit history: Multiple times

Controls: Moderate
Breach risk rating: 2

From: 05-Mar-18

To: 31-May-23

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Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating
Low	The controls are currently rated as moderate, as there are good validation processes in place to detect and resolve unmetered load errors. A small number of errors were identified during the audit analysis of all ICPs with unmetered load. The audit risk rating is low because the impact on settlement is minor based on the kWh differences described above.

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст	стст	Identified
Corrections have been made to all the ICPs identified during the audit process.		
Contact has been continuously improving this process since the last audit and will be reviewing the manual calculation process to reduce agent errors.	Ongoing	
We are working with our SAP technical team to create a new exception in the system to identify where UNM load details are removed in registry to resolve them in timely manner.		
New reporting has also been put in place and more users have been trained to resolve UNM exceptions.		

Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date
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We are reviewing the calculation process to further reduce operator errors. Our SAP team is investigating opportunities to trigger a notification within SAP when UNM is removed in the Registry.	Ongoing

Management of "active" status			
Non-compliance		Description	
Audit Ref: 3.8	стст		
With: Clause 17 Schedule 11.1	ICP 0395721083LCCAF was reconnected during the previous trader's period of supply because the correct reconnection date was not provided to the MEP when requesting the reconnection.		
	Three reconnections had incorrect st the audit.	atus event dates	which were corrected during
	One reconnection was processed for audit.	the wrong ICP a	and was corrected during the
	13 of a sample of 49 new ICPs checked corrected during the audit.	d had incorrect ac	tive status dates, and one was
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	One new ICP had an incorrect active sthe audit.	status date record	ded and was corrected during
	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 24-Dec-21	Controls: Moderate		
To: 13-Dec-22	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	The controls are rated as moderate, because most information is accurate but there is some room for improvement.		
	The audit risk rating is low because the number of ICPs affected overall is small. Late or inaccurate changes to "active" can result in delays in providing submission information and billing the customer, and incorrect "active" dates can have an impact on submission data.		
Actions take	en to resolve the issue	Completion	Remedial action status
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Contact is working through to resolve the data inaccuracies of dentified during the audit.			

ICP 0395721083LCCAF was reconnected earlier than Contact's switch date due to a human error. We are in the process of providing refresher training to our operators to ensure correct dates are applied on the reconnection jobs. We will continue to work with our field service providers to ensure accurate paperwork is returned in a timely manner to further reduce the opportunity for this non-compliance to arise in the future.	
CTCS The issue has been cleared.	CTCS 26/05/2023
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date
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Management of "inactive" status		
Non-compliance	Description	
Audit Ref: 3.9	стст	
With: Clause 19 of schedule 11.1	ICP 0007118113RN739 inactive consumption was confirmed as being genuine however this has not been resolved so this volume (5,082 kWh) is missing from the submission process.	
	66 ICPs the inactive consumption was confirmed as being genuine however corrupt settlement unit assignments are preventing these ICPs from being included in submission totalling 29,112 kWh.	
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	One inactive status update had an incorrect status reason applied and was corrected prior to the audit.	
	One inactive status update had an incorrect event date applied and was corrected during the audit.	
	Potential impact: Medium	

	Actual impact: Medium		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 25-Jul-22	Controls: Moderate		
To: 11-Feb-23	Breach risk rating: 4		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		
Medium	Controls are rated as moderate overall. Most disconnection information checked was processed accurately, but there is room for improvement around the monitoring and management of settlement unit assignments. The number of ICPs affected and inactive consumption volume is medium, therefore the audit risk rating is medium.		
Actions tak	en to resolve the issue	Completion	Remedial action status
		date	

the audit risk rating is medium.		
Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
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<u>0007118113RN739</u>		
Contact is in the process of making the required corrections within SAP so genuine volume is correctly submitted.	30/11/2023	
Incorrect Settlement Unit Assignments		
We are raising a system defect to identify why SAP system auto- triggers do not successfully update the Settlement Unit from E_DISC_INA to E_NH or E_HHE when reconnections are completed in SAP/Registry. This will identify whether a system or BAU processing issue is the root cause.	30/09/2023	
We are looking at opportunities to establish monthly reporting to identify discrepancies between SAP Settlement Unit and Registry Active/Inactive statuses.	30/09/2023	
This includes completing a one-off reconciliation of existing exceptions, ensuring all are resolved and consumption successfully submitted going forward.		
CTCS Issue has been cleared.	<u>ctcs</u>	
	26/05/2023	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
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A will provide a refresher of the process with respective teams to ensure all areas understand the correct actions and flow on effects going forward.	22/06/2023	
<u>Inactive Consumption Report</u>		
Contact will review where the responsibility to manage ICP exceptions via SAP Report ZIN_EXT_SETTL_OPERAT best sits to ensure that in conjunction with the SAP BPEMS being monitored and worked, that all exceptions are identified and resolved by the appropriate teams in a timely manner.		
	<u>CTCS</u>	
<u>ctcs</u>		
Simply Energy have identified more resource is needed in this space and as a result, are proactively training another member of the team to assist in this space which will ensure better data quality - Operations Team Lead is also acting as Quality Control.	01/09/2023	
A task has been added to the regular monthly compliance	Ongoing	
schedule to ensure all inactive ICPs are reviewed to ensure there is no consumption. ICPs inactive will still remain on Meter Reader Schedules.		

Losing trader must provide final information - standard switch		
Non-compliance	Description	
Audit Ref: 4.3	стст	
With: Clause 5 Schedule	Three CS breaches.	
11.3	Three E2 breaches.	
	Four CS files had an average daily kWh of zero incorrectly recorded which was created prior to a system fix to ensure average daily kWh was correctly calculated.	
	Potential impact: Medium	
	Actual impact: Low	
	Audit history: Multiple times	
From: 03-Jun-22	Controls: Strong	
To: 15-Nov-22	Breach risk rating: 1	
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating	
Low	The controls are strong. The accuracy of CS content has improved, and a small number of late files were issued. No errors or late files were identified after November 2022.	
	The impact is low. The average daily consumption value only has an impact if the gaining retailer uses it to create forward estimate where actual readings are not available, and there were a small number of late files.	

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст	March 2023	Identified
CS & E2 breaches.		
Contact has implemented a process change last year and since then no related non-compliances are noted. We are regularly providing refresher training to the agents to ensure adherence to the new process.		
Four CS files had an average daily kWh of zero incorrectly recorded which was created prior to a system fix to ensure average daily kWh was correctly calculated.		
The system change was deployed in March 2023 and has been validated to ensure working correctly, no further instance of this non-compliance has been noted after the system fix.		
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will	Completion	
occur	date	
стст	March 2023	
Contact has implemented a process change and deployed system fix, no further occurrence of these issues is noted since then.		

Retailers must use same reading - standard switch			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 4.4	стст		
With: Clause 6(1) and 6A	Four RR breaches.		
Schedule 11.3	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 08-Dec-22	Controls: Strong		
To: 25-Jan-23	Breach risk rating: 1		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		
Low	The controls are rated as strong and v	will mitigate risk t	o an acceptable level.
	The impact assessed to be low because the RRs were completed with sufficient time for revised submission information to be provided.		
Actions taken to resolve the issue Completion Remedial action state			Remedial action status
стст		стст	Identified
Contact has robust process in place for RRs. Ongoing			

Contact was attempting to acquire two validated reads to start the RR process, but it was delayed due to access issues to the meters. RRs were sent as soon as practicable once two validated reads were obtained. We believe our current processes are effective to reduce the number of late RR's but access issues at times can impact it overall.		
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
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Please refer to actions taken to resolve field.	Ongoing	

Gaining trader informs registry of switch request - switch move			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 4.7	стст		
With: Clause 9 of Schedule 11.3	Three of a sample of 15 switch move ICPs should technically have been requested as transfer switches. Switch move was applied to ensure the correct event date was used.		
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	Two of the sample of ten switch move ICPs should technically have been requested as transfer switches. Switch move was applied to ensure the correct event date was used.		
	Potential impact: None		
	Actual impact: None		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 10-Oct-22	Controls: Strong		
To: 17-Jan-23	Breach risk rating: 1		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		
Low	The controls are rated as strong and r	nitigate risk to an	acceptable level.
	The impact is assessed to be low as this would have a greater customer and reconciliation impact if a switch move was not issued in these situations.		
Actions take	Actions taken to resolve the issue Completion Remedial action s		Remedial action status
стст		стст	Identified
Contact has strong controls and robust processes in place to assign the correct switch types. MI switch was assigned to align the switch date with contract end date (with alternate retailer)		Ongoing	
or to correct the switch event date (after withdrawal process). These changes to switch event dates are not possible to achieve			

with current settings of TR switch. This limitation with the Transfer switch has been raised with Electricity Authority through the Switch process review via Switching Technical Group.	
CTCS These historic issues cannot be corrected.	CTCS N/A
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date
CTCT This limitation with the Transfer switch has been raised with	CTCT Ongoing
Electricity Authority through the Switch process review via Switching Technical Group.	

Losing trader provides information - switch move		
Non-compliance	Description	
Audit Ref: 4.8	стст	
With: Clause 10(1) Schedule 11.3	Two ET breaches. The switches were later withdrawn so the incorrect dates had no impact.	
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	One AN contained an incorrect proposed event date. The switch was later withdrawn so the incorrect date had no impact.	
	Potential impact: Low	
	Actual impact: Low	
	Audit history: Twice previously	
From: 15-Jul-22	Controls: Strong	
To: 15-Jul-22	Breach risk rating: 1	
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating	
Low	The controls are recorded as strong as they will mitigate risk to an acceptable level. The issue relating to application of incorrect event dates under certain	

circumstances which is causing ET breaches is currently with the ICT team for resolution.

The audit risk rating is low because the impact on settlement and participants is minor. The affected switches were withdrawn.

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
СТСТ	стст	Investigating
We are working with our ICT team to improve our system logic. This issue only happens in certain circumstances and a system change will resolve it.	Nov 2023	
<u>ctcs</u>	<u>CTCS</u>	
These historic issues cannot be corrected.	NA	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
стст	стст	
Contact's SAP technical team are working to identify/develop a solution.	Nov 2023	
CTCS	<u>CTCS</u>	

Losing trader must provide final information - switch move		
Non-compliance	Description	
Audit Ref: 4.10	стст	
With: Clause 11 Schedule 11.3	One CS had an average daily kWh of zero incorrectly recorded in a CS file which was created prior to a system fix to ensure average daily kWh was correctly calculated.	
	Two switch move CS files had an incorrect last actual read date.	
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	One switch move CS file had an incorrect last actual read date.	
	Two switch move CS files had incorrect average daily kWh.	
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	Three switch move CS files had incorrect last actual read dates.	
	Three switch move CS files had their switch event read type recorded as estimated, but should have been actual.	
	One switch move CS file had incorrect average daily kWh.	
	Potential impact: Medium	

From: 11-Jul-22 To: 09-Feb-23	Actual impact: Low Audit history: Multiple times Controls: Strong Breach risk rating: 1		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		
Low	The controls are recorded as strong. The accuracy of CS content has improved, and a small number of late files were issued. For CTCS and CTCX no errors were identified after December 2022 and for CTCT no errors were identified after February 2023. The inaccurate file content has little to no impact on other participants and settlement:		
	 the last actual read date does not directly impact on settlement or other participants, 		
	 the average daily consumption value only has an impact if the gaining retailer uses it to create forward estimate where actual readings are not available, and 		
	 the incorrect switch event read type does not impact on RRs for switch moves and does not impact on reconciliation as all switch event reads are treated as permanent by the reconciliation process. 		

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст	стст	Identified
One CS had an average daily kWh of zero incorrectly recorded in a CS file which was created prior to a system fix to ensure average daily kWh was correctly calculated.	September 2023	
A system change was deployed in March 2023 and has been validated to ensure it is working correctly; no further instance of this non-compliance has been noted since the system fix was implemented.		
Two switch move CS files had an incorrect last actual read date.		
Our ICT team is investigating this issue to identify a solution. We are expecting this to be resolved by September 2023.		
CTCS & CTCX	CTCS & CTCX	
These historic issues cannot be corrected.	N/A	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
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Please refer to the actions taken to resolve this field.	September 2023	

CTCS & CTCX	CTCS & CTCX
Simply Energy immediately implemented a QA process on 01/11/2022, where a backup team member checks that the data is correct then gives the final approval. This process will be automated in Phase 2 of the Switching Automation currently scheduled for Quarter 3 of 2023.	31/12/2023

Gaining trader changes to switch meter reading - switch move				
Non-compliance	Description			
Audit Ref: 4.11	стст			
With: Clause 12 of	24 late RR breaches for switch moves			
Schedule 11.3	стсѕ			
	Two RR breaches for switch moves.			
	Potential impact: Low			
	Actual impact: Low			
From: 01-Dec-21	Audit history: Multiple times			
To: 22-May-22	Controls: Strong			
	Breach risk rating: 1	_		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng	
Low	The controls are rated as strong and will mitigate risk to an acceptable level.		o an acceptable level.	
	The impact assessed to be low because the RRs were completed with sufficient time for revised submission information to be provided.			
Actions taken to resolve the issue		Completion date	Remedial action status	
стст		стст	Identified	
Contact has robust process in place for RRs. Contact was attempting to acquire two validated reads to start the RR process, but it was delayed due to access issues to the meters. RRs were sent as soon as practicable once two validated reads were obtained. We believe our current processes are effective to reduce the number of late RR's but access issues at times can impact it overall.		Ongoing		
CTCS		<u>CTCS</u>		
These historic issues cannot be corrected.		NA		
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Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur

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Please refer to the actions taken to resolve field.	Ongoing	
As recently as 24/02/2023, Simply Energy had implemented a change in Salesforce where users can request special reads from Wells for this purpose. Where there is only one actual read, Simply Energy now requests a special read to ensure there are at least two actual reads before requesting a read amendment. Typically, Simply Energy would request the read history from the alternative retailer if there was only one read in place, however, the business now has the convenience of requesting special reads where applicable.	<u>CTCS</u> 24/02/2023	

Withdrawal of switch requests		
Non-compliance	Description	
Audit Ref: 4.15	стст	
With: Clauses 17 and 18	34 SR breaches.	
Schedule 11.3	133 NA breaches.	
	Six AW breaches.	
	Seven of a sample of 21 NWs did not have the code with the best fit applied.	
	NW-1097618 for ICP 0007707965TUFF0 was sent in error due to a misunderstanding, the staff member should have issued an RR instead.	
	One incoming NW was rejected in error and was accepted on reissue.	
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	One NW was issued in error and rejected by the other trader because the wrong ICP was selected.	
	Three NA breaches.	
	Potential impact: Low	
	Actual impact: Low	
	Audit history: Multiple times	
From: 08-Nov-22	Controls: Moderate	
To: 19-Jan-23	Breach risk rating: 2	
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating	
Low	The controls are moderate overall.	
	 The sample of NWs assessed for accuracy focussed on rejected NWs, which were more likely to be incorrect, but there is room for improvement. The AW breaches were caused by an isolated system communications issue and were not caused by any issues with the switching process itself. The NW breaches were caused by delays in receiving information to confirm that the withdrawal was required. 	

The audit risk rating is low because impact on settlement and participants is minor. Revised reconciliation data will be provided through the revision process.

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
CTCT	<u>CTCT</u>	Identified
SR & NA breaches.	Ongoing	
Late withdrawals often involve complex investigations for meter mix-ups, back dated switches, and can require site visits to confirm correct ICPs which delays the overall NW process.		
Contact is regularly reviewing this process to make improvements.		
NW Code breaches		
NW-1097618 for ICP 0007707965TUFF0 was sent in error due to a misunderstanding, the staff member should have issued an RR instead.		
NW sent in error		
Contact is regularly providing refresher training to the operators to ensure accurate NW code is applied in all instances and correct switching process is used to resolve the issues.		
We have provided more clarity on DF code to the agents which will reduce the re-occurrence of these non-compliances.		
AW breaches.		
All the late AW files were for one day from last year, and they were impacted due to system communication issue. Files were cleared the next day, and more controls have been put in place to stop the re-occurrence.		
<u>ctcs</u>		
These historic issues cannot be corrected.	NA NA	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
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The controls have been made more stringent to avoid the late AWs and further training has been provided to the operators to apply the correct NW code.	Ongoing	
CTCS	CTCS	

A QA process was implemented immediately on 26/05/2023,	26/05/2023	
where a backup staff member checks that the data is correct		
then gives the final approval.		

Maintaining shared unmetered load			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 5.1 With: Clause 11.4 From: 01-Dec-22	CTCT 0000018605WEC0F had incorrect dai and on the registry. The original calcuthat CTCT and the distributor believe 184W connected 11.5 hours per day a Potential impact: Low Actual impact: Low Audit history: Once Controls: Moderate	ulation of 0.302 d is connected to t	id not include the full wattage
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	The controls are currently rated as moderate, as there are good validation processes in place to detect and resolve unmetered load errors. A small number of errors were identified during the audit analysis of all ICPs with unmetered load. The audit risk rating is low because the impact on settlement is minor based on the kWh differences described above.		
Actions taken to resolve the issue		Completion date	Remedial action status
Contact has been continuo last audit and will be review to reduce agent errors. We are working with our Sourception in the system to removed in registry to resource.	for the ICP 0000018605WECOF. usly improving this process since the wing the manual calculation process AP technical team to create a new identify where UNM load details are alive them in timely manner. en put in place and more users have M exceptions.	CTCT Ongoing	Identified
Preventative actions tak	en to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
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Re	eviewing the calculation process to reduce operator errors.	Ongoing
Co	ontact SAP team is investigating to develop a solution to	
tri	gger a notification in the system when UNM is removed in	
re	gistry.	

Distributed unmetered load			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 5.4	CTCT and CTCS		
With: Clause 11 of schedule 15.3	The monthly database extracts used to derive submission from are provided as a snapshot and do not track changes at a daily basis as required by the code.		
	Inaccurate submission information for six of the databases managed.		
	Potential impact: High		
	Actual impact: High		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 6		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
High	The controls in place mitigate risk most of the time, therefore the control rating is moderate.		
	There is a major impact on settlement outcomes because there are examples of over submission and under submission; therefore, the audit risk rating is high.		
Actions taken to resolve the issue Completion Remedial action status date			Remedial action status
стст		стст	Identified
We do not currently suppl	y DUML sites.	N/A	
CTCS		<u>CTCS</u>	
Discrepancies found in audits are discussed with clients promptly and work plans created to resolve discrepancies.		Ongoing	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur		Completion date	
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N/A		N/A	
CTCS		<u>CTCS</u>	

Simply Energy continues to work with clients to improve the	Ongoing
accuracy of their databases and reporting that will flow through	
into improved submission accuracy. This includes transitioning	
to the new dimming profile(s) where appropriate, which is the	
most material issue affecting submission.	

Electricity conveyed & notification by embedded generators			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 6.1	стст		
With: Clause 10.13	ICP 0000048742HR7FB has RPS PV1 profile recorded, but no generation is present, and it should have RPS profile recorded on the registry. The correct profile is applied for submission.		
	Two other ICPs had profiles indicating generation was present and were cor		<u> </u>
	Distributed generation ICPs 0419595 generation metering installed and ha		
	The metering for ICP 1001157629CK6	17 is not fit for p	urpose.
	While meters were bridged, energy w code for 206 ICPs.	as not metered a	nd quantified according to the
	стсѕ		
	Notice of gifting of generation for HHR ICPs 0005093997HBEBB and 0006804209RN6C3 was provided to the RM on 8 May 2023. Both ICPs have been supplied since 1 April 2022 but were not identified earlier because there was no specific check for generation metering for HHR ICPs.		
	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 01-Apr-22	Controls: Moderate		
To: 08-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		
Low	Controls are rated as moderate as they are sufficient to reduce the risk most of the time.		
	The audit risk rating is low. Bridging only occurs where a soft reconnection cannot be performed after hours, and the customer urgently requires their energy supply for health and safety reasons.		
Actions tak	completion Remedial action status date		
стст		стст	Identified
		Ongoing	

Contact is in the process of investigating and correcting the SAP and Registry data for the ICPs identified by Veritek as being non-compliant. CTCS	CTCS 08/05/2023	
This was actioned on 8 May 2023.		
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
стст	<u>стст</u>	
We will be investigating into opportunities to enhance our existing reporting and/or create additional reporting so we can identify and correct ICPs in these scenarios.	Ongoing	
<u>CTCS</u>	стсѕ	
New reporting has been created to detect any further ICPs and	<u> </u>	
the first report was run in May 2023. This report will then be monitored actioned every 3 months as part of the Business Day Compliance schedule.	19/06/2023	

Responsibility for metering at GIP			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 6.2	стст		
With: 5 of Schedule 15.2	The certification date for WHI2201CTCTG was not updated within 10 business days of the NSP being certified.		
	Actual impact: Low		
From: 07-Oct-22	Audit history: None Controls: Moderate		
To: 27-Nov-22	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		
Low	Controls are rated as moderate for the updating of GIPs meter recertifications. The audit risk rating is low as the meters were certified at all times and there was no impact on reconciliation.		

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
CTCT Noted and will advise AccuCal of the requirement.	CTCT ASAP	Identified
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur		
CTCT Contacts Energy Rec team will maintain a register of Certification Dates and will remind AccuCal of the requirement.	CTCT ASAP	

Derivation of meter readings			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 6.6	стст		
With: Clauses 3(1), 3(2) and 5 Schedule 15.2	Meter condition information is not consistently investigated to identify issues with seals, tampering, phase failure or safety.		
	Potential impact: Medium		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Twice previously		
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		
Low	The controls are recorded as moderate because they are likely to mitigate risk most of the time. The inconsistency in investigating meter condition events appears to be due to lack of training relating to a small number of users.		
	The impact on settlement and participants is minor; therefore, the audit risk rating is low.		
Actions taker	ctions taken to resolve the issue Completion Remedial action status date		
стст		стст	Identified
Contact identifies issues with seals, tampering, phase failure, etc through BPEMs (Business Process Exception Monitoring) which are automatically generated within our SAP environment.		Ongoing	
impacted the consistency of	nowledge shortfalls exist that have investigating and accuracy of formation. Please refer to the		

preventative actions field below to see how we intend to improve within this space.	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date
стст	стст
We are in the process of creating a process documentation that will assist our teams with consistently identifying the correct method for resolving meter condition issues raised via BPEMs. In addition, we will be organising training sessions and on-going refreshers to ensure we retain a high level of knowledge in this space.	Ongoing

	NHH meter reading application			
Non-compliance	-compliance Description			
Audit Ref: 6.7	стст			
With: Clause 6 Schedule 15.2	For two ICPs (0000005122DEF1D, 0000024655DE0E5) no actual meter read, or permanent estimate read was applied for the profile code event date.			
	Potential impact: Low			
	Actual impact: Low			
	Audit history: Multiple times			
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate			
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2			
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating			
Low	The controls are recorded as moderate overall.			
	The audit risk rating is assessed to be low based on the impact on settlement aggregation.			
Actions taken to resolve the issue Completion date		Remedial action status		
стст		стст	Identified	
no longer reflect a profile of	ement data have been corrected to change, resulting in actual meter read ad no longer being required.	26/06/2023		
Preventative actions tal	ken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date		
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profiles were created. Onc	rther into how the incorrect NHH e the cause has been identified we potential fixes which would for these to arise in the future, as well	Ongoing		

as additional reporting to identify these scenarios at the earliest	
convenience so corrections can be made.	

	Interrogate meters or	nce		
Non-compliance	С	escription		
Audit Ref: 6.8	стст			
With: Clause 7(1) and (2) Schedule 15.2	For three ICPs unread during the period of supply, exceptional circumstances did not exist, and the best endeavours requirement was not met.			
	The meter read compliance process begins after 130 days with no readings so it is unlikely compliance will be achieved where the period of supply is less than this.			
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	For at least eight ICPs unread during t did not exist, and the best endeavour			
	The meter read compliance process begins after three months with no readings so it is unlikely compliance will be achieved where the period of supply is less than 90 days.			
	Potential impact: Low			
	Actual impact: Low			
	Audit history: Multiple times			
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate			
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2			
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng	
Low	Controls are rated as moderate as there are meter read compliance processes in place however these do not trigger until 130 and 90 days respectively.			
	The impact on settlement and partic audit risk rating is low.	cipants is expecte	d to be minor therefore, the	
Actions tak	en to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status	
стст		стст	Identified	
supply where exceptional of best endeavours requirement and with our meter read set did exist to obtain a read, a possible improvements we endeavours requirement is	ee ICPs unread during their period of circumstances did not exist, and the ent was not met, to explore internally ervice provider whether opportunities and where not, we will explore what could take to ensure the best met moving forward. Cative actions field for process ently working on with our meter read	Ongoing		
service provider.				

We would also like to acknowledge, where period of supply is short (e.g. less than 20 days), this could potentially result in the ICP not being added to a meter read cycle in time or the meter not being read, making achieving this compliance obligation highly unlikely. We do have some improvements to this space in mind, however, we would also be open to hearing recommendations from Veritek and the EA which may cater to these cases.		
	<u>CTCS</u>	
CTCS	30/09/2023	
The unread meter process has been improved with implementation from the 1st July and fully embedded by 30 Sep. The process is a monthly unread meter >3 months tracked and sent to Key & Account Leads for follow up contact. Any unread meters continuing to appear across multiple months will be linked with different contact methods up to 3 months. Account leads and Key account leads have now been refreshed on the requirements to contact the customer 3 times using two forms of communication (Phone and Email).		
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will	Completion	
occur	date	
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Contact are currently in discussions with our Meter Reading service provider around the opportunities of implementing an SMS message service which would be sent to customers just prior to their scheduled meter read date. This new 'near real time' communication should help provide better access to meters and improve our ability to meet the best endeavours requirement moving forward.	Ongoing	
We will continue to explore further enhancements internally and with our meter read service provider as opportunities arise.		
	<u>CTCS</u>	
and with our meter read service provider as opportunities arise.	CTCS Ongoing	
and with our meter read service provider as opportunities arise. CTCS Monthly reports are received from Wells on non meter reads > 3months and actioned by the Key and Account Leads Team. Additional information is being added to this report to show ongoing non reads so contact will then be made each month up		

NHH meters interrogated annually			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 6.9	стсѕ		
With: clause 8(1) and (2) Schedule 15.2.	For eight of a sample of 20 ICPs unread in the 12 months ending 31 March 2022, exceptional circumstances did not exist, and the best endeavours requirement was not met.		
	Potential impact: Medium		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Twice		
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	Controls are rated as moderate as they have improved during the audit period, and all unread ICPs are now reviewed monthly, and contact with the customer or MEP is initiated. The impact on settlement and participants is expected to be minor; therefore, the		
audit risk rating is low.			
Actions taken to resolve the issue		Completion date	Remedial action status
CTCS		<u>CTCS</u>	Identified
The unread meter process has been improved with implementation from the 1st July and fully embedded by 30 Sep. The process is a monthly unread meter >3 months tracked and sent to Key & Account Leads for follow up contact. Any unread meters continuing to appear across multiple months will be linked with different contact methods for up to 3 months. Account leads and Key account leads have now been refreshed on the requirements to contact the customer 3 times using two forms of communication (Phone and Email).		30/09/2023	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur		Completion date	

<u>ctcs</u>	<u>CTCS</u>	
Monthly reports are received from Wells on non meter reads > 3months and actioned by the Key and Account Leads Team. Additional information is being added to this report to show ongoing non reads so contact will then be made each month up to 3 months in a row.	Ongoing	
There are further reports in Salesforce that highlight unread meters as second verification.		
The way the customer is contacted will be linked to each month of non read to ensure multiple different ways to contact the customer are used.		
Simply Energy can also now raise a "Special meter read" to Wells to action outside the normal read cycles. This will speed up the process of being able to send a meter reader back to a site to gain an actual read when additional access information is received from a customer.		
Simply Energy is also investigating the ability to automatically generate emails to the customer from salesforces for the first contact when they have been identified on the non read report.		

NHH meters 90% read rate		
Non-compliance	Description	
Audit Ref: 6.10	стст	
With: Clause 9(1) and (2) Schedule 15.2	For one ICP unread in the four months ending 31 March 2022, exceptional circumstances did not exist, and the best endeavours requirement was not met.	
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	For five ICPs unread in the four months ending 31 March 2022, exceptional circumstances did not exist, and the best endeavours requirement was not met.	
	Potential impact: Low	
	Actual impact: Low	
	Audit history: Twice	
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate	
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2	
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating	
Low	Controls are rated as moderate as they have further improved during the audit period.	
	For CTCS all ICPs unread for more than three months are reviewed monthly, and contact with the customer or MEP is initiated.	
	The impact on settlement and participants is expected to be minor; therefore, the audit risk rating is low.	

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст	стст	Identified
We will be utilising the ICP unread in the four months ending 31 March 2022 where exceptional circumstances did not exist, and the best endeavours requirement was not met, to explore internally and with our meter read service provider whether opportunities did exist to obtain a read, and where not, we will explore what improvements we to the ensure best endeavours requirement is met moving forward.	Ongoing	
Please refer to the preventative actions field for process improvements we are currently working on with our meter read service provider.		
<u>CTCS</u>	CTCS	
The unread meter process has been improved with implementation from the 1st July and fully embedded by 30 Sep. The process is a monthly unread meter >3 months tracked and sent to Key & Account Leads for follow up contact. Any unread meters continuing to appear across multiple months will be linked with different contact methods up to 3 months. Account leads and Key account leads have now been refreshed on the requirements to contact the customer 3 times using two forms of communication (Phone and Email).	30/09/2023	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
стст	стст	
Contact are currently in discussions with our Meter Reading service provider around the opportunities of implementing an SMS message service which would be sent to customers just prior to their scheduled meter read date. This new 'near real time' communication should help provide better access to meters and improve our ability to meet the best endeavours requirement.	Ongoing	
We will continue to explore further enhancements internally and with our meter read service providers as opportunities arise.		
стсѕ	<u>CTCS</u>	
Monthly reports are received from Wells on non meter reads > 3months and actioned by the Key and Account Leads Team. Additional information is being added to this report to show	Ongoing	

ongoing non reads so contact will then be made each month up to 3 months in a row.

There are further reports in Salesforce that highlight unread meters as second verification.

The way the customer is contacted will be linked to each month of non read to ensure multiple different ways to contact the customer are used.

Simply Energy can also now raise a "Special meter read" to Wells to action outside the normal read cycles. This will speed up the process of being able to send a meter reader back to a site to gain an actual read when additional access information is received from a customer.

Simply Energy is also investigating the ability to automatically generate emails to the customer from salesforces for the first contact when they have been identified on the non read report.

Identification of readings			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 9.1	стсѕ		
With: Clause 3(3)	Three switch move ICPs had incorrect	ly labelled switch	event meter readings.
Schedule 15.2	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 11-Jul-22	Controls: Strong		
To: 11-Jul-22	Breach risk rating: 1		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	The controls are recorded as strong because a small number of exceptions were identified, and no exceptions were identified after July 2022.		
	The impact on settlement and participants is low. Applying the read type "E" does not impact on other traders' ability to issue read renegotiation requests under clause 6(2) and (3) Schedule 11.3, and the read values were correct so there is no impact on settlement or the customer.		
Actions taken to resolve the issue Co		Completion date	Remedial action status
<u>CTCS</u>		CTCS	Identified
This historic issue cannot be corrected.		NA	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur		Completion date	
стсѕ		CTCS	

Meter data used to derive volume information			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 9.3	стст		
With: Clause 3(5) of schedule 15.2	Raw meter data is truncated upon upload into SAP meter read table and not when volume information is created.		
	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
	Controls: Weak		
From: 01-Jun-22 To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 3		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	стст		
	The controls are considered weak, because all NHH meter information is rounded before it is entered into SAP meter readings table where reconciliation submissions are calculated from.		
	The audit risk rating is low, because only NHH meter readings provided with decimal places are affected		
Actions taken to resolve the issue		Completion date	Remedial action status
стст		стст	Identified
We are exploring what options we have to remedy this in our system.		Ongoing	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur		Completion date	
стст		стст	
Please refer to actions take	en to resolve this.	N/A	

Half hour estimates			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 9.4	стст		
With: Clause 15 Schedule 15.2	Reasonable endeavours to ensure CTCT has provided it's best estimate of consumption volume not met for a sample of six "active" long term non-communicating AMI metered ICPs where estimations are provided for more than 1,000 days and the estimates are not aligned with received meter reads from manual meter reading.		
	Interval data consumption not correctly estimated for AMI meter changes to ensur the interval data matches the consumption calculated between meter reads.		
	Potential impact: Medium		
	Actual impact: Low		
From: 01-Jun-22	Audit history: None		
To: 31-May-23	Controls: Moderate		
•	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	The controls are moderate, estimates are created by IMDM however by not comparing the estimated consumption with received manual meter readings or addressing the communication issue there is risk of consumption relating to these ICPs not being accounted for in the reconciliation process. The impact is assessed to be low due to the small number of HHR meter changes. The impact of the extended estimation of non-communicating AMI metered HHR ICPs is unknown.		
Actions taken to resolve the issue		Completion date	Remedial action status
CTCT Contact is working with our system provider to investigate and improve the estimation process for interval data in meter		CTCT Ongoing	Investigating
	working with our interval data by of AMI data is delivered to reduce ssue.		
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur		Completion date	
стст		стст	
	investigating to develop a solution to as, and consistently collaborating with ensure AMI data is	Ongoing	

captured/delivered for part day meter removal/install		
scenarios.		

Electronic meter readings and estimated readings		
Non-compliance	Description	
Audit Ref: 9.6	стст	
With: Clause 17(4)(f)&(g)	Full AMI meter event logs provided by MEPs are not routinely reviewed.	
of schedule 15.2	78 (ARC AMI MEP) HHR submitted ICPs where the time correction exceeded 1,900 seconds and this time correction was then reverted at the next interrogation and no review of the raw meter data was conducted to determine if any corrections were required.	
	Volume correction not applied for ICP 0110003151EL984 due to a phase failure.	
	HHR AMI data incorrectly replaced by estimates due to inaccurate midnight reads used for sum-check validation.	
	A sample of six ICPs from a population of 984 where the submission type was HHR and where the MEPs maximum interrogation cycle expired. In all cases the ICPs remain "active" on the registry and continued to be flagged for HHR submission.	
	CTCS and CTCX	
	Full AMI meter event logs provided by MEPs are not routinely reviewed.	
	Potential impact: Medium	
	Actual impact: Medium	
	Audit history: Multiple times	
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Weak	
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 6	
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating	
Medium	The controls are recorded as weak due to:	
	 meter event information is only dealt with if the MEP sends additional correspondence and not all provided notifications of meter events requiring action, 	
	 time corrections are not reviewed for HHR submitted ICPs to determine if a data correction is required, and 	
	 the lack of monitoring of MEPs max interrogation cycle where ICPs are flagged as non-communicating and submitted as HHR. While CTCT has a process to transition ICPs from HHR to NHH submission, non- communicating ICPs fail to transition as there are no recent AMI midnight reads to apply for the change in submission type. 	
	The impact is assessed as medium overall:	
	 the impact of the lack of event log monitoring is low because any events requiring action identified by the MEPs and sent to Contact are reviewed and actioned, 	

- the assessed impact of the lack of HHR volume correction for ICP 0110003151EL984 was more than 10,000 kWh, and
- the impact of the number of ICPs outside the max interrogation cycle is unknown and these are metering installation category one ICPs in most cases.

Cases.		
Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст	стст	Identified
AMI event logs		
Despite us making steady improvements to our processes and systems (post last audit) to routinely review AMI event logs provided by MEPs, we acknowledge there is still knowledge gap which has resulted in the event logs not being monitored as routinely as they should.	Ongoing	
We will continue to review the AMI event logs as they are received.		
To ensure a continued improvement in this space we will also be investigating potential opportunities to further increase the knowledge of those reviewing the logs and potential enhancements to our process. Please refer to the preventative action field for further information on the improvements we are intending to make and/or investigate.		
Time Sync issues		
We are exploring what options we have to remedy this in our system.		
Volume correction not applied due to a phase failure.	Ongoing	
We are working to complete a volume correction.		
HHR AMI data incorrectly replaced by estimates due to inaccurate midnight reads used for sum-check validation.	ТВС	
We are actively engaging with meter owners to resolve this issue. Inaccurate midnight read issue is mostly occurring on a specific meter type and meter owner has an initiative in place to replace these meters in the field.		
Contact is also working with our service provider to improve existing reporting which will be utilized to get meter owners to prioritize update/replace the problematic meters.	Ongoing	

CTCS & CTCX	CTCS & CTCX
The Simply Energy Technology team are scheduled to build a Dashboard in the next two months so that the operational teams can start monitoring Event Logs.	31/08/2023
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date
CTCT AMI event logs	стст
We will be enhancing our documentation to ensure they are fit for purpose and provide the required information our staff need to review AMI event logs accurately and routinely.	Ongoing
We will also be investigating with the MEPs what opportunities there may be to standardise the formats for AMI event log files to provide consistency across all the MEPs we use, which entail would further simplify the reviewing and resolving of issues arising.	
HHR AMI data incorrectly replaced by estimates due to inaccurate midnight reads used for sum-check validation.	
Proactively working with meter owners to replace the meters in the field and developing better reporting in the system to get MEP to prioritize the replacement of meters.	Ongoing
CTCS & CTCX Once the Dashboard is completed the process around	CTCS & CTCX 31/10/2023
monitoring Event Logs will be created and become part of BAU.	31/10/2023

Calculation of ICP days			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 11.2	стст		
With: Clause 15.6	20 revision differences were caused by inaccurate ICP days submission data because incorrect settlement unit information was recorded in SAP. The errors were corrected by the time that the audit was complete.		
	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		ing
Low	The controls are rated as moderate overall. Workarounds are in place to identify and correct ICPs with missing or incorrect settlement units and submission types, but they are not always resolved prior to submission.		
	The impact is assessed to be low beca	ause corrected da	ta will be washed up.
Actions taken to resolve the issue		Completion date	Remedial action status
стст		стст	Identified
Incorrect Settlement Unit Assignments		30/11/2023	
system auto-triggers do r units in below areas whic	system defect to identify why SAP not successfully update the settlement hare all impacting ICP Days Accuracy y for both HHR and NHH Submission		
Disconr	nection/Reconnections.		
o Switch	Withdrawals.		

Incorrect Settlement Unit Assignments	30/11/2023	
Energy Rec team to raise system defect to identify why SAP system auto-triggers do not successfully update the settlement		
units in below areas which are all impacting ICP Days Accuracy		
between SAP and Registry for both HHR and NHH Submission		
Types:		
 Disconnection/Reconnections. 		
 Switch Withdrawals. 		
 Customer Move-Outs/Vacant Sites. 		
 Device Replacements. 		
 Un-Metered Load 		
 SAP Product Changes (TOU). 		
Energy Rec team performs a one-off reconciliation of existing		
exceptions, ensuring all are resolved and ICP Days accurately		
submitted going forward.		
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will	Completion	
occur	date	
<u>CTCT</u>	стст	
Energy Rec team to establish more robust exception reporting	30/09/2023	
ensuring exceptions are identified and provided to the	30/03/2023	
appropriate teams to correct in a timely manner.		
appropriate teams to correct in a timely manner.		

As part of preventative work, we will complete a review of resources required to manage identification and resolution of		
exceptions to ensure data inaccuracies are identified and resolved in a timely manner.		

HHR aggregates information provision to the reconciliation manager			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 11.4 With: Clause 15.8	стст		
With Clause 15.0	Four ICPs had changes to the NSP assignment on the registry where SAP had not reflected this change.		
	17 ICPs were where the ICP had trans registry however the settlement unit		* *
	Potential impact: Medium		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng
Low	The controls are moderate, as the ICP missing reports are reviewed every two months.		
	The impact is low, because the NSPs are within the same balancing area and revised submission information will be washed up and the additional ICP days scaling applied will be removed.		
Actions taken to resolve the issue Completion Remedial action s		Remedial action status	
стст		стст	Identified
All 4 NSP changes have bee	en corrected within SAP.	Ongoing	
For 3 out of the 4 NSP changes, data inaccuracies were a result of back dated NSP changes being loaded within the Registry, with two of those changes being backdated ten years.			
Due to system limitations, correcting a severely backdated NSP change in SAP requires us to reverse customers bills that post-date the NSP change. As this has a large impact to our customer, at no fault of their own, where there is no balancing area change as a result of the back dated NSP change, we tend to correct the NSP data moving forward.			

Our Energy Rec team is reviewing their current reporting to identify where any improvement can be made to increase accuracy and ensure corrections are made as soon as practicable.	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date
стст	стст
Contact runs BPEM and Data Bricks reports regularly to identify where the NSP within the Electricity Registry and SAP differ. As data discrepancies are identified, the cause for the inaccurate data is investigated and the respective corrections actions are completed.	Ongoing

Creation of submission information			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 12.2	стст		
With: Clause 15.4	102 ICPs where the unmetered load settlement unit assignment was missing resulting in an under submission of 36,658 kWh per annum.		
	235 ICPs where the unmetered load settlement unit assignment was not end dated on the removal of the unmetered load resulting in an over submission of 45,460 kWh per annum.		
	Some ICPs were missing from submissions due to data inaccuracies.		
	Some corrections identified in the previous audit were not corrected and are now outside the revision cycle.		
	Volume corrections were not applied for 48 bridged ICPs that have subsequently switched away.		
	Volume corrections were not applied or applied incorrectly for four bridged ICPs from a sample of nine ICPs.		
	ICP 0007118113RN739 inactive consumption was confirmed as being genuine however this volume (5,082 kWh) is missing from the submission process.		
	66 ICPs the inactive consumption was confirmed as being genuine however corrupt settlement unit assignments are preventing these ICPs from being included in submission totalling 29,112 kWh.		
	Potential impact: Medium		
	Actual impact: Medium		
	Audit history: Three times		
From: 07-Oct-20	Controls: Moderate		

To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 6
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating
High	The controls are rated as moderate overall. Improvements are required to some of the controls.
	The impact is high based on the volume differences identified, and corrected data will be provided through the revision process.

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Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст	стст	Identified
ICP 0007118113RN739		
Contact is currently in the process of correcting the respective data to ensure all genuine consumption missing from the submission process is included.	30/09/2023	
Bridged Meters		
We will complete a reconciliation of existing corrections for accuracy, including apply consumption corrections for Bridged ICPs not yet corrected and ensure that the volumes are correctly applied for submission based on the submission type for the affected ICP.	30/09/2023	
Un-Metered Load Settlement Units		
Contact will complete corrections of SAP-Registry E_UNM Settlement Unit exceptions identified.	30/11/2023	
Incorrect Settlement Unit Assignments		
We will raise a system defect to identify why SAP system auto- triggers do not successfully update the settlement units in below areas which are all impacting ICP Days Accuracy between SAP and Registry for both HHR and NHH Submission Types:		
 Disconnection/Reconnections. Switch Withdrawals. Customer Move-Outs/Vacant Sites. Device Replacements. Un-Metered Load. SAP Product Changes (TOU). Our Energy Rec team performs a one-off reconciliation of	30/09/2023	
existing exceptions, ensuring all are resolved and HHR and NHH submitted accurately going forward.		

Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date
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Bridged Meters	
Contact will investigate its processes in details to identify room for improvements.	
Un-Metered Load Settlement Units	
Contact has effective processes in place to ensure the correct UNM installation fact is applied in SAP for newly gained ICPs.	
Incorrect Settlement Unit Assignments	
Our Energy Rec team will establish more robust exception reporting ensuring exceptions are identified and provided to the appropriate team to correct in a timely manner.	
Contact will investigate its processes in detail to identify room	
for improvements.	30/09/2023

Accuracy of submission information		
Non-compliance	Description	
Audit Ref: 12.7	стст	
With: Clause 15.12	Some submission data was inaccurate and was not corrected at the next available opportunity.	
	Potential impact: High	
	Actual impact: High	
	Audit history: Multiple times	
From: 01-Dec-21	Controls: Moderate	
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 6	
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating	
High	The controls are moderate overall, and Contact is working to investigate issues and improve controls.	
	The impact is high based on the volume differences identified, and that corrected data has not yet been prepared in some instances.	

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст	стст	Identified
Seasonal shapes not applied for some ICPs		
Issue raised with SAP team and investigation revealed cause is NSP did not have their Balancing Area updated when there has been a change. Energy Rec team to check all NSPs and correct Balancing Area where required.	ASAP	
Double metered Installation - 1001157629CK617		
Meeting conducted with WE* Connections Team Leader and physical options identified to resolve double metering situation received on 30/5/2023; including recommendation that a full site electrical layout from the customer's electrician be requested by CTCT to confirm all connections on the site, how they are connected & the corresponding ICP to each	30/11/2023	
connection. We will follow-up with Business Account Managers and ensure the required actions for remediation are initiated.	31/08/2023	
Consumption on ICPs with inactive status		
We will raise a system defect to identify why SAP system auto- triggers do not successfully update the settlement unit from E_DISC_INA to E_NH or E_HHE when reconnections are completed in SAP/Registry. This will identify whether a system or BAU processing issue is the root cause.	30/09/2023	
Our Energy Rec team and Registry Analyst will collaboratively investigate opportunities to enhance existing reporting and/or create new reporting to identify discrepancies between SAP Settlement Unit and Registry Active/Inactive statuses.	30/11/2023	
This includes completing a one-off reconciliation of existing exceptions, ensuring all are resolved and consumption successfully submitted going forward.		
Contact will also review where the responsibility to manage ICP exceptions via SAP Report ZIN_EXT_SETTL_OPERAT best sits to ensure that in conjunction with the SAP BPEMS being monitored and worked, that all exceptions are identified and resolved by the appropriate teams in a timely manner.		
Incorrect Settlement Unit Assignments		
We will raise system defect to identify why SAP system auto- triggers do not successfully update the settlement units in below areas which are all impacting ICP Days Accuracy between SAP and Registry for both HHR and NHH Submission Types:		
Disconnection/Reconnections.		

 Switch Withdrawals. Customer Move-Outs/Vacant Sites. Device Replacements. Un-Metered Load. SAP Product Changes (TOU). Energy Rec team performs a one-off reconciliation of existing exceptions, ensuring all are resolved and HHR and NHH submitted accurately going forward. 	30/09/2023	
Missing UNM settlement units Contact has effective processes in place to ensure the correct UNM installation fact is applied in SAP for newly gained ICPs.		
Our Energy Rec team will complete corrections of SAP-Registry E_UNM Settlement Unit exceptions identified and ensure more robust process in place to identify and resolve exception before future energy submissions.	30/09/2023	
Corrections for bridged or faulty meters / Corrections for consumption during bridged periods		
Our Energy Rec team will complete a reconciliation of existing corrections for accuracy, including apply consumption corrections for Bridged ICP's not yet corrected and ensure that the volumes are correctly applied for submission based on the submission type for the affected ICP. Contact will also investigate its processes in details to identify	30/09/2023	
room for improvements. Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will	Completion	
occur	date	
CTCT Please refer to actions taken to resolve non-compliance field.	CTCT N/A	

Permanence of meter readings for reconciliation			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 12.8	стст		
With: Clause 4 Schedule	Some estimates were not replaced by revision 14. Consumption volume for ICP 0000202101CTC81 incorrectly labelled as forward estimate.		
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	Some estimates were not replaced by revision 14.		
	Potential impact: Medium		
	Actual impact: Low		

From: 01-Jun-22 To: 31-May-23	Audit history: Multiple times Controls: Weak Breach risk rating: 3		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		
Low	The controls are rated as weak overall: • for CTCT there are processes to attain readings and enter permanent estimates, but not all ICPs have permanent estimates entered by revision 14, and • for CTCS and CTCX there are processes to attain readings, but there is no process to verify that best endeavours threshold has been met before entering permanent estimates. There are sound estimation processes, therefore I have recorded the audit risk rating as low.		

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст	стст	Investigating
Issue of SAP process for use of Permanent Estimate was raised with our SAP team and under certain scenarios, the Permanent Estimate meter reading type was not applied. Investigation is on-going but has been delayed by Project Jarvis	Ongoing	
<u>ctcs</u>	<u>CTCS</u>	
Simply Energy are unable to correct submissions after 14 months.	N/A	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
<u>CTCS</u>	<u>CTCS</u>	
A new process has been kicked off by the Simply Energy	31/01/2024	
Customer Care Team to contact customers by two forms of communication, once this is confirmed and can be shown for all ICPs not read for 12 months then Simply Energy will generate Permanent Estimates.		

Reconciliation participants to prepare information			
Non-compliance Description			
Audit Ref: 12.9 With: Clause 2(1)(c) of schedule 12.3	CTCT Four ICPs had changes to the NSP assignment on the registry where SAP had not reflected this change.		

	The impact is high based on the volume differences identified.		
High	The controls are recorded as moderate because they mitigate risk most of the time but there is room for improvement.		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		
	Breach risk rating: 6		
	Controls: Moderate		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
	Actual impact: High		
	Potential impact: High		
	66 ICPs where the inactive consumption was confirmed as being genuine however corrupt settlement unit assignments are preventing these ICPs from being included in submission totalling 29,112 kWh.		
From: 01-Jun-22 To: 31-May-23	ICP (0007118113RN739) the inactive consumption was confirmed as being genuine however this has not been resolved so this volume (5,082 kWh) is missing from the submission process		
	235 ICPs where the unmetered load settlement unit assignment was not end dated on the removal of the unmetered load resulting in an over submission of 45,460 kWh per annum.		
	102 ICPs where the unmetered load settlement unit assignment was missing resulting in an under submission of 36,658 kWh per annum.		

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
стст	стст	Identified
NSP Assignment Incorrect		
All 4 NSP changes have been corrected within SAP.	26/06/2023	
For 3 out of the 4 NSP changes, data inaccuracies were a result of back dated NSP changes being loaded within the Registry, with two of those changes being backdated ten years.		
Due to system limitations, correcting a severely backdated NSP change in SAP requires us to reverse customers bills that post-date the NSP change. As this has a large impact to our customer, at no fault of their own, where there is no balancing area change as a result of the back dated NSP change, we tend to correct the NSP data moving forward.		
Un-Metered Load Settlement Units Our Energy Rec team will complete corrections of SAP-Registry E_UNM Settlement Unit exceptions identified.	30/09/2023	
Incorrect Settlement Unit Assignments		

We will raise a system defect to identify why SAP system auto- triggers do not successfully update the settlement units in below areas which are all impacting Submission data accuracy between SAP and Registry for both HHR and NHH Submission		30/11/2023	
Types: Disconnection/Reconnections (Inactive Settlement Units). Switch Withdrawals. Customer Move-Outs/Vacant Sites. Device Replacements. Un-Metered Load. SAP Product Changes (TOU). Energy Rec team performs a one of reconciliation of existing exceptions, ensuring all are resolved and HHR and NHH accurately submitted going forward.		30/09/2023	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur		Completion date	
стст		стст	
NSP Assignment	NSP Assignment Incorrect		
Contact runs BPEM and Data Bricks reports regularly to identify where the NSP within the Electricity Registry and SAP differ. As data discrepancies are identified, the cause for the inaccurate data is investigated and the respective corrections actions are completed.			

Historical estimates and forward estimates			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 12.10	CTCS and CTCX		
With: Clause 3 Schedule 15.3	Where SASV profiles are not available, consumption based on validated readings is not seasonally adjusted and is labelled as forward estimate.		
	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Strong		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 1		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		

The controls are recorded as strong because historic and forward estimate is correctly identified most of the time.

The audit risk rating is low as there is minor impact on settlement because while the volume calculation is correct but is not seasonally adjusted between consumption months.

Actions taken to resolve the issue	Completion date	Remedial action status
CTCS & CTCX	CTCS & CTCX	Identified
Simply Energy are unable to correct previous FE reporting.	N/A	
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date	
CTCS & CTCX	CTCS & CTCX	
End of month reads are now uploaded for UML ICPs. 100% HE is achieved on these; however, a new issue was identified in the NHH DA system where the system was incorrectly looking for a shape value on the end date of the Consumption Period + 1 incorrectly which has resulted in a few ICPs having HE volume incorrectly reported as FE. Simply Energy is working with the system provider to correct this.	29/02/2024	

Forward estimate process			
Non-compliance	Description		
Audit Ref: 12.12	стст стсх стсѕ		
With: Clause 6 Schedule 15.3	Inaccurate forward estimate caused the thresholds not to be met in some instances.		
	Potential impact: Low		
	Actual impact: Low		
	Audit history: Multiple times		
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Moderate		
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 2		
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating		
Low	The controls are recorded as moderate because they mitigate risk most of the time but there is room for improvement. The impact is low because Initial data is replaced with revised data and washed up.		
Actions taken to resolve the issue Completion Remedial action date		Remedial action status	
стст	T CTCT Identified		

Primary cause is the unpredictability of rural/irrigation usage patterns. In addition, Covid and recent weather events have an impact on meter readings. CTCS & CTCX Simply Energy are unable to correct previous FE thresholds not being met.	N/A CTCS NA
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date
CTCS & CTCX	CTCS 31/01/2024

Compulsory meter reading after profile change				
Non-compliance	Description			
Audit Ref: 12.13	стст			
With: Clause 7 Schedule 15.3	ICPs 0000005122DEF1D and 0000024655DE0E5 did not have an actual meter read present for the profile change.			
	Potential impact: Low			
	Actual impact: Low			
	Audit history: None			
From: 01-Jun-22	Controls: Strong			
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 1			
Audit risk rating	Rationale for audit risk rating			
Low	стст			
	The controls are recorded as moderate because they mitigate risk most of the time but there is room for improvement.			
	The impact on settlement and participants is minor; therefore, the audit risk rating is low.			
Actions taken to resolve the issue Completion Remedial act		Remedial action status		
стст		стст	Identified	
The Registry and SAP settlement data have been corrected to no longer reflect a profile change, resulting in actual meter read or permanent estimate read no longer being required.		26/06/2023		

Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will occur	Completion date
CTCT We will be investigating further into how the incorrect NHH	CTCT Ongoing
profiles were created. Once the cause has been identified we will investigate further into potential fixes which would decrease the opportunity for these to arise in the future, as well as additional reporting to identify these scenarios at the earliest convenience	
so corrections can be made.	

Historical estimate reporting to RM					
Non-compliance	Description				
Audit Ref: 13.3	CTCT and CTCS				
With: Clause 10 of	Historic estimate thresholds were not met for some revisions.				
Schedule 15.3	Potential impact: Low				
	Actual impact: Low				
From: 01-Jun-22	om: 01-Jun-22 Controls: Moderate				
To: 31-May-23	Breach risk rating: 4				
Audit risk rating	Rationale	for audit risk rati	ng		
Medium	Overall, the controls are assessed to be moderate because compliance is achieved in most instances.				
	The impact is assessed to be medium based on the quantity of forward estimate, and number of NSPs where the historic estimate requirements were not met.				
Actions taken to resolve the issue		Completion date	Remedial action status		
стст		стст	Identified		
Primary cause is the unpredictability of rural/irrigation usage patterns. In addition, there is the Covid and weather events					
related impact on meter readings.		стсѕ			
CTCS					
Simply Energy are unable to correct previous submissions.		NA			
Preventative actions taken to ensure no further issues will		Completion			
occur		date			
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<u>CTCS</u>		<u>CTCS</u>			

A new process has been kicked off by the Simply Energy	31/01/2024	
Customer Care Team to contact customers by two forms of		
communication, once this is confirmed and can be shown for all		
ICPs not read for 12 months then Permanent Estimates can be		
generated.		