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Priority initiatives May to October 2025



Outcome	Workstream	Priority initiative	May	June	July	August	September	October
Affordable Consumers have simple, stable options to access to affordable electricity. They can choose their electricity supplier(s) from a competitive and efficient market.	Effective competition	PPA firming	Update paper					
		Digitalisation work programme		Consultation				
		Multiple trading and switch review process	Consultation	Consultation				
	Consumer care and affordability	Retail data monitoring				Retail data submission		
Efficient Consumers can access an electricity system with a mix of renewable generation, storage and technologies that best fits their needs.	Accurate and efficient pricing	Distribution peak injection tariffs			Decision			
		Time-varying retail pricing for consumption and supply			Decision			
		Price barriers to efficient connection of distribution networks			Decision			
	Innovation and distributed energy	Non- price barriers to efficient connection of large capacity load to distribution networks			Decision			
		Future security and resilience – review of Part 8 of the Code	Consultation	Consultation				
Secure and resilient Consumers have trust and confidence in their energy supply. It's reliable, secure and responsive to shocks.	Effective risk management	Rewarding industrial demand flexibility Industry demand response	Consultation					
		Market making – urgent Code on market making settings in times of stress to lapse		Decision				
	Regional resilience	Review of distributor involvement in generation – Part 6A arm's length rules				Decision		
		Power Innovation Pathway	Power Innovation Pathway Day		Insights report			
		Green paper: Decentralisation	Consultation	Consultation				