

## Electricity Supplier and Capacity Market Bulletin

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Dear Stakeholder,

Welcome to the Electricity Supplier and Capacity Market Bulletin from the Electricity Settlements Company (ESC).

This bulletin covers	
Update on Capacity Market:	Government Response including process for Suppliers to make payments during the CM standstill period.
Capacity Market Stress Event Guide and Capacity Volume Register:	ESC is seeking stakeholders' views on both documents by 15 March 2019.
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### **Update on Capacity Market:**

Following its consultation on Proposals for technical amendments to the Capacity Market, the Government has today published a response. On 28 February 2019, BEIS responded to its consultation on Proposals for technical amendments to the Capacity Market confirming that it “will proceed with making the necessary legislative changes to enable suppliers to make payments to the Settlement Body [the Electricity Settlements Company] during the standstill period toward their post-standstill supplier charge liability to fund deferred payments to capacity providers who have met their obligations during the standstill period”. For more information, see the [BEIS consultation response](#).

In addition, Greg Clark (Secretary of State for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy), on 28 February 2019 issued an Energy Policy: Written statement - HCWS1372.

It confirms that:

- the draft regulations have been laid in Parliament; and
- that the Electricity Settlements Company will establish a system to facilitate suppliers' meeting their supplier charge liabilities during the standstill period.

The full written statement can be found [here](#).

### **Capacity Market Stress Event Guide and Capacity Volume Register**

ESC is seeking your views on the new Capacity Market Stress Event guide and proposed amendments to the Capacity Volume Register (CVR). The Delivery Partners have proposed these changes following feedback from the Spring 2018 mock stress event. The Mock Stress Event draft (version 1) guide is open for comments and can be found [here](#).

The Capacity Volume Register (CVR) is open for comments and can be found [here](#).

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