# **Constraint Managed Zone**

Initial information briefing sheet for CMZ Round 1

### Introduction

We want to build networks which best meet our customers' needs and to do this using the most efficient and flexible techniques possible. This is why we have introduced Constraint Managed Zones into our every day network operations.

#### What is a CMZ?

This is a geographic region served by an existing network where peak electrical demand requirements are met through the use of demand reducing or demand shifting techniques. Well known examples include Demand Side Response and Energy Storage.

#### **CMZ** Round 1 - Yeovil

The network at Yeovil is served by two existing circuits which are close to their firm capacity at times of peak demand. We are looking for CMZ partners to manage peak demand constraints post-outage. CMZ techniques must be reliable and will be subject to additional test operation at other times of the year to ensure satisfactory performance. When not required for CMZ operation our partners would be free to be operate or trade these techniques as appropriate.

## **Registering your interest**

CMZ Round 1 is open to registrations of interest with relevant techniques from all existing and new industry sectors. Interest would also be welcome from pan-sector partnerships. However, please note we do not anticipate domestic customer techniques to be included due to the present structure of the market.

Email <u>fn.procurement@sse.com</u> and include your organisation name and 'CMZ Round 1' in the subject.



#### Location



#### Indicative timeline

SSEPD reserves the right not to proceed with this opportunity

