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FAO: Atalla Buretta

Dear Atalla

Citizens Advice response to the Statutory consultation to modify Standard Licence Condition 31F (Requirements relating to the Electric Vehicle Recharging Points) of the Electricity Distribution Licence

Citizens Advice welcomes the opportunity to respond to this consultation as part of its statutory role to represent energy consumers in Great Britain. Our response is not confidential and may be freely published.

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We support the proposal to remove the PoLR provisions contained in SLC 31F 'Requirements relating to Electric Vehicle Recharging Points' of the Electricity Distribution Standard Licence as noted within the consultation document.

Our reasons for supporting this proposal were provided in our response to the prior informal consultation¹ and remain unchanged.

Yours sincerely

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¹ Citizens Advice, <u>Response to the Ofgem Informal consultation on the removal of EV POLR provision from</u> <u>SLC 31F</u>, April 2023