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Dear Louis Smith,

Request under the Environmental Information Regulations 2004 ("EIR")

Thank you for your email dated 28th September 2019 requesting information via our EIR requests email address.

Information requested

*Dear National Grid plc,
With Brexit, will the UK revert back to 240V or remain at 230v?*

Yours faithfully,

Louis smith

Our response

National Grid Electricity Transmission Operator operate the 400kV and 275kV electricity transmission network for England and Wales. The voltage levels operated by National Grid Electricity Transmission will remain the same post Brexit as the assets are designed to operate at these voltages. Distribution of electricity at any voltages lower than these would be operated by Distribution Network Operators (DNO's). I would suggest contacting the Energy Networks Association (ENA) at info@energynetworks.org who may be able to provide further information on behalf of all distribution operators.

Conclusion

If you are in any way unhappy with this response to your request, you may ask for an internal review. Please write to Julie Labraham (EIR Complaints Officer), in the first instance, at the above address, setting out the reasons why you believe we have not complied with its requirements with regard to your request.

Regulation 11(2) EIR states that you must send a request for internal review to National Grid no later than 40 working days after the date of this letter. We will arrange an internal review of your request and we will notify you of its decision no later than 40 working days following receipt of your complaint.

Under EIR, if you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to appeal the decision to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioners Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow

Cheshire
SK9 5AF

If you have any queries about this letter, please contact me on the details at the top of this letter.

Yours sincerely,

Rachel Lynall
On behalf of National Grid