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The Electricity and Gas (Smart Meters Licensable Activity) Order 2012

PART 2

Amendments to the Electricity Act 1989

Amendment to section 6A (procedure for licence applications)

- 7.—(1) Section 6A(1)(1) is amended as follows.
- (2) In paragraph (a), after "licence" insert "(but this is subject to subsection (1A))".
- (3) After subsection (1) insert—
 - "(1A) At any time when regulations made under section 56FC(2) are in force, this section does not apply to an application for a smart meter communication licence."

⁽¹⁾ Section 6A was inserted by section 30 of the Utilities Act 2000 (c. 27). Relevant amendments were made by section 143 of the Energy Act 2004 (c. 20).

²⁾ Section 56FC of the Electricity Act 1989 (c. 29) was inserted by section 91 and Schedule 4 to the Energy Act 2008 (c. 32).