

## Summary of Key Changes to Boost and Handover Service Descriptions Between 14 May and 14 August 2014

	Document Reference <sup>1</sup>	Document Change	Chorus Comment	
1.	<b>Boost Service Description</b>	2.1.3	Change “Best Efforts” to “Premium Best Efforts”.	Clarification of class of service as notified by Chorus to the Commission by letter dated 28 July 2014.
2.		2.4	Removed concept of “with Voice Services”	To reflect changes due to commence 1 December 2014.
3.		2.9	Clarified that network capacity for throughput will not apply to a Connection with UBA Handover.	As these Connections will be on handovers under the UBA STD, the Service Commitment for throughput will not apply and network capacity planning will not necessarily be provided for UBA STD Services. See comment in Chorus letter to the Commission dated 28 July 2014.
4.		2.10	Clarified that Chorus will provide line optimization to Boost HD ports.	Chorus is developing this capability and will give Service Provider’s 3 months’ notice before this is implemented.
5.		2.11	Clarified when line optimisation will commence.	This will not just occur on connection, but following various other events as highlighted.
6.		2.13	Change “Best Efforts” to “Premium Best Efforts”.	
7.		2.14 & 2.15	Clarification of Service Commitment for Connections with UBA Handover.	In Chorus’ letter to the Commission dated 28 July 2014, Chorus noted that it would allow Boost Services to use handovers under the UBA STD, but that the Service Commitment would not apply. Chorus has subsequently clarified that it will meet the minimum line speed commitment and it is only the minimum throughput that would not be achieved.

<sup>1</sup> References are to the revised version of the documents.

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8.	Old 2.18	Option of premises wiring for Boost HD deleted.	This is as an additional service that does not form part of the Boost Service, which was seen as confusing.	
9.	2.20	Clarification of what is included in Boost VDSL installation.	The Boost VDSL install will include premises wiring, if required, whether it is inside or outside the Chorus UFB Zone.	
10.	2.21	Change from "Connection that is not a Non-Qualifying Connection" to "Qualifying Connection".	Defined term added to Special Terms.	
11.	2.21.2	Addition of "or if a UFB Service is available for that premise".	In the consultation to the industry (see page 21 of slides dated 10 July 2014) Chorus clarified that it would not fix speed faults if fibre was available as an alternative.	
12.	2.27 to 2.29	Included the ability for Chorus to upgrade a Non-Qualifying Connection to a Qualifying Connection.	Chorus may undertake some work which would mean a Connection or group of Connections will meet the Service Commitment. In such cases those Connections should no longer be Non-Qualifying.	
13.	2.34 to 2.39 & 3.1	Deleted references to need for a Commercial Handover Connection.	To reflect Chorus' proposal that Boost Services can now use handovers under the UBA STD.	
14.	Appendix B	Some changes in relation to the shift from "Best Efforts" to "Premium Best Efforts".		
15.	<b>Commercial Handover Connections</b>	1.4	Ordering changes.	Consistency with other documents.
16.		2.2	Insertion of reference to technical specification.	Clarification.
17.	<b>Service Description</b>	2.4.2	Change from "optical fibre cable" to "Tie Cable".	Defined term added to Special Terms.
18.		4.1	Change of "Chorus MOFDF" to "MOFDF".	Definition in Special Terms makes this clear.
19.		6.1 & 6.2	Minor drafting clarification	

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<b>20.</b>	7.1	Inclusion of Availability clause.	To clarify when a handover connection is deemed unavailable.