

## Annex A – Guidelines on provisions of comments

### Operator Comments

Please provide comments under the following categories:

The proposals are ***acceptable without change***.

The proposals are ***acceptable but would be improved if the following changes were made***: (Please provide explanatory comment).

The proposals are ***not acceptable but would be acceptable if the following changes were made***: (Please provide explanatory comment).

The proposals are ***not acceptable under any circumstances***. (Please provide explanatory comment).

Any other comments.

### Authority comments and responses

In responding to comments, a standard terminology will be applied to attest the Authority's position as follows:

(a) **Accepted** — The Authority agrees with the comment and any proposed amendment is wholly transferred to the revised text.

(b) **Partially accepted** — The Authority either agrees partially with the comment, or agrees with it but the proposed amendment is only partially transferred to the revised text.

(c) **Noted** — The Authority acknowledges the comment but no change to the existing text is considered necessary.

(d) **Not accepted** — The comment or proposed amendment is not shared by the Authority.