

## Market Requests Calendar guidance

Feedback from trading parties highlighted dissatisfaction with the number of market requests received across the year without any apparent clear planning of impact to the end user.

This feedback included third party consultations such as Ofwat and CCW, with a recognition MOSL did not have any authority to stop these market requests but an acknowledgement they added to the impact.

As part of MOSL's commitment to be open and transparent we have developed a calendar to provide clarity on market requests throughout the year, providing a minimum of one month's notice.

### General layout

Enlarge the calendar by hovering in the calendar and clicking on the icon.



Current Requests highlights the status of the market request:

**To be confirmed:** Market requests with dates not confirmed, dates will be confirmed no later than one month before 'go live'.

**Scheduled:** Market requests with confirmed dates prior to 'go live'.

**Live:** Market requests currently 'live' on the board.

**Closed:** Market requests can be seen on the calendar 'greyed' out.

**Origin, Target Audience, Type and Engagement Start**, gives the user the ability to 'filter' the calendar by the following:


- ◆ **Origin:** The owners of the market request
- ◆ **Target audience:** Insight into 'who' the market request is aimed at
- ◆ **Type:** What type of market request is it?
- ◆ **Engagement start:** Broken down by year

**Information on market requests in the calendar** can be found by 'hovering' over the market request. The following information will be shown:

- ◆ **Legend:** The status of the market request
- ◆ **Task:** The name of the market request
- ◆ **Start Date:** Opening date
- ◆ **End date:** Closing date

- ◆ **Complexity:** A rating to help trading parties plan the time and resource required to complete the request. The narrative for each complexity can be found [here](#).
- ◆ **Description:** A description of the market request

Links maybe attached to the market requests to include further information:

- ◆ **Links:** Click on the market request and go to the  above icon
- ◆ Click on the icon and a table will appear, if there is a link attached to the market request, click on the link within the table to go to further information. Note not all market requests will have links.

The calendar is 'live' with information provided by MOSL and third parties. As such information within this calendar is open to change.