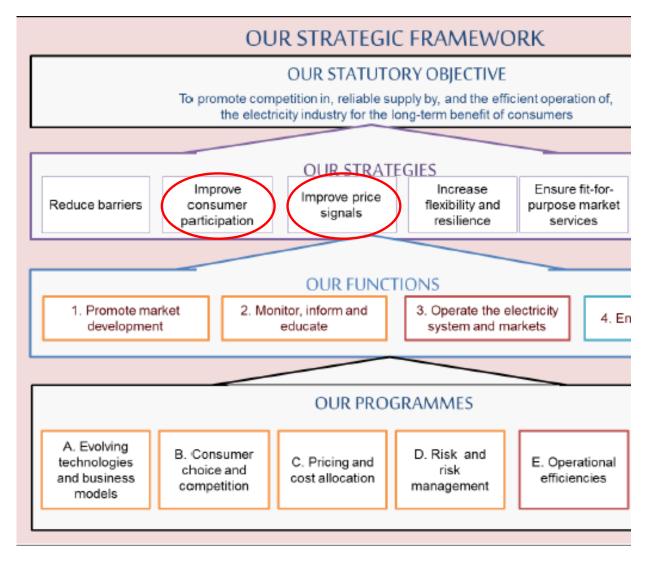


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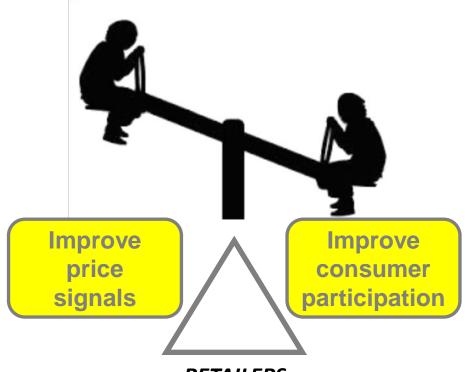
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Context



- These are closely related strategies and work programmes.
- There are risks considering one in isolation of the other.

The challenge



CONSUMERS

Increasingly a

value-based view

given greater

choices and wider

alternatives

NETWORKS

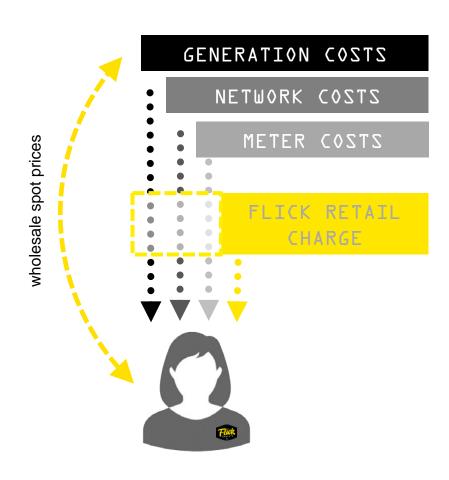
An engineering, cost, asset ROI, stranding view of how pricing must work

RETAILERS

Will customers understand/value prices?
Will they meet their different needs?
Can they be sent? At what system cost?
Does this create risk?
(brand, customer, systems, margin, business model)

Major risk of misalignment between Network Cos, Retailers and Consumers.

Flick pass-through model = cant ignore network prices!



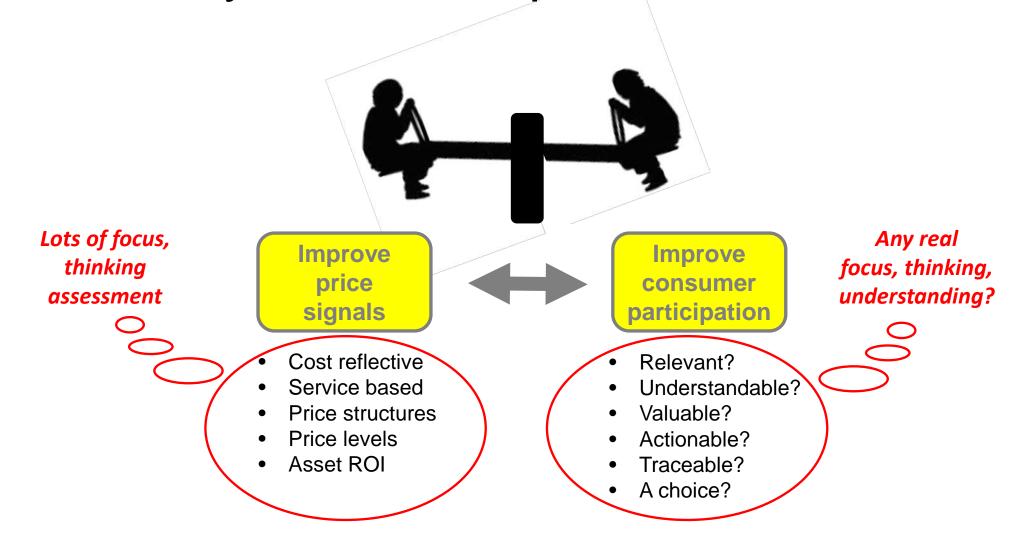
What we've learned at Flick about consumers & pricing

- Consumers are more sophisticated than we might think!
- The majority are hungry for more transparency & choice
- Strong communication backed by information tools key
- The right price structure + level = strong price DR
- Consumer benefits from price DR are significant
- But fully variable pricing is probably not for every consumer

What we've learned at Flick about Network pricing

- We're all learning!
- Network Cos have limited understanding of price DR elasticity
- Network Cos don't seem to measure full benefits of price DR
- Some network price structures or levels are meaningless and/or confusing, or are plain bad for nearly all consumers
- Some network price structures (e.g. demand charges) actually disadvantage consumers
- Retailers don't (won't?) pass-through 'daft' price structures/levels

Any solution requires balance



Improving price signals AND consumer engagement should be the objective.

Transition, communication & managing customer impact

- The process for implementation, communication & customer management is critical to the success of any change
- A broad framework can be defined in advance
- But specific activities and the level of effort will be dictated by final pricing decisions to be implemented
- If we get the WHAT right, then the HOW will go well