

What was discussed in AEMO's wholesale and retail forums in February 2017

## National Electricity Market Wholesale Consultative Forum (NEMW-CF)

1 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February NEMW-CF meeting:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	South Australia System Black Event (28 September 2016)
Item 2	National Transmission Network Development Plan
Item 3	2017 Victorian Annual Planning Report
Item 4	Credit Limit Procedures Consultation on Application of Offsets in the Prudential Margin Calculation
Item 5	Marginal Loss Factors
Item 6	AEMO Website
Item 7	Congestion Information Resource (CIR) Consultation
Item 8	Standard for Power System Data Communication Consultation
Item 9	Market Ancillary Services Specification Review

Please find a link to the February meeting pack/ minutes here:

<http://www.aemo.com.au/Stakeholder-Consultation/Industry-forums-and-working-groups/Wholesale-meetings/NEM-Wholesale-Consultative-Forum>

For further information on the NEMW-CF please email [nemwcf@aemo.com.au](mailto:nemwcf@aemo.com.au)

NEMW-CF next meeting: Wednesday 29 March 2017

## Retail Market Consultative Forum (RMCF)

3 and 24 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February RMCF meeting:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	Gas Retail Consultative Forum (GRCF) Program Update
Item 2	Power of Choice (PoC) Program Update

Please find a link to the February RMCF meeting pack/ minutes here:

<http://www.aemo.com.au/Stakeholder-Consultation/Industry-forums-and-working->

[groups/Retail-meetings/Retail-Market-Consultative-Forum](#)

For further information on the RMCF please email [RMCF@aemo.com.au](mailto:RMCF@aemo.com.au)

RMCF next meeting: Friday 24 March 2017

## Consumer Forum

3 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February Consumer Forum:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	Strategic Initiative: Data and Information Engagement Plan
Item 2	National Gas Forecasting Report
Item 3	South Australia System Black Event (28 September 2016)
Item 4	Victorian Transmission System Access Arrangement
Item 5	2017 AEMO Industry Training Courses
Item 6	Power of Choice (PoC) Program Update

Please find a link to the February Consumer Forum meeting pack/ minutes here:

<http://www.aemo.com.au/Stakeholder-Consultation/Industry-forums-and-working-groups/Other-meetings/Consumer-Forum>

For further information on the Consumer Forum please email [ConsumerForum@aemo.com.au](mailto:ConsumerForum@aemo.com.au)

Consumer Forum next meeting: Friday 12 May 2017

## WA Electricity Consultative Forum (WAE-CF)

7 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February WAE-CF meeting:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	Electricity Market Review Update – Public Utilities Office
Item 2	WEM Prudentials - Capacity Liability
Item 3	Update on AEMO's Revised Allowable Revenue 4 Submission to the ERA
Item 4	WA Market Reform Program Update

Item 5	Reserve Capacity Mechanism 3 Update
Item 6	Feedback from WA Market Reform Stakeholder Survey
Item 7	Market Procedure Development for 2017
Item 8	2017 Benchmark Reserve Capacity Price Update
Item 9	System Management Update

Please find a link to the WAE-CF meeting pack/ minutes here:

<http://www.aemo.com.au/Stakeholder-Consultation/Industry-forums-and-working-groups/WA-Forums/WA-Electricity-Consultative-Forum-WAECF>

For further information on the WAE-CF please email [WAelectricityforum@aemo.com.au](mailto:WAelectricityforum@aemo.com.au)

WAE-CF next meeting: Tuesday 4 April 2017

### Service Management Forum (SMF)

9 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February SMF meeting:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	Authorised Contacts
Item 2	Published Forward Schedule of Change and Release Information
Item 3	Energy Market Management System (EMMS) Release and Associated Release Windows
Item 4	Energy Management Platform (EMP) Upgrade
Item 5	Sybase Database Replacement
Item 6	Oracle Database System Upgrade
Item 7	Norwest Modernisation Program
Item 8	Datacentre and Network Lifecycle
Item 9	Incident, Change and Release Communications

Please find a link to the February SMF meeting pack/ minutes here:

<http://www.aemo.com.au/Stakeholder-Consultation/Industry-forums-and-working-groups/IT-meetings/Service-Management-Forum>

For further information on the SMF please email [SMF@aemo.com.au](mailto:SMF@aemo.com.au)

SMF next meeting: Thursday 18 May 2017

### Gas Wholesale Consultative Forum (GWCF)

14 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February GWCF meeting:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	Authorised Maximum Daily Quantity (AMDQ) Credit Certificate Auction
Item 2	Australian Energy Regulator Price Variation Report (1 October 2016)
Item 3	Compliance Report and Investigation into Unintended Scheduling Results (1 October 2016)
Item 4	South West Pipeline Piggings
Item 5	Contingency Gas Events (10 and 24 November 2016)

Please find a link to the February GWCF meeting packs/ minutes here:

<http://www.aemo.com.au/Stakeholder-Consultation/Industry-forums-and-working-groups/Wholesale-meetings/Gas-Wholesale-Consultative-Forum>

For further information on the GWCF please email [gwcf\\_correspondence@aemo.com.au](mailto:gwcf_correspondence@aemo.com.au)

GWCF next meeting: Tuesday 11 April 2017

### Procedure Change Committee (PCC)

15 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February PCC meeting:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	Verification of Shipper on Albany and Kalgoorlie
Item 2	Australian Taxation Office (ATO) GST Private Ruling

Please find a link to the February meeting pack/ minutes here:

<http://www.aemo.com.au/Stakeholder-Consultation/Industry-forums-and-working-groups/Retail-meetings/Procedure-Change-Committee---WA>

For further information on the PCC please email [pccwa@aemo.com.au](mailto:pccwa@aemo.com.au)

PCC next meeting: Wednesday 19 April 2017

## Gas Retail Consultative Forum (GRCF)

21 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February GRCF meeting:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	NSW/ACT Plumber Licence and Certificate of Compliance Numbers
Item 2	Improving the Accuracy of Customer Transfer: Final Determination

Please find a link to the February meeting pack/minutes here:

<http://www.aemo.com.au/Stakeholder-Consultation/Industry-forums-and-working-groups/Retail-meetings/Gas-Retail-Consultative-Forum>

For further information on the GRCF please email [GRCF@aemo.com.au](mailto:GRCF@aemo.com.au)

GRCF next meeting: Tuesday 21 March 2017

## Forecasting and Planning Reference Group (FPRG)

21 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February FPRG meeting:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	FPRG Terms of Reference and 2017 Forward Plan
Item 2	2016 National Gas Forecasting Report
Item 3	2017 National Electricity Forecasting Report scope
Item 4	National Transmission Network Development Plan Consultation

For further information on the FPRG please email [energy.forecasting@aemo.com.au](mailto:energy.forecasting@aemo.com.au)

FPRG next meeting: Tuesday 21 March 2017

## aseXML Standards Working Group (ASWG)

10 and 24 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February ASWG meetings:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	Change Request 60, Power of Choice Business to Business changes

Item 2	Enumerations
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Please find a link to the February meeting packs/minutes here:

<http://www.aemo.com.au/Stakeholder-Consultation/Industry-forums-and-working-groups/IT-meetings/aseXML-Standards-Working-Group>

For further information on the ASWG please email [asexml.workinggroup@aemo.com.au](mailto:asexml.workinggroup@aemo.com.au)

ASWG next meeting: Tuesday 28 March 2017

## IT Development Forum (ITDF)

27 February 2017

The following topics were discussed at the February ITDF meeting:

Agenda item	Discussion topic
Item 1	Gas Retail Market Systems Operations Update
Item 2	Gas FRC Hub
Item 3	Hub Platform Update
Item 4	Calendar of Works Ongoing Review
Item 5	aseXML Schema Changes
Item 6	Participant IT Management Contracts for AEMO Engagement
Item 7	Change MIRN Status in AEMO Meter Fix Notification (IN042/16)
Item 8	March 2017 Contingency Gas Automation Changes

Please find a link to the February meeting pack/minutes here:

<http://www.aemo.com.au/Stakeholder-Consultation/Industry-forums-and-working-groups/IT-meetings/IT-Development-Forum>

For further information on the ITDF please email [ITDevelopmentForum@aemo.com.au](mailto:ITDevelopmentForum@aemo.com.au)

ITDF next meeting: Monday 27 March 2017