

Wholesale Electricity Market – Submission to Procedure Change Proposal

Procedure Change: PC_2011_02

Market Procedure for Data and IT Interface Requirements

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Submission

Clause 2.10.7 of the Wholesale Electricity Market Amending Rules provides that any person may make a submission for a Procedure Change Proposal by filling in this Procedure Change Submission form.

Submissions for Procedure Changes that relate to the Power System Operation Procedures should be submitted to:

Western Power Networks - System Management Division

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Submissions for Procedure Changes that relate to IMO Market Procedures should be submitted to:

Independent Market Operator

Attn: Manager Market Administration

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1. Please provide your views on the Procedure Change Proposal, including any objections or suggested revisions:

LGP supports the Amended Market Procedure.

While have no material objection to the tone of the document, we note that requirements are mandated in sections 4.1.1 and 4.1.2 where they would more reasonably be recommended (as occurs for example, sections 4.2.1 and 4.2.2). More generally, we suggest that Market Participants are responsible for their outcomes under guidance from the IMO.

2. Please provide an assessment whether the Procedure Change Proposal is consistent with the Market Objectives and the Wholesale Electricity Market Amending Rules.

LGP considers that the Amended Market Procedure is consistent with the Market objectives.

3. Please indicate if the Procedure Change Proposal will have any implications for your organisation (for example changes to your IT or business systems) and any costs involved in implementing these changes.

The procedure change will not impact adversely on LGP.

4. Please indicate the time required for your organisation to implement the changes, should they be accepted as proposed.

LGP could implement the changes immediately.