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Dear Ms Zibelman

**Energy Queensland submission to Demand Side Participation Forecast Methodology Issues Paper**

Energy Queensland Limited (Energy Queensland) welcomes the opportunity to provide comment to the Australian Energy Market Operator (AEMO) on its Demand Side Participation (DSP) Forecast Methodology Issues Paper. This submission is provided by Energy Queensland, on behalf of its related entities Energex Limited (Energex), Ergon Energy Corporation Limited (Ergon Energy), Ergon Energy Queensland Limited (Ergon Energy Retail) and Yurika Pty Ltd (Yurika).

Energy Queensland broadly supports the approach proposed by AEMO regarding the annual publication cycle of the DSP forecasts. However, as 2019 was the first year of complete data, we suggest that no additional information is requested until such time as there is a better understanding of the current data set. Accordingly, we suggest AEMO revisit the requirement for additional reporting statistics after 3-5 years of reliable data collection.

Should AEMO require additional information or wish to discuss any aspect of this submission, please contact either myself on (07) 3851 6787 or Barbara Neil on (07) 4432 8464.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Trudy Fraser".

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