

RETAIL ELECTRICITY MARKET PROCEDURES October 2021 CONSULTATION

PROCEDURE CONSULTATION

SECOND STAGE PARTICIPANT RESPONSE TEMPLATE

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1. Context

This template is to assist stakeholders in giving feedback about the changes detailed in the draft procedures associated with the Retail Electricity Market Procedures October 2021 consultation.

The changes being proposed are because of NER rule changes which have occurred requiring changes to AEMO’s Retail Electricity Market Procedures and the following proposed changes by proponents and AEMO to implement recommended process improvements.

2. Questions on proposed changes

Heading	Participant Comments
Does your organisation support the proposals contained in the Issues Paper? If not, please specify areas in which your organisation disputes AEMO’s assessment (include ICF reference number) of the proposal and include information that supports your rationale why you do not support AEMO’s assessment.	Alinta Energy Supports the proposal.
Are there better options to accommodate the change proposals that better achieve the required objectives? What are the pros and cons of these options? How would they be implemented?	Not specifically.
What are the main challenges in adopting these proposed changes? How should these challenges be addressed?	Some challenges will be around what is being proposed regarding the compliance holidays specifically around the 36 months for GPS. If the AEMC POC findings determine that smart meter deployment activity is accelerated and mandatory obligations are considered on retailers this field will become very important in order to effectively identify the meter location for the purposes of the exchange and waiting 3 years for it to be updated is somewhat superfluous.

Heading	Participant Comments
Do you have any further questions or comments in relation to the proposals described above?	N/A
Does your organisation have any feedback / suggestions that closely relates to the scope or impacts this consultation, but the nature of the feedback / suggestion warrant further investigations / discussion? If so, please include your feedback / suggestions. Please note that this feedback will be reviewed by AEMO at a later date, therefore will not be used for this consultation. AEMO will complete a preliminary assessment of the feedback assess the feedback and it may then form part of another consultation or the annual prioritisation process.	Not specifically.

3. Feedback on proposed amendments

Document	Participant Comments
B2B E-Hub Participant Accreditation and Revocation Process (CIP_045 B2B E-Hub Participant Accreditation Procedure Clarification)	N/A
Consumer Administration and Transfer Solution (CATS) Procedure Principles and Obligation (MSATS Procedures: CATS) (CIP_050 NREG and GENERATR NMI Classifications)	N/A
Meter Data File Format Specification (MDFF) NEM12 & NEM13 (CIP_042 Reason Code)	N/A

Document	Participant Comments
Metrology Part A (CIP_046 Clarification of Clause 12.5, CIP_048 Reference to AS60044)	N/A
Standing Data for MSATS (Standing Data document) (CIP_049 Controlled Load Enumerations, CIP_053 GPS Coordinates Minimum Standard and Connection Configuration Clarification)	N/A