



## **National Electricity Amendment (Minor changes 4) Rule 2020 No. 20**

under the National Electricity Law to the extent applied by:

- (a) the National Electricity (South Australia) Act 1996 of South Australia;
- (b) the Electricity (National Scheme) Act 1997 of the Australian Capital Territory;
- (c) the Electricity - National Scheme (Queensland) Act 1997 of Queensland;
- (d) the Electricity - National Scheme (Tasmania) Act 1999 of Tasmania;
- (e) the National Electricity (New South Wales) Act 1997 of New South Wales;
- (f) the National Electricity (Victoria) Act 2005 of Victoria;
- (g) the National Electricity (Northern Territory) (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2015 of the Northern Territory; and
- (h) the Australian Energy Market Act 2004 of the Commonwealth.

The Australian Energy Market Commission makes the following Rule under the National Electricity Law.

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Acting Chairperson  
Australian Energy Market Commission

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### **1 Title of Rule**

This Rule is the *National Electricity Amendment (Minor changes 4) Rule 2020 No. 20*.

### **2 Commencement**

This Rule commences operation on 17 December 2020.

### **3 Amendment to the National Electricity Rules**

The National Electricity Rules are amended as set out in Schedule 1.

## **Schedule 1      Amendment to the National Electricity Rules**

(Clause 3)

### **[1] Clause 4A.B.5      AER Forecasting Best Practice Guidelines**

In clause 4A.B.5(a), omit "*Rules consultations procedures*" and substitute "*Rules consultation procedures*".

### **[2] Clause 4A.D.13      AER Opt-In Guidelines**

In clause 4A.D.13(a), after "Opt-In Guidelines", insert "in accordance with the *Rules consultation procedures*".

### **[3] Clause 5.16.2      Regulatory investment test for transmission application guidelines**

In clauses 5.16.2(c)(4) and 5.16.2(c)(6), omit "clause 5.16.1(c)(4)" and substitute "clause 5.15A.2(b)(4)".

### **[4] Clause 5.16.2      Regulatory investment test for transmission application guidelines**

In clause 5.16.2(c)(7), omit "clause 5.16.1(c)(11)" and substitute "clause 5.15A.2(b)(11)".

### **[5] Clause 5.16.4      Regulatory investment test for transmission procedures**

In clause 5.16.4(b)(6)(iii), omit "clause 5.16.1(c)(6)" and substitute "clause 5.15A.2(b)(6)".

### **[6] Clause 5.16.4      Regulatory investment test for transmission procedures**

In clause 5.16.4(z1)(3), omit "clause 5.16.1(c)(6)" and substitute "clause 5.15A.2(b)(6)".

### **[7] Clause 5.16.4      Regulatory investment test for transmission procedures**

In clause 5.16.4(z1)(3), omit "clause 5.16.1(c)(4)" and substitute "clause 5.15A.2(b)(4)".

### **[8] Clause 5.16.4      Regulatory investment test for transmission procedures**

In clause 5.16.4(z1)(3), omit "clauses 5.16.1(c)(4)(ii) and (iii)" and substitute "clauses 5.15A.2(b)(4)(ii) and (iii)".

**[9] Rule 5.16B Disputes in relation to application of regulatory investment test for transmission**

In clause 5.16B(c), omit "(a disputing party)" and substitute "(a **disputing party**)".

**[10] Rule 5.16B Disputes in relation to application of regulatory investment test for transmission**

In clause 5.16B(c)(1), omit "(the dispute notice)" and substitute "(the **dispute notice**)".

**[11] Clause 7.8.10C Timeframes for meters to be installed – where a connection alteration is required**

In clause 7.8.10C(c1), omit "be installed" and substitute "be installed:".

**[12] Chapter 10 Glossary**

In the definition of "National Energy Retail Law" in chapter 10, omit "2012" and substitute "2011".

**[13] Clause 11.103.2 Amendments to procedures**

After clause 11.103.2(a), insert:

- (a1) *AEMO* is not required to comply with the *Rules consultation procedures* in respect of any amendments that must be made to the documents referred to in paragraph (a) to take into account the National Electricity Amendment (Delayed implementation of five minute and global settlement) Rule 2020.

**[14] Clause 11.112.2 Amendments to AEMO procedures**

After clause 11.112.2(a), insert:

- (a1) *AEMO* is not required to comply with the *Rules consultation procedures* in respect of any amendments that must be made to the documents referred to in paragraph (a) to take into account the National Electricity Amendment (Delayed implementation of five minute and global settlement) Rule 2020.

**[15] Clause 11.128.4 Reserve contracts for interim reliability reserves**

In clause 11.128.4(a), omit "clause 11.128" and substitute "rule 11.128".

**[16] Clause 11.128.4 Reserve contracts for interim reliability reserves**

In clause 11.128.4(b), omit "clause 11.128" and substitute "rule 11.128".

[END OF RULE AS MADE]

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