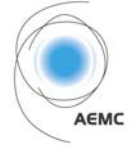


Notice under National Gas Law



The Australian Energy Market Commission (AEMC) gives notice under the National Gas Law (NGL) of the following matter.

Under section 303, AEMO has requested the *Prioritisation of Tied Controlled Withdrawal Bids* Rule proposal (Project Ref. GRC0001). The proposal seeks to change the tie-breaking rules AEMO uses to schedule gas withdrawals in the Victorian wholesale gas market. The Commission has decided to dispense with the first round of consultation under clause 62 of Schedule 3 of the NGL.

Further details and all documents on the above matter are available on the AEMC's website www.aemc.gov.au. The relevant documents are also available for inspection at the offices of the AEMC.

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