

13 June 2008

Mr Ian Woodward
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Australian Energy Market Commission
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Dear Ian,

Technical Standards Review – Response to Issues Paper

Grid Australia welcomes the opportunity to respond to the Australian Energy Market Commission (AEMC) Reliability Panel's Technical Standards Review Issues Paper (dated 9 May 2008).

To facilitate the Review, the Reliability Panel has clearly stated its objectives, and formulated a number of general questions to assist in achieving these objectives, and sought comments from stakeholders on any other related aspects of the existing technical standards that ought to be addressed by this review.

With the Panel's proposed framework in mind the attached submission comments on:

- Achieving the objectives of the review;
- The Panel's general questions; and
- Other possible matters for consideration.

Grid Australia would welcome the opportunity to discuss any aspect of the attached submission with the Panel or staff.

Yours sincerely,



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