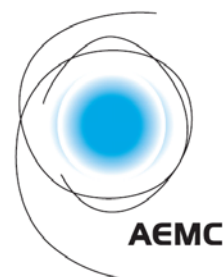


Notice under Section 99 National Electricity Law

Draft Rule Determination



Draft National Electricity Amendment (System Restart Ancillary Services and pricing under market suspension) Rule 2005

The Australian Energy Market Commission (Commission) gives notice under s.99 of the National Electricity Law (NEL) of a draft Rule determination in relation to changes to arrangements for the standards applying to, the procurement of, and payment for, System Restart Ancillary Services and for clarifying NEMMCO's responsibilities and options in relation to pricing under market suspension.

This Rule proposal was received by NECA (the Commission's predecessor) on 11 April 2005. Under the NEL transitional provisions, consideration of this Rule proposal became the Commission's responsibility on 1 July 2005.

The draft Rule determination, including the draft of the Rule to be made, is published on the Commission's website and is available for inspection at the offices of the Commission.

The Commission invites written submissions from any person or body in relation to the draft Rule determination. The Commission's policy is to promptly publish all submissions on its website upon receipt, subject to any claim of confidentiality which will be maintained in accordance with the NEL.

Submissions must be received no later than 3 February 2006.

Any interested person or body may request the Commission, to hold a hearing in relation to a draft Rule determination, in accordance with s.101 of the NEL. The request must be in writing and must be made no later than 16 December 2005.

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