

Notice under National Electricity Law



Initiation of an urgent Rule change request

The Australian Energy Market Commission (AEMC) gives notice under the National Electricity Law as follows:

Under s 95, AEMO has requested the *Contingency arrangements for five minute settlement implementation* (Ref. ERC0331) proposal. The proposal seeks to provide contingency options for a potential delay to the implementation of the *National Electricity Amendment (Five minute settlement) rule 2017 (5MS rule)* and the *National Electricity Amendment (Global settlement) rule 2018 (GS rule)* if this is determined to be necessary. AEMO seeks to delay the implementation of these rules if an issue arises that cannot be managed by AEMO for the successful commencement of 5MS and GS soft start on 1 October 2021. The AEMC intends to expedite the proposal under s 96 as it considers the proposed Rule is urgent, subject to requests not to do so. Written requests not to expedite the proposal must be received by **19 August 2021**. Submissions must be received by **2 September 2021**.

Submissions can be made via the AEMC's website. Before making a submission, please review the AEMC's privacy statement on its website. Submissions should be made in accordance with the AEMC's *Guidelines for making written submissions on Rule change proposals*. The AEMC publishes all submissions on its website, subject to confidentiality.

Written requests should be sent to submissions@aemc.gov.au and cite the reference in the title. Before sending a request, please review the AEMC's privacy statement on its website.

Documents referred to above are available on the AEMC's website and are available for inspection at the AEMC's office.

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