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NOTICE

Inquiry into the Efficiency of Synergy's Costs and Electricity Tariffs

AMENDMENT TO TERMS OF REFERENCE

The Treasurer, in accordance with section 39 of the *Economic Regulation Authority Act 2003*, has approved an [amendment to the Terms of Reference](#) for the inquiry into the Efficiency of Synergy's Costs and Electricity Tariffs to remove the requirement to deliver a draft report for public consultation by a set date.

The extension was required to allow consultation to be deferred until the Authority has released its draft decision on Western Power's proposed revisions to the Access Arrangement for the Western Power Network expected in February 2012, as this draft decision is necessary to inform the Authority's decision in regard of the Inquiry into the Efficiency of Synergy's Costs and Electricity tariffs. The Authority expects to publish the draft report for this inquiry in late February 2012.

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