Wholesale Electricity Market Rule Change Proposal Submission Form

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Submission

1. Please provide your views on the proposal, including any objections or suggested revisions.

System Management proposes to amend the Market Rules to allow increased flexibility in relation to information required under Market Rules 3.16.4 and 3.17.5.

System Management proposes to use the change to remove firm obligations on Market Participants to provide information System Management does not currently use in order to complete the PASA process. Instead the change would give System Management the discretion to ask for the information should it be required in future.

Synergy views System Management's proposal as having some merit and does not foresee any material adverse impacts on Synergy's operations. As such, Synergy supports the proposal at this stage.

2. Please provide an assessment whether the change will better facilitate the achievement of the Market Objectives.

At this stage, Synergy accepts System Management's view that the proposed rule change would increase the certainty of the application of the rules, and aid economically efficient outcomes through the removal of obligations that are currently unnecessary for the operation of the PASA process.

3. Please indicate if the proposed change will have any implications for your organisation (for example changes to your IT or business systems) and any costs involved in implementing these changes.

At this stage, Synergy identifies no significant cost increases in implementing this rule change proposal.

4. Please indicate the time required for your organisation to implement the change, should it be accepted as proposed.

At this stage, Synergy believes that implementation of this rule change proposal would not take a protracted period of time to implement.

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