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## Sent by Email

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Dear Mr Rodwell

## **Exemption Application – Cape Preston Lateral (PL77)**

Your application for an exemption under Part 23 of the National Gas Rules, as applied in Western Australia, for the Cape Preston Lateral (PL77) has been assessed by the Economic Regulation Authority (ERA).

The ERA has decided to grant a Category 2 exemption for the Cape Preston Lateral. The exemption is valid from 20 June 2018 for five years, and expires on 20 June 2023.

This exemption may be varied or revoked at any time, in accordance with provisions in the National Gas Rules as applied in Western Australia.

As required under Rule 585(8) of the National Gas Rules (WA), please notify the ERA without delay if circumstances change such that the pipeline no longer qualifies for the exemption granted.

The Cape Preston Lateral must still comply with all other provisions in the National Gas Rules (WA) for which the exemption granted does not relate.

The ERA is required to establish, publish and maintain a register of exemptions. Your application will be published on the ERA's <u>website</u>.

Please contact either Robert Pullella or Tyson Self on 08 6557 7900, if you have any questions on this matter.

Yours sincerely

GREG WATKINSON MEMBER 20 / 06 / 2018