

INFORMATION

Clear Energy Pty Ltd

APPROVAL OF REPLACEMENT ELECTRICITY STANDARD FORM CONTRACT

The Economic Regulation Authority has <u>approved</u> the replacement standard form contract for the supply of electricity to small use customers submitted by Clear Energy Pty Ltd (Clear Energy).

The Authority requested that Clear Energy review its standard form contract to ensure compliance with the requirements of the new Australian Consumer Law and the current version of the Code of Conduct for the Supply of Electricity to Small Use Customers.

Clear Energy completed its review and requested that the Authority approve the replacement standard form contract. In accordance with the Authority's <u>Public Consultation Guidelines for Electricity</u>, <u>Gas and Water Licences and Electricity</u> & <u>Gas Standard Form Contracts</u>, the Authority has provided a 15 day public consultation period. There were no submissions received by the closing date of 24 October 2011.

Under the *Electricity Industry Act 2004*, the Authority must not approve a replacement standard form contract if it considers the contract does not meet the relevant regulations, any other written law, or any term, condition or provision of the licence.

A copy of the new Clear Energy standard form contract is available on the Authority's website.

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