



## **INFORMATION**

# Western Power invites submissions on its proposed new Shenton Park zone substation

Western Power has invited submissions on its proposal to construct a new Shenton Park zone substation.

Under the *Electricity Networks Access Code 2004* (Access Code) Western Power is required to consult with the public and interested parties about major augmentations to its covered network (the Western Power Network) and advise the Authority of its intention to do so. Pursuant to Appendix 7 of the Access Code, the Authority must publish Western Power's invitation for submissions on the Authority's website.

The proposed major augmentation will involve the construction of a new 132kV/11kV zone substation on land adjacent to the existing substation at Shenton Park. The new substation will contain two 66MVA 132/11/11kV transformers and two line circuits.

As a result of the augmentation, the existing Shenton Park zone substation will be decommissioned in the years to follow, along with the Herdsman Parade zone substation and University zone substation.

Further details about the proposed major augmentation can be found in the attached Western Power options paper.

The public is invited to make submissions to Western Power regarding alternative options or opinions on the proposed augmentation. As part of this consultation process, Western Power is hosting an afternoon and evening forum on Tuesday, 27 March 2012, to provide more detailed information on the proposal and to answer queries.

Please direct all enquiries regarding the proposal to Western Power. Additional information is available on Western Power's website: <a href="https://www.westernpower.com.au/westernterminal">www.westernpower.com.au/westernterminal</a>

Following the consultation process, Western Power must consider the views and alternative options that may be expressed in the submissions it receives. Subsequent to this it is expected that Western Power will submit a major augmentation proposal to the Authority, who must then determine whether the regulatory test prescribed in Chapter 9 of the Access Code has been satisfied.

#### **Submissions to Western Power**

Comments and submissions should be received by Western Power no later than 5:00pm on Tuesday, 10 April 2012.

Submissions can be lodged via mail or email, or delivered in person to Western Power.

#### **Post Submissions to:**

Shenton Park Substation Customer Service Centre Western Power GPO Box L921 PERTH WA 6842

#### **Email submissions to:**

shentonpark@westernpower.com.au

#### **Deliver submissions to:**

Shenton Park Substation Customer Service Centre Western Power Reception 363 Wellington Street PERTH WA 6000

### **General Enquiries**

For further information and general enquiries on Western Power's proposal please contact Western Power directly.

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