



## CONSULTATION

# **Esperance Gas Distribution Company Pty Ltd**

#### TRANSFER AND RENEWAL OF GAS TRADING LICENCE 11

The Economic Regulation Authority is seeking public comment on an application by the Esperance Gas Distribution Company Pty Ltd for the transfer and subsequent renewal of Gas Trading Licence 11 (**GTL11**).

Application for the transfer and renewal of GTL11

GTL11 is currently held by WorleyParsons Asset Management Pty Ltd and is due to expire on 14 March 2014.

Under the *Energy Coordination Act 1994*, the Authority is responsible for licensing gas supply services in Western Australia and must take all reasonable steps to decide on an application for the transfer or renewal of a licence within 90 days of it being submitted.

The transfer or renewal of a licence is subject to the Authority being satisfied that it would not be contrary to the public interest to do so and being satisfied that the applicant:

- a) has, and is likely to retain; or
- b) will acquire within a reasonable time after the renewal or transfer, and is then likely to retain.

the financial and technical resources to undertake the activities authorised, or to be authorised, by the licence.

Interested parties are invited to make submissions on the application by 4:00 pm (WST) on **Wednesday**, **12 February 2014**.

Submissions should be marked to the attention of the A/Assistant Director Licensing.

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#### **CONFIDENTIALITY**

In general, all submissions from interested parties will be treated as being in the public domain and placed on the Authority's website. Where an interested party wishes to make a submission in confidence, it should clearly indicate the parts of the submission for which confidentiality is claimed, and specify in reasonable detail the basis for the claim. Any claim of confidentiality will be considered in accordance with the provisions of the *Economic Regulation Authority Act 2003*.

The publication of a submission on the Authority's website shall not be taken as indicating that the Authority has knowledge either actual or constructive of the contents of a particular submission and, in particular, whether the submission in whole or part contains information of a confidential nature and no duty of confidence will arise for the Authority.

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