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INFORMATION

Economic Regulation Authority Consumer Consultative Committee

MEETING OF 5 MARCH 2014

The Economic Regulation Authority Consumer Consultative Committee (**ERACCC**) provides comment to the ERA on issues affecting Western Australian consumers and, in turn, acts as an information distribution channel for the ERA. Its members represent the interests of a wide range of consumers.

The ERACCC held its first meeting for the year on 5 March 2014. The following presentations were made to members:

- **Gas Access Arrangement** – Mr Tyson Self, Assistant Director Gas, addressed the access regulation of gas transmission and distribution networks.
- **Consumer Implications of the Rate of Return on Capital** – Mr Richard Begley, Principal Regulatory Advisor, spoke about the 2013 rate of return review and guidelines (under the National Gas Rules), including the National Gas Objective.
- **Consequences of Poor Infrastructure Coordination and Delivery** – Ms Rebecca Douthwaite, Policy Advisor, Property Council of Australia presented on the recent research into infrastructure in Western Australia and the effects of uncertainty and delay on the Western Australian property market and wider economy.
- **Western Power Standards Review** – Ms Elizabeth Walters, Assistant Director Electricity, discussed the 2012/13 Western Power Performance Report including service standard benchmarks in transmission, distribution and street lighting.
- **2013 Electricity & Gas Retail Performance Report Results** – Mr Paul Reid, Assistant Director Monitoring, spoke about the performance of electricity and gas retailers including market developments and residential performance trends.

More information about the ERACCC is available on the ERA [website](#).

The ERACCC will next meet on 4 June 2014.

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