



Notice

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Approval for Western Power to provide a constrained connection to Morton Seed & Grain's 885 kVA non-exporting generator

DETERMINATION

The Economic Regulation Authority has published a [Determination](#) approving an application from Western Power to provide a constrained connection arrangement to Morton Seed and Grain for a 885 kVA non-exporting generator at the Wagin Substation.

Western Power is exempted from complying with the requirements of Clause 2.9.4 of the Technical Rules with respect to the connection of the Morton Seed and Grain 885 kVA non-exporting generator. As part of the exemption, Western Power has proposed measures to mitigate any potential increase in safety risk to the extent possible without upgrading the substation.

The exemption will apply until the Wagin Substation is upgraded in the future, or until it is otherwise revoked in accordance with the provisions of the *Electricity Networks Access Code 2004*.

BACKGROUND

Western Power submitted an application to the Authority for an exemption from the Technical Rules on 12 May 2015. As part of the consultation and review process, the Authority published an issues paper and invited interested parties to make submissions on Western Power's application.

The Authority received submissions from Community Electricity, EFK Consulting Engineers, PerthEnergy, the Shire of Wagin and from the Honourable Jim Chown MLC – Member for the Agricultural Region which have been published on the Authority's [website](#).

All submissions received were in support of Western Power's application for an exemption from the Technical Rules.

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