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## **RULE CHANGE EXTENSION NOTICE**

### **Limits to Early Entry Capacity Payments**

#### **(RC\_2013\_21)**

This notice of extension is given under clause 2.5.12 of the Wholesale Electricity Market Rules (Market Rules).

**Submitter:** Allan Dawson, IMO

**Date submitted:** 10 January 2014

**Date of extension:** 23 May 2014

In accordance with clause 2.5.10 of the Market Rules, the IMO has extended the timeframe for the publication of the Final Rule Change Report for the Rule Change Proposal: Limits to Early Entry Capacity Payments (RC\_2013\_21) by 154 Business Days until **Wednesday, 31 December 2014**.

The date for the Minister's decision on the Rule Change Proposal is extended accordingly.

### **Reason for the Extension**

The IMO has extended the timeframe for the publication of the Final Rule Change Report beyond the usual 20 Business Days to allow the IMO to consider the outcomes of the State Government's Electricity Market Review and any potential impacts on this Rule Change Proposal.

### **Proposed Work Program**

- The IMO presents its final decision in the Final Rule Change Report.

If the IMO's decision is to approve the Rule Change Proposal, the following steps will also apply:

- The Minister considers the Rule Change Proposal and makes a decision regarding the proposed Amending Rules.
- The Amending Rules commence.



## Extended Timeline

The projected timelines for processing this proposal, including the extension are:



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