



Notice

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Goldfields Power Pty Ltd

Decision to grant electricity distribution licence

The Economic Regulation Authority has granted electricity distribution licence EDL8 to Goldfields Power Pty Ltd.

Goldfields Power holds an electricity generation licence (EGL11) to operate the Parkeston Power Station near Kalgoorlie and an electricity retail licence (ERL4) to retail electricity to large use customers.¹

Goldfields Power currently has one customer, Newmont Power Pty Ltd, that is directly connected to the Parkeston Power Station distribution system. Goldfields Power also sells any excess electricity in the Wholesale Electricity Market via a connection to the South West Interconnected System (through Western Power's sub-station located at the Parkeston Power Station).

Goldfields Power permits Western Power and Newmont Power to transport energy through its distribution system when the power station is not operating. Goldfields Power identified that this distribution service should be licensed.

The [ERA's decision](#), operating area plan [ERA-EL-083A](#) and [EDL8](#) are available on the ERA website.

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¹ Large use customers consume more than 160 megawatt-hours of electricity per year