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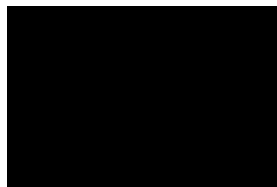
Dear Kurt,

We refer to your letter dated 21 May 2021 requesting an exemption for the MUJA_G5 facility (Facility) from obligations relating to Generator Performance Standards (GPS) under the Wholesale Electricity Market (WEM) Rules.

Western Power has considered Synergy's request against clause 3A.3.1 of the WEM Rules, and your request for an exemption has been approved. Western Power and AEMO agree that the cost incurred by Synergy of complying with these clauses is reasonably likely to outweigh the benefit of requiring Synergy to comply. As a result, Synergy is exempt from all of the requirements of WEM Rules sections 3A.1, 3A.2, and 3A.5 to 3A.12 and Appendix 12 of the WEM Rules with respect to the MUJA_G5 Facility.

Western Power has granted this exemption on the basis that MUJA_G5 is scheduled to be permanently retired on 1 October 2022 and that there are no known adverse impacts on Power System Security or Power System Reliability associated with the Facility. Any changes to this proposed retirement date or any new information regarding the Facility require a formal notification to Western Power and may trigger a review of this exemption.

If you have any queries or require further assistance in this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Mike Chapman on 9326 4540 or via email technical.rules@westernpower.com.au.



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