



# Notice

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## Determination of Pilbara networks rate of return

### Publication of submissions

The Economic Regulation Authority has published public submissions received in response to an issues paper on the Pilbara networks rate of return.

The *Pilbara Networks Access Code* specifies that the ERA must determine the rate of return to be applied to the capital base for the first pricing period of up to five years. The Code covers two Pilbara electricity networks: Alinta Energy's Port Hedland network and Horizon Power's coastal network.

On 7 September 2021 the ERA released an issues paper stakeholder comment. In the issues paper the ERA set out a preliminary approach to determining the rate of return and sought submissions on how the risks of the Pilbara networks may affect their rate of return.

The ERA appreciates the input from interested parties and will consider the matters raised in its final determination. The submissions can be found on the [ERA website](#).

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