



Notice

11 November 2021

Western Power model alternative options contract

Publication of submissions

The Economic Regulation Authority has published [public submissions](#) received in response to a consultation on Western Power's proposed model alternative options contract.

The model contract forms part of Western Power's alternative options strategy that it is required to publish under the Electricity Network's Access Code 2004. The requirement for an alternative options strategy was introduced as part of the changes made to the Access Code in September 2020 to support the delivery of the State Government's Energy Transformation Strategy. The changes provide greater transparency and opportunity for third parties to provide efficient non-network solutions to Western Power.

As indicated in the notice published on 19 October, the submissions have been provided to Western Power for its consideration, which should include discussion as needed with relevant stakeholders. Western Power has been requested to submit a revised model alternative options contract to the ERA containing any changes made after consideration of the submissions and a report detailing the changes made or, where changes proposed in submissions have not been agreed to by Western Power, the reasons for not adopting those changes.

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