



Notice

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2022 gas rate of return instrument review

Appointment of consumer reference group

The Economic Regulation Authority has appointed the members of the consumer reference group for [the 2022 gas rate of return instrument review consultation process](#). The appointed consumer reference group members are:

- Dr John Fallon (Chair), economist
- Adrienne LaBombard, Chamber of Minerals and Energy
- Graham Hansen, Western Australian Council of Social Service
- Paul Keay, energy industry professional.

The gas rate of return instrument is used to determine the allowed rate of return on capital for regulated gas network service providers in Western Australia. The rate of return provides service providers with the funding to pay interest on any loans and give a return on equity to investors.

The consumer reference group will provide feedback to the ERA throughout the review, representing broad consumer perspectives. The consumer reference group may directly engage with consumers for insight as the review progresses. The ERA is not required to adopt any recommendations from the consumer reference group, but must consider them.

The ERA will publish any written advice, recommendations or submissions provided by the consumer reference group.

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