



Notice

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Merredin Project Company Pty Ltd

Consultation on licence transfer application

The Economic Regulation Authority is seeking public comment on the application to transfer electricity generation licence EGL28 from Merredin Solar Farm Nominee Pty Ltd to Merredin Project Company Pty Ltd.

EGL28 authorises Merredin Solar Farm Nominee to operate the Merredin Solar Farm, located approximately 260km east of Perth. The solar farm has a capacity of 100 megawatts and is connected to the South West Interconnected System through Western Power's Merredin Terminal Substation.

Merredin Project Company has applied to transfer EGL28 when it completes its purchase of the solar farm from Merredin Solar Farm Nominee.¹

A summary of the [licence transfer application](#) is available on the ERA website.

The transfer of the licence is subject to the ERA being satisfied that it would not be contrary to the public interest and that the applicant:

- has, and is likely to retain, or
- will acquire within a reasonable time after the transfer, and is then likely to retain,

the financial and technical resources to undertake the activities authorised by the licence.

The ERA must also have regard to the matters set out in section 26 of the *Economic Regulation Authority Act 2003*, which includes having regard to the long-term interests of consumers.

Invitation for submissions

The ERA invites interested parties to make submissions on the licence transfer application.

Submissions close 4:00 pm (WST) Thursday, 14 April 2022.

Submissions should be lodged online using the form on our website www.erawa.com.au/consultation.

¹ MSFN and MPC entered into an asset and business sale agreement for the sale of the Merredin Solar Farm on 25 October 2021.

Further information

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