



Notice

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2022 gas rate of return instrument review

Extension of deadline for submissions on consultant report on debt-raising and debt-hedging costs

The Economic Regulation Authority has granted an extension of time for submissions on a consultant report on debt-raising and debt-hedging costs for the 2022 gas rate of return instrument review. Submissions are now due by 4:00 pm (WST) on 13 April 2022.

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.

On 15 March 2022, the ERA has published a [report](#) by Chairmont Consulting (Chairmont) on debt-raising and debt-hedging costs, which are the administrative costs and other charges incurred by businesses when obtaining and hedging debt finance.

The ERA will consider public submissions received in response to the report as part of its draft decision.

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