



Notice

30 June 2022

Western Power's technical rules

Proposals to amend the rules received in 2021/22

The Economic Regulation Authority received one proposal to amend Western Power's technical rules during the 2021/22 financial year.

Western Power submitted a proposal to amend its technical rules on 30 July 2021. The proposal was published on the ERA's website on 6 August 2021.

The *Electricity Networks Access Code 2004* requires Western Power to have technical rules in place that set out the standards, procedures and planning criteria governing the Western Power network.

Under section 12.50 of the Access Code, any interested person may submit a proposal to amend Western Power's technical rules. The ERA is responsible for approving any amendments to the technical rules.

Western Power's proposed changes were substantial and intended to reflect changes to the Wholesale Electricity Market Rules and other changes associated with the State Government's Energy Transformation process.

Following the proposal's submission, further changes were made to the Wholesale Electricity Market Rules and other regulatory instruments as part of the Energy Transformation process. Western Power is currently reviewing its application in consultation with Energy Policy WA to ensure that it reflects and is consistent with these changes.

Consequently, the ERA suspended its review of the proposal until Western Power submits an amended application.

Further information

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