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NOTICE

APPLICATION RECEIVED FOR GAS TRADING LICENCE AND GAS DISTRIBUTION LICENCE

20 April 2007

The Economic Regulation Authority is assessing applications from Origin Energy LPG Ltd for licences to distribute and trade gas in Kalbarri in Western Australia.

The company submitted its initial applications on 14 July, 2006, and the Authority requested a range of additional information to complete them. The information was provided on 11 April 2007.

The Authority is responsible for licensing gas supply services in Western Australia (under the *Energy Coordination Act 1994*) and must take all reasonable steps to decide on the application within 90 days of it being made.

This is subject to the Authority being satisfied that it would not be contrary to the public interest to do so if it is satisfied that the applicant:

- a) has, and is likely to retain; or
- b) will acquire within a reasonable time after the grant, and is then likely to retain,

the financial and technical resources to undertake the activities authorised, or to be authorised, by the licences.

The information as provided by the applicant is attached.

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Applicant's Details	Name	Origin Energy LPG Ltd ACN 000 508 369
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Company Structure	ABN or ACN	77 000 508 369
	Legal Nature of Applicant	Origin Energy LPG Ltd is a wholly owned subsidiary of Origin Energy Limited (ABN 30 000 051 696), a publicly listed company on the Australian Stock Exchange.
	Place of Incorporation	New South Wales

Classification of the Licence Application	Type of Licence Applications	Distribution
For Trading licences only	Number of Customers	265 residential & 12 commercial

Designated area of the Licence Application	Specific Area and/or Address to be covered by this licence.	Super Lot 1 Special Site George Grey Dr. Kalbarri WA 6536
	If the area covered by this licence is restricted to less than 4 Local Government Areas (LGAs) please list	Licence covers > 3 LGAs Else specific LGAs covered 1.Northhampton 2 3
	Region(s) to be covered by this licence	Mid-West

Certification - Acknowledgement of Commitment

I declare that the information provided in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge and I am aware of the requirements under the Act for the licence being applied for and that I have the authority to make this application on behalf of the above entity.

Signed by or on behalf of the applicant¹.

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Position: General Manager, LPG

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