

NOTICE

Invitation for Public Submissions

Draft Report on the Review of the REMCo Gas Retail Market Scheme

The Economic Regulation Authority has released a draft report on the review of the Retail Energy Market Company (**REMCo**) gas Retail Market Scheme (**RMS**). The draft report is available on the Authority's [web site](#).

On 20 August 2007 the Authority released an issues paper inviting public submissions, over a six week period, on REMCo's gas RMS. Five submissions were received on the issues paper. These submissions were from Alinta Sales Pty Ltd, the APA Group, Dampier Bunbury Pipeline, Synergy and the Office of Energy. The submissions are available on the Authority's [web site](#). Following consideration of these submissions the Authority has prepared a draft report.

In its draft report, the Authority concluded that the REMCo gas RMS is currently operating satisfactorily and that no changes to the provisions of the scheme to achieve the purposes set out in section 11ZOB of the Energy Coordination Act 1994 appear to be warranted. The Authority made one recommendation in this report, to the effect that REMCo should address the training concerns expressed by a number of market participants in relation to the swing service rules, by arranging for a suitable training provider to provide the required training on appropriate commercial terms.

Public Submissions

The Authority invites submissions from interested parties on its draft report. All submissions should be in electronic and hard copy form and must be received by **4:00pm WDST on Friday 1 February 2008**.

Written submissions should be mailed to:

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In general, all submissions from interested parties will be treated as in the public domain and placed on the Authority's web site.

Where an interested party wishes to make a submission in confidence, it should clearly indicate the parts of the submission for which confidentiality is claimed and specify in reasonable detail the basis for the claim.

The publication of a submission on the Authority's web site shall not be taken as indicating that the Authority has knowledge either actual or constructive of the contents of a particular submission and, in particular, whether the submission in whole or part contains information of a confidential nature and no duty of confidence will arise for the Authority.

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