



# NOTICE

## Proposed Revised Access Arrangement for the Mid-West and South-West Distribution System

### EXTENSION OF TIME TO LODGE SUBMISSION

The Economic Regulation Authority has received a submission from WA Gas Networks Pty Ltd (**WAGN**) in response to the Authority's draft decision on the proposed revised access arrangement for the Mid-West and South-West gas distribution system (**GDS**).

The submission is available on the Authority's [website](#). It relates only to the Template Haulage Contract for the GDS proposed revised access arrangement.

In a letter dated 1 October 2010, available on the Authority's [website](#), WAGN made an application for an extension of time to the revision period referred to in Rule 59(3) of the National Gas Rules (**NGR**). The Authority has granted a one week extension of time until **4:00 pm (WST) on 8 October 2010**.

WAGN lodged its proposed revisions to the GDS on 29 January 2010 and the Authority issued its draft decision on 17 August 2010.

The NGR requires the Authority to allow at least 20 business days from the end of the revision period for public submissions on the draft decision. For this reason, the Authority is also extending the submission date for interested parties to make submissions on the Authority's draft decision to **4:00 pm (WST) on Friday, 5 November 2010**.

The NGR sets out, under section 61, time limits for issuance of the final decision. Section 11 of the NGR provides the Authority with the discretion to disregard specified time periods in the calculation of the elapsed time for a final decision. Accordingly, the Authority has decided to disregard the additional week provided above for public submissions on the draft decision.

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