



# INFORMATION

## Gas Marketing Code Consultative Committee

### APPOINTMENTS

The Economic Regulation Authority has announced new appointments to the Gas Marketing Code Consultative Committee for the period 2011-2013.

The following nominees have been appointed as industry representatives:

- Mr Geoff White – Alinta Sales
- Mr Simon Thackray - Synergy
- Mr Brendan McColl – Wesfarmers Kleenheat

The following nominees have been appointed as consumer organisation representatives:

- Mr Andrew Canion – Small Enterprise Network (Chamber of Commerce & Industry)
- Ms Amelia Brancato – Western Australian Council of Social Service
- Ms Julie Abela – Salvation Army

The Department of Commerce has appointed Mr Gerry Milford and the Office of Energy has appointed Ms Lita Geros as government representatives to the committee.

Mr Paul Kelly, Executive Director, Licensing, Monitoring & Customer Protection from the Authority will continue as Chairman of the committee.

Under the *Energy Coordination Act 1994* the Authority may, in consultation with the committee, approve a code of conduct to regulate and control the conduct of the holders of trading licences and gas marketing agents, with the object of protecting customers from undesirable marketing conduct and defining standards of conduct in the marketing of gas to customers. The code is known as the *Gas Marketing Code of Conduct*.

The Act requires that the Authority establish the committee to undertake the statutory review of the code every two years and to advise the Authority regarding proposed amendments to the code.

The committee will commence its work shortly and will undertake consultation before providing its advice to the Authority.

Terms of Reference for the committee are available on the Authority's [website](#).

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