



# CONSULTATION

## Compliance Enforcement Policy - Electricity, Gas and Water Licences

### INVITATION FOR PUBLIC SUBMISSIONS

The Economic Regulation Authority is seeking public comment on the [draft Compliance Enforcement Policy - Electricity, Gas and Water Licences](#) (**Compliance Policy**).

The purpose of the Compliance Policy is to:

- outline the general compliance enforcement provisions in the electricity, gas and water licensing legislation;
- inform licensees, consumers and other stakeholders about the Authority's approach to compliance and compliance enforcement;
- describe how the Authority investigates compliance issues;
- guide decision making and action by the Authority in the application of enforcement options; and
- ensure consistency of compliance enforcement across electricity, water and gas sectors.

Interested parties are invited to make submissions in print and electronic form on the Compliance Policy by **4:00 pm (WST) on Monday, 9 May 2011**.

Submissions should be marked to the attention of Mr Paul Reid, Assistant Director Monitoring.

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