



INFORMATION

Dampier to Bunbury Natural Gas Pipeline: Proposed Revised Access Arrangement

DISCLOSURE OF APPENDIX 4 OF DRAFT DECISION

The Economic Regulation Authority has today published a re-printed version of its Draft Decision on the proposed revised access arrangement for the Dampier to Bunbury Natural Gas Pipeline.

The draft decision has been reprinted to include information previously forming part of confidential Appendix 4.

The document can be found on the Authority's [website](#).

In publishing Appendix 4, the Authority has decided to disclose information that DBNGP (WA) Transmission Pty Ltd (**DBP**) has claimed to be confidential. This disclosure decision has been made pursuant to section 329 of the Western Australian National Gas Access Law (**NGL (WA)**), as implemented by the *National Gas Access (WA) Act 2009*.

The reprinted draft decision incorporates the corrigenda published today in a separate notice.

BACKGROUND

Notice of Disclosure

On 14 March 2011, the Authority published its draft decision on DBP's proposed revisions to the DBNGP access arrangement. The decision contained a number of redactions and the redacted text was placed in the confidential Appendix 4 of the draft decision.

The Authority issued an Initial Disclosure Notice to DBP on 29 March 2011 giving notice of the Authority's intention to disclose information in Appendix 4 that DBP claimed to be confidential. DBP was given until 4:00 PM Tuesday 5 April 2011, to make representations to the Authority not to disclose the information in question.

The Authority considered DBP's representations and on 19 April 2011, the Authority issued a Further Disclosure Notice to DBP pursuant to section 329(6) of the NGL(WA) giving notice of the Authority's intention to disclose information that DBP claimed to be confidential. The Authority is authorised to disclose the information that is the subject of the Further Disclosure Notice pursuant to section 329(1).

Proposed revised access arrangement

The Authority made its draft decision on DBP's proposed revised access arrangement for the DBNGP on 14 March 2011. DBP was required to respond to the draft decision by 18 April 2011 and public submissions are due by 20 May 2011.

DBP submitted its amended revised access arrangement proposal on 18 April 2011.

The relevant documents can be found on the Authority's [website](#).

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