

NOTICE

DECISION ON SOUTHERN CROSS ENERGY PARTNERSHIP: ELECTRICITY SUPPLY LICENCE APPLICATIONS

The Economic Regulation Authority has granted Generation, Transmission, Distribution and Retail Licences to TEC Desert Pty Ltd and TEC Desert No. 2 Pty Ltd trading as Southern Cross Energy partnership. The licence areas are located within the South West Interconnected System and portions of the Goldfields-Esperance and Mid-West Local Government Areas.

The Generation, Transmission and Distribution Licences are granted for a period of 30 years and the Retail Licence is granted for a period of 15 years. All Licences commence on 30 June 2006.

Copies of the Authority's Decision together with all the Licence documents are available on the Authority's website <http://www.era.wa.gov.au>. These documents are available from the Authority, at a cost of \$25.00, by telephoning the Authority on (08) 92131900.

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