

Notice to all Participants,

5 September 2016

## Notice of AEMO decision to amend the Victorian Retail Market Procedures

This notice advises Registered participants and other interested persons that consultation under the expedited process for making Procedures prescribed under Rule 135EF of the National Gas Rules (NGR) concluded on 5 September 2016 for:

## - IN019/15 Calculation of Effective Degree Days

Prior to commencing the expedited consultation process, the draft Impact and Implementation Report (I&IR) was considered by the Gas Retail Consultative Forum (GRCF).

As required under rule 135EF of the NGR, Gas Market Registered Participants and other interested parties were invited to submit comments to AEMO on the I&IR for this proposal, including draft amendments to Attachment 6 – Net System Profile Methodology in the Victorian Retail Market Procedures (RMP).

Attachment A of this notice includes the consolidated stakeholder feedback AEMO received during this consultation phase. This attachment includes stakeholder's comments, AEMO's responses and, based on those responses, indicate where the feedback resulted in further amendment to Attachment 6 – Net System Profile Methodology in the Victorian RMP.

Having considered this proposal and the issues raised during the consultation, AEMO has decided to make the amendments attached to this notice to take effect at <u>6:00am</u> on <u>Monday</u> **27 September 2016**.

AEMO has decided not to make the proposed amendments in the I&IR. After considering stakeholder feedback on the I&IR, AEMO has decided to amend section 3.2.4 of Attachment 6 – Net System Profile of the Victorian RMP to replace the existing reference to 'Laverton' with 'Melbourne Airport'. Further explanation on the amendment is included in the consolidated stakeholder feedback.

A copy of the amended Victorian RMP and other associated documentation have been published on AEMO's <u>website</u>.

Should you require any further information please contact Taryn Maroney on (02) 8884 5609.



## **Attachment A**

Attachment A, which includes the consolidated stakeholder feedback to the I&IR and AEMO's Response, is attached separately to this notice.