

Notice of AEMO decision

This Notice is to advise of AEMO's decision to amend the User Guide to MIBB Reports. The amendments to the User Guide include:

- INT126 DFS Data - Remove weather data from MIBB report which will no longer be published following changes to AEMO's DWGM Demand Forecasting System (DFS) which changes weather data provider. This report change is effective from 15 April 2024.

The User Guide to MIBB Reports is a Technical Document under the *electronic communication procedures*. The change process for the User Guide is defined in section 2.5 of the procedure and requires, unless the change is required for a Rule or Procedure change, that:

- (a) A draft User Guide to MIBB Reports is published for consultation on AEMO's website.
- (b) AEMO sends to the relevant Consultative Forum members a draft of the User Guide to MIBB Reports a minimum of 20 business days prior to implementation of the change.
- (c) The final User Guide to MIBB Reports is published.
- (d) The final User Guide is published a minimum of 10 business days prior to implementation of the change on the MIBB.

The consultation process had the following stages:

- Draft User Guide to MIBB Reports published: 14 February 2024
- Consultation submissions due: 14 March 2024
- Notice of Decision published: 28 March 2024
- Effective Date: 15 April 2024

Registered participants were invited to submit comments to AEMO on amendments to the User Guide to MIBB Reports. AEMO received no submissions to the consultation.

Please note the following inclusions to the User Guide to MIBB Reports :

- (a) As part of the consultation for changes to Procedures to reflect the rule changes for distribution connected facilities and to extend the gas regulatory framework to accommodate renewable gases, AEMO published a Notice of Decision on 15 December 2023 to amend a number of Procedures, including

version 16.0 of the User Guide to MIBB Reports with an effective date of “1 May 2024”.¹

- (b) Version 16.1 of the User Guide to MIBB Reports will be published on 15 April 2024 and, subject to this consultation, version 16.1 of the User Guide to MIBB Reports will note that the changes to INT126 DFS Data report will have an effective date of “15 April 2024”. The changes published in the Notice of Decision on 15 December 2023 (ie version 16.0) have an effective date of “1 May 2024”.

AEMO has approved the proposed User Guide to MIBB Reports issued for this consultation as set out in Attachment A of this Notice.

¹ See consultation webpage: <https://www.aemo.com.au/consultations/current-and-closed-consultations/amendments-to-victorian-declared-wholesale-gas-market-and-retail-market-1-may-2024-release>

Attachment A. Wholesale Market Procedure Changes

The User Guide to MIBB Reports is attached to this decision.

Attachment B. Technical Specifications

The Electronic Communication Procedure, effective from 1 May 2024, has proposed that changes to the User Guide to MIBB Reports will be performed via AEMO releasing updates to the DWGM Technical Specifications, periodically published as part of the project.

These DWGM Technical Specifications can be found on AEMO's webpage: [IT change and release management](#) under the heading "Gas Markets and Systems" under the "Declared Wholesale Gas Market (DWGM)" heading.

This will be the primary communication forum for DWGM IT releases in future. These changes notifications are sent to Gas Wholesale Consultative Forum contacts along with Gas IT Development Forum contacts. The DWGM Technical Specification for this IT change can be found on the link: [DWGM Technical Specification](#).

This document will be updated from time to time.