

EXTENSION OF THE TIME AND DATE FOR COMMENCEMENT OF PPCL0013: POWER SYSTEM OPERATION PROCEDURE: DISPATCH

In accordance with clause 2.11.4 of the Market Rules, the Independent Market Operator (IMO) has extended the time and date for commencement of System Management's Procedure Change Proposal PPCL0013¹ "Power System Operation Procedure: Dispatch" to coincide with the commencement of PPCL0014 "Power System Operation Procedure: Dispatch".

Reason from the extension

Following the conclusion of the Procedure Change Process for PPCL0013 System Management identified two amendments to this PSOP that had undesirable implications for Market Participants, System Management and the IMO. These amendments have been identified as being unable to be implemented; therefore the IMO considers that Market Participants will never have sufficient time to implement the necessary changes required by the amended PSOP.

These two areas of concern from PPCL0013 have subsequently been amended under the Procedure Change Proposal PPCL0014 which has been approved by the IMO and will commence on 1 March 2010.

Consequently the IMO has decided to extend the time and date for the commencement of PPCL0013 to 1 March 2010 so that PPCL0013 and PPCL0014 commence simultaneously. This means that the unworkable provisions in PPCL0013 will be immediately replaced by the provisions in PPCL0014.

Details of the extension

To mitigate any undesirable implications for Market Participants, System Management and the IMO, both procedure change proposals need to commence at the same time and date. Therefore, the commencement date of PPCL0013 is extended from 1 February 2010 until **Monday, 1 March 2010**.

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¹ www.imowa.com.au/PPCL0013