#### Five Minute Settlements Project: High-Level Impact Assessment

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| Document Title | MDM File Format and Load Process |
| Rule Consultation Req. | No | Priority | Medium |
| Prepared by |  | Business Owner | Metering |
| Consultation Group | Metering | Consultation Package |  |
| Link | [MDM File Format and Load Process](http://aemo.com.au/-/media/Files/Electricity/NEM/Retail_and_Metering/Metering-Procedures/2017/MDM-File-Format-and-Upload-Process.pdf) |

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| Description of Document | Specifies the Meter Data Management (MDM) Format to be used by MDPs for the provision of metering data to AEMO. Also details the process for uploading the MDM files and the validations that occur when a file is submitted. |
| Precedent Procedures / External Documents | MSATS MDM ProcedureMDFF Specification | Dependent Procedures / External Documents |  |
| Summary of Changes – Five Minute Settlements  | Update references to 288 trading intervals or 5-minute data as required.Include process to upload MDFF metering data files for delivery to AEMO. |
| Summary of Potential Changes – Global Settlements  | No changes identified at this stage |
| External Stakeholder Impacted | Yes – MDPs | AEMO Business Units Impacted |  |
| Issues for Stakeholder Consultation | New MDM database – How will MDPs load/access the data, can it still be accessed via MSATS if MDM database is held externally. Remove requirement for netted datastreams to AEMO, and any references to N datastream. |
| System Impact | Yes |