

Notice of call for submissions on Procedure Change Proposal

Clause 2.10.7 of the Wholesale Electricity Market Rules

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| Procedure Change Proposal No: | AEPC_2024_02 |
| Name of WEM Procedure: | WEM Procedure: Certification of Reserve Capacity |
| Date of this notice: | 28 February 2024 |

This notice informs all Rule Participants and interested parties that AEMO has published a Procedure Change Proposal in respect of the WEM Procedure: Supplementary Capacity (**Procedure**). AEMO invites submissions on the Procedure Change Proposal.

This consultation is being conducted in accordance with the Procedure Change Process set out in section 2.10 of the Wholesale Electricity Market Rules (**WEM Rules**).

Matters under consultation

AEMO has initiated this Procedure Change Proposal to make changes to the Procedure following amendments to the WEM Rules¹ in December 2023 to implement the outcomes from the RCM Review affecting the 2024 Reserve Capacity Cycle. These amendments included:

- Changes to the certification methodology for Demand Side Programmes.
- Removal of Planned Outage rate calculations.

AEMO is seeking comment and feedback on:

- whether the proposed changes to the Procedure effectively implement AEMO’s intended outcomes and give effect to the Amending Rules.

The consultation process

The consultation process is outlined below. Dates are indicative only and subject to change.

| Process Stage | Indicative Date |
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| Publication of Procedure Change Proposal | 28 February 2024 |
| APCWG | 21 February 2024 |

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| Process Stage | Indicative Date |
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| Closing date for submissions on Procedure Change Proposal | 28 March 2024 |
| Publication of Procedure Change Report | 15 April 2024 |
| Proposed commencement of amended Procedure | 15 April 2024 |

Invitation to make submissions

AEMO invites submissions on this Procedure Change Proposal, including any alternative options or drafting you consider may improve the proposed WEM Procedure or better meet the Wholesale Market Objectives specified in section 122(2) of the *Electricity Industry Act 2004* (and clause 1.2.1 of the WEM Rules).

Please identify any parts of your submission that you wish to remain confidential and explain why. AEMO may still publish that information if it does not consider it to be confidential in accordance with the WEM Rules, but will consult with you before doing so.

Meetings

Before the closing date for submissions, you may request a meeting with AEMO to discuss the issues and proposed changes raised in the Procedure Change Proposal, stating why you consider a meeting is necessary or desirable.

If appropriate, meetings may be held jointly with other stakeholders. Subject to confidentiality restrictions, AEMO will generally make details of matters discussed at a meeting available to other stakeholders and may publish those details.

Closing date and time

Submissions on the Procedure Change Proposal should be sent by email to wa.marketdevelopment@aemo.com.au, by 5:00 PM (Australian Western Standard Time) on 28 March 2024.

All submissions must be provided in PDF or Microsoft Word format. Please send any queries about this consultation to the same email address.

AEMO is not obliged to consider submissions received after the closing date and time. Any late submissions should explain the reason for delay and the detriment to you if AEMO does not consider your submission.

Publication

All submissions will be published on AEMO's website. Confidential information will not be published, other than as specified above.