

Implementation of RERT



(Reliability & Emergency Reserve Trader Provisions)

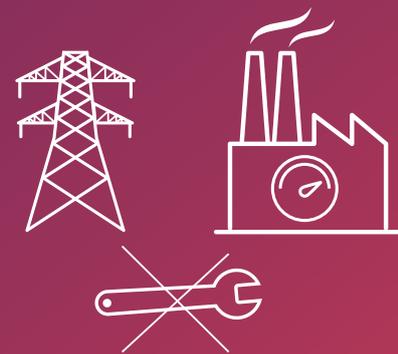
AEMO's role is to deliver energy security for all Australians.



Extreme weather conditions (including very hot temperatures or storm events) and/or generation outages can impact system security and reliability.



AEMO issues a Lack of Reserve (LOR) notice to electricity market participants where there is a short-term risk of forecast demand exceeding supply. In a worst-case scenario, involuntary load shedding is triggered to maintain the stability of the overall power system.



AEMO will attempt to strategically manage the network to mitigate the need for load shedding using a range of technical measures.



RERT is a program outside the wholesale market where large electricity users are contracted by AEMO to either use less energy or generate power from their own generators.