

Meeting Date: 21 April 2020

WORK PLAN UPDATE

MARKET DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY GROUP

Note: This paper has been prepared for the purpose of updating the Market Development Advisory Group. Content should not be interpreted as representing the views or policy of the Electricity Authority.

Status of current projects

Table 1: Review of spot market trading conduct provisions project milestones

Activity	Dates (indicative)	Status
Initiation		
MDAG agrees to include project in work plan	28 November 2017 (1 st MDAG meeting)	Completed
MDAG agrees project plan	8 February 2018	Completed
MDAG agrees problem definition	December 2019	Completed
MDAG publish initial discussion pack	28 June 2019	Completed
MDAG hold stakeholder briefing	30 July 2019	Completed
MDAG meeting	30 October 2019	Completed
Submit discussion paper to Board for comment	18 November 2019	Completed
MDAG meeting (teleconference)	17 December	Completed
Authority Board meeting	6 December 2019	Completed
MDAG meeting (teleconference)	4 February 2020	Completed
MDAG finalises discussion paper	25 February 2020	Completed
MDAG releases discussion paper for consultation	25 February 2020	Completed
<i>Consultation period (6 weeks)</i>	25 Feb – 5pm 4 May 2020	Ongoing
<i>Videoconference stakeholder briefing</i>	3 March 2020	Completed
<i>Wellington stakeholder briefing</i>	5 March 2020	Completed
<i>Cross-submissions (3 weeks)</i>	4 May – 5pm, 27 May 2020	
MDAG meeting – submissions will have closed, discuss any material it has been possible to circulate by this point and brainstorm structure of recommendations paper	19 May	
Panel discussions?	May-June	

MDAG prepare summary of submissions	11 June	
MDAG meeting – cross subs will have closed, discuss summary of submissions	17 Jun	
MDAG meeting – discuss draft recommendations paper	21 Jul	
MDAG meeting – finalise recommendation paper	2 Sep	
MDAG submit recommendations paper to Board	Mid-Sep	
Board meeting: present recommendations paper	7 Oct	

Table 2: Review of New generating technologies project milestones

Activity	Dates	Status
Initiation		
MDAG agrees to include project in their work	October 2019	Completed
MDAG refines problem definition	June 2019	Completed
<i>Milestones below subject to agreement by MDAG:</i>		
MDAG review outline for recommendations paper	October 2019	Completed
MDAG finalise recommendations paper	December 2019	Ongoing – seeking Group's approval to finalise the paper at April 2020 meeting
Submit paper to Board to consider recommendations	To be confirmed	