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Dear Jason

Review of competition in the wholesale market

Thank you for your response to the Electricity Authority's recent fact checking process to support the *Market Monitoring Review of structure, conduct and performance in the wholesale market* and associated issues paper. I appreciate your team's efforts to respond to the fact checking request, as well as its engagement in relation to information requests so far.

The Authority has considered your comments on the extracts and the content of your letter.

The enclosed document tracks where changes will be made to the Review paper on account of your comments regarding the accuracy of the extracts you reviewed. **s 9(2)(b)(ii) and s9(2)(ba)(i)**

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You raised two other comments on the Issues paper. Those comments have now been reflected in the Issues paper.

Finally, I note that Meridian's Chief Executive has been invited to attend a meeting with the Authority's Chief Executive and Chair during the week of 11 October, where any outstanding issues on the fact checking process can be discussed.

In the meantime, please contact me if you have any questions about this letter or the attached document.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'AM' with a large loop at the bottom.

PP:

Andrew Doube
General Manager Market Policy