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Settlement and Prudential Review: 2011-12

The Authority has started work on a review of the settlement and prudential security arrangements in part 14 of the Code.

Further details are available at:

- <http://www.ea.govt.nz/our-work/programmes/market/settlement-prudential-review/>

Consultation Calendar

A Consultation Calendar featuring the Authority's priority projects under the Act is available at:

- <http://www.ea.govt.nz/about-us/documents-publications/work-programme/>

The calendar also includes updates on other key projects.

Reporting compliance with arm's-length rules

The Authority reminds directors of businesses involved in electricity distribution, generation and retailing to which the arm's-length rules apply that, under section 89(1) of the Electricity Industry Act 2010 (Act), they must provide a statement to the Authority confirming whether or not they have complied with the arm's-length rules in the preceding calendar year.


The statement must be received no later than 31 March in each reporting year and must be publicised by respondents and the Authority.

The statement form is available at:

- <http://www.ea.govt.nz/act-code-regs/part-3-of-the-act/>

Participant registration

The Authority reminds participants that section 9 of the Electricity Industry Act 2010 (Act) specifies information to be provided by participants for registration purposes.



Section 29 of the Act, requires participants to ensure this information is up to date. Failure to register or to update information is an offence under section 31 of the Act.

Further details are available at:

- <http://www.ea.govt.nz/act-code-regs/participant-register/>

Please direct updates to the Compliance Administrator maree.mcgregor@ea.govt.nz.

Registry: Monthly review

The Registry carries out a monthly maintenance review to ensure that Registry user issues are addressed in a timely manner. Release notes detailing this monthly maintenance are available at:

- <http://www.ea.govt.nz/industry/market/registry-icps/registry-monthly-maintenance-notes-process/>

Call for Nominations for Standing Data Formats Group (SDFG) Vacancy

The Authority is calling for nominations to fill a vacancy in the Standing Data Formats Group (SDFG).

The SDFG is the Authority working group which manages changes to the electricity information exchange protocols (EIEPs) that enable low-cost exchange of standardised and reliable information between participants.

Further information on the SDFG can be found at:

- <http://www.ea.govt.nz/our-work/advisory-working-groups/sdfg/>

Nominations with 'Nomination for SDFG' in the subject-line should be emailed to info@ea.govt.nz by 4.00pm Friday, 25 March 2011.

Market Development Advisory Group (MDAG): 10 February 2011

Group minutes are available at:

- <http://www.ea.govt.nz/our-work/advisory-working-groups/mdag/10Feb11/>

Current consultations

- Capacity offer for Whirinaki

The Authority has reviewed the current Whirinaki capacity offer and alternative options.

The paper is available at:

<http://www.ea.govt.nz/our-work/consultations/sos/whirinaki-capacity-offer/>

Starting: 01/03/2011, Ending: 22/03/2011 5:00pm

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