

**Electricity Industry Participation (Information Flows)  
Code Amendment 2013**

Pursuant to section 38 of the Electricity Industry Act 2010, I make the following amendments to the Electricity Industry Participation Code 2010.

At Wellington on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 2013



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**Amendment**

- 1      Title**  
This is the Electricity Industry Participation (Information Flows) Code Amendment 2013.
- 2      Commencement**  
This amendment comes into force on 13 June 2013.
- 3      Code amended**  
This amendment amends the Electricity Industry Participation Code 2010.
- 4      Clause 14.36 amended (Issue of invoices)**  
In clause 14.36, after subclause (3), insert:  
"(4) Despite anything in this clause, if the **clearing manager** receives revised **reconciliation information** from the **reconciliation manager**, the **clearing manager** must use that revised **reconciliation information** in preparing the next invoices to **purchasers**".
- 5      Clause 15.15 replaced (Notification of points of connection subject to outages or alternative supply)**  
Replace clause 15.15 with:  
**"15.15 Notification of points of connection subject to outages or alternative supply**  
"No later than 2 hours after **publication** of **final prices** for all **trading periods** in a **consumption period**,—  
"(a) the **system operator** must notify the **reconciliation manager** of the following:  
"(i) each **point of connection** to the **grid** that was **disconnected** in the **consumption period**:  
"(ii) in relation to each **point of connection** referred to in subparagraph (i), the **trading periods** in the **consumption period** during which the **point of connection** to the **grid** was **disconnected**; and

- "(b) each **grid owner** must notify the **reconciliation manager** of the following:
- "(i) each **point of connection** to the **grid** that was supplied from an alternative **point of connection** in the **consumption period**:
  - "(ii) in relation to each **point of connection** referred to in subparagraph (i), the **trading periods** in the **consumption period** during which the **point of connection** to the **grid** was supplied from an alternative **point of connection**".

**6 Clause 15.17 amended (Submission information to be reviewed in the case of an outage constraint)**

In clause 15.17(c), replace "by 1600 hours on the 2<sup>nd</sup> **business day** of each **consumption period**" with "as soon as reasonably practicable, but no later than 2 **business days** after **publication of final prices**".

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**Explanatory Note**

*This note is not part of the amendment, but is intended to indicate its general effect.*

This amendment to the Electricity Industry Participation Code 2010 comes into force on 13 June 2013.

The amendment clarifies aspects of timing in relation to the reconciliation process. It also relieves the system operator of a role under clause 15.15, and imposes notification requirements on grid owners.

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