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Submissions
Electricity Authority
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Dear Sir / Madam,

RE: Wholesale market information: Review of disclosure exclusions

Pioneer appreciates the opportunity to make submissions on the Wholesale Advisory Group's consideration of disclosure exclusions relating to wholesale market information.

Pioneer has not reviewed the suggested options for Code changes in detail but strongly agree that information disclosure provides benefits. We support the focus on timely and accurate information disclosure on outages and major financial contracts. From our perspective as a small player in the wholesale market our interest is to see timely information that is easy for people entering the market to access and understand. The information disclosure rules should also limit the ability of any party to abuse their market power and enable proactive and regular monitoring to ensure compliance.

We agree the suggested market facilitation measures could deliver additional benefits.

Yours sincerely



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Chief Executive