

To: Electricity Governance Board

From: Transpower as System Operator

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A Grid Emergency was declared at 20:44 hours on 05 May 2008 until 07:30 hours on 06 May 2008 pursuant to rule GIII 8.1 of the Electricity Governance Rules and Regulations.

In accordance with Part C schedule C4 Policy Statement, a Grid Emergency was declared because for the loss of the Atarau Dobson 1 circuit the Coleridge Otira 2 circuit would exceed its advised rating. Demand management then grid reconfiguration alleviated the problem.