

To: Electricity Governance Board

From: Transpower as System Operator

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A Grid Emergency was declared on 23 September 2005 from 15:56 hours until 21:00 hours pursuant to rule GIII 8.1 of the Electricity Governance Rules and Regulations.

In accordance with Part C schedule C4 Policy Statement para 52, a Grid Emergency was declared, as the short-term post contingent rating of Coleridge Otira 1 was at risk of being exceeded for a contingency of Coleridge Otira 2 and Coleridge Otira 2 was at risk of being exceeded for a contingency of Coleridge Otira 1. Voluntary load reductions and increased generation alleviated the contingency.