

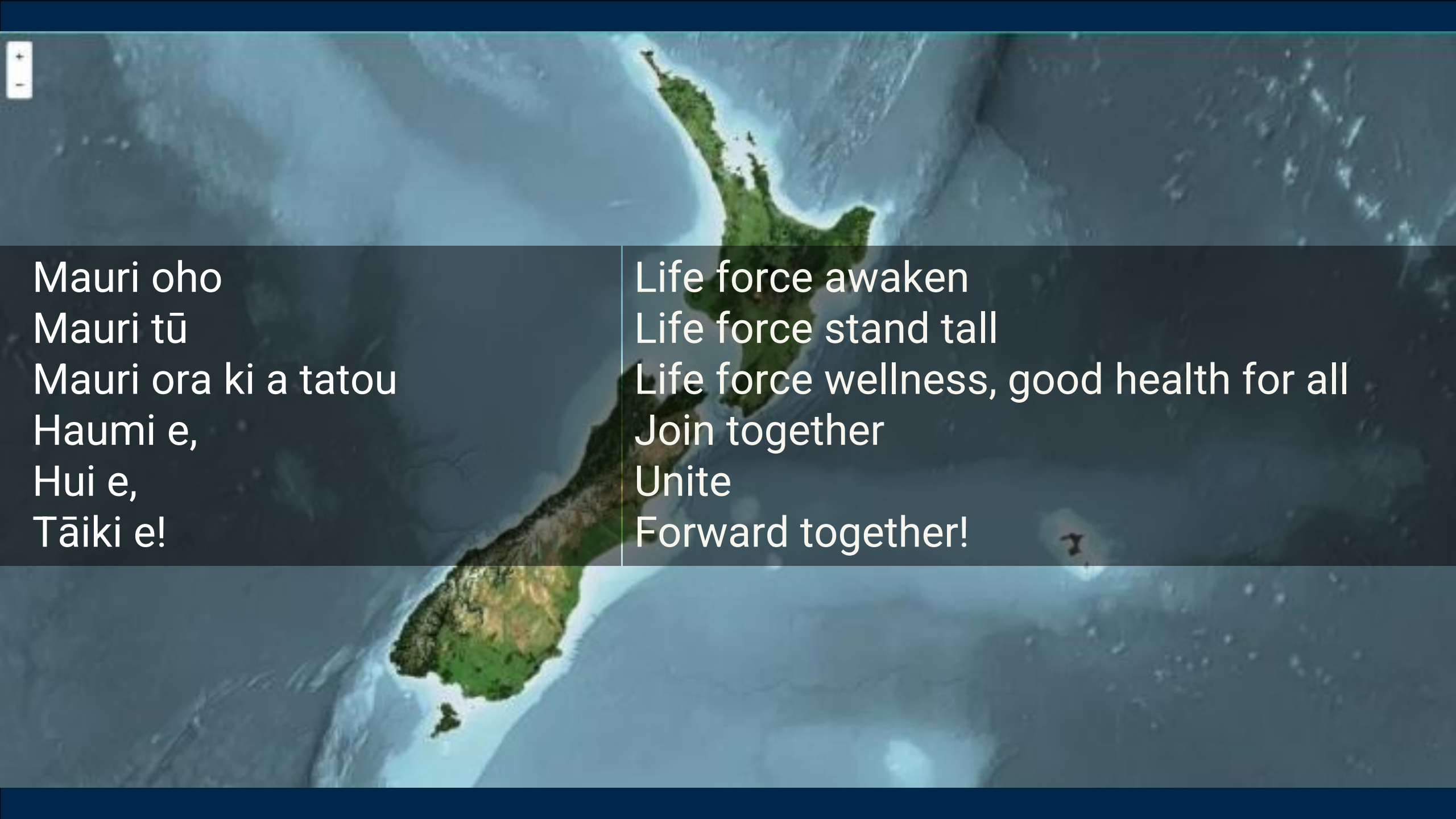
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**'Reforming network pricing for distributed generation to promote
efficient investment' Webinar**

Reforming network pricing for distributed generation to promote efficient investment

Consultation 2 April – 15 May 2026

A satellite-style map of New Zealand is shown, with a semi-transparent dark grey box overlaid on the left and center. The map shows the two main islands, North and South Island, with green landmasses and blue oceans. In the top left corner of the map area, there is a small white box containing a plus sign (+) above a minus sign (-).

Mauri oho
Mauri tū
Mauri ora ki a tatou
Haumi e,
Hui e,
Tāiki e!

Life force awaken
Life force stand tall
Life force wellness, good health for all
Join together
Unite
Forward together!

Agenda

Introduction

Tim Sparks, GM Networks and System Change

Background and issues

Janet Humphris, Manager, Network Pricing

Proposed Code amendments

Daniela Aguilar, Analyst, Network Pricing

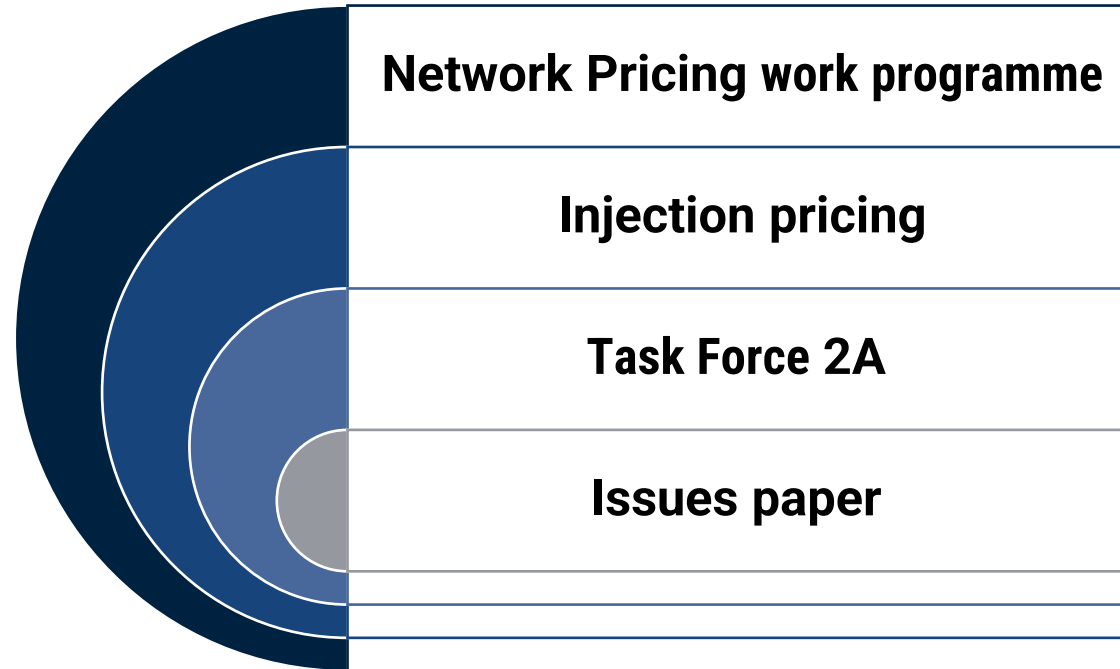
Potential further reform

Daniela Aguilar, Analyst, Network Pricing

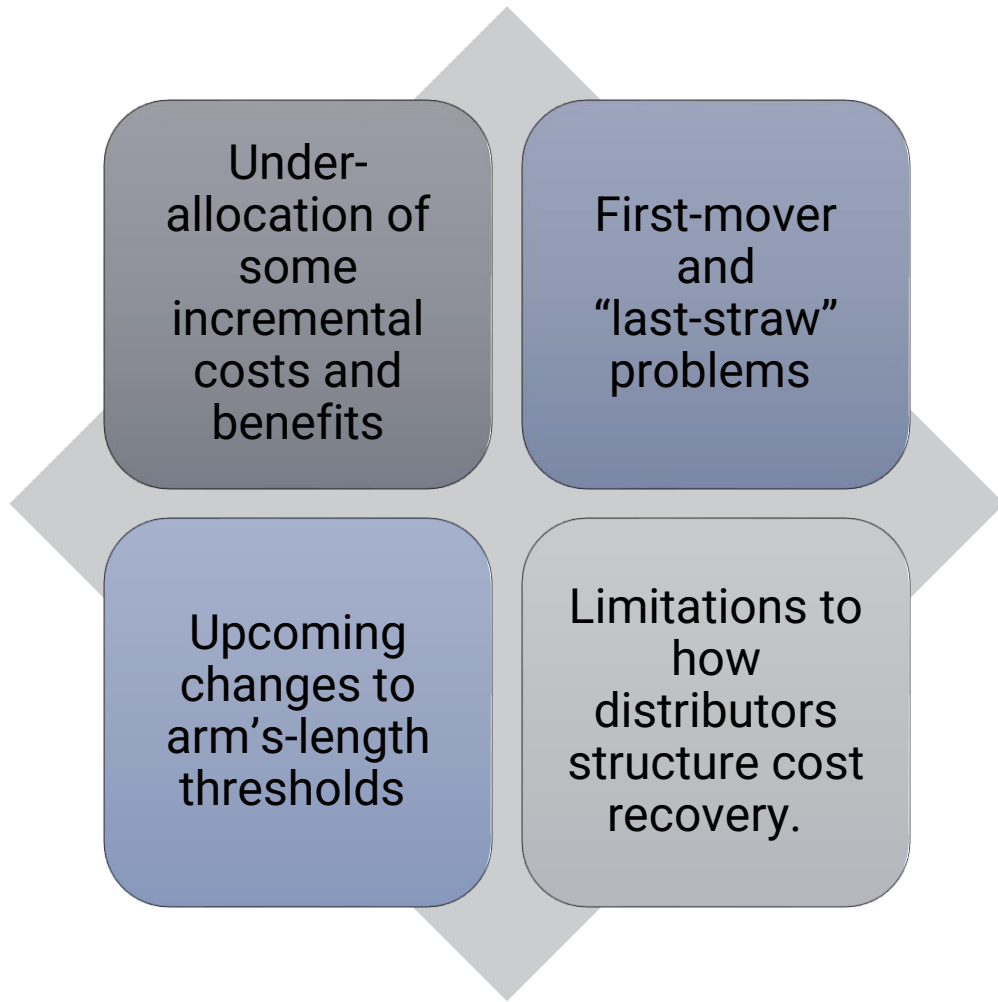
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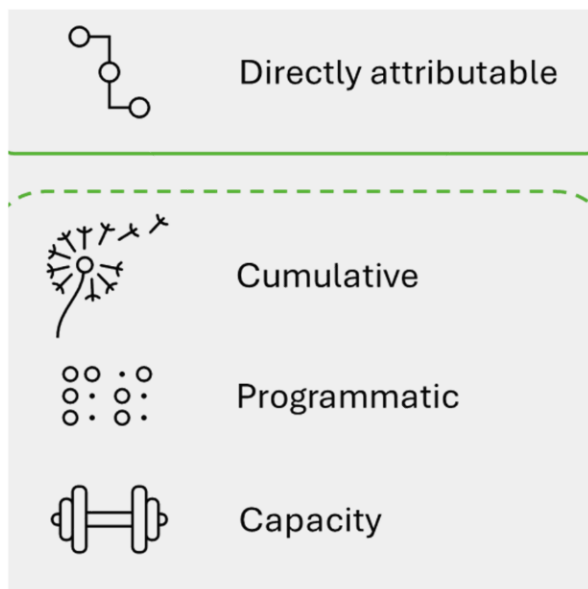
Background



Issues



Proposals



Replace distributed generation and load with *injection* and *offtake*

Replace cap with 'anchor'

Clarify: Distributors can allocate – cumulative, programmatic, capacity **costs and benefits**

Clarify: can use mix of connection and lines charges

Unify pioneer scheme arrangements

Add non-discrimination principle

Fold into charge reconciliation requirements

Potential further reform

Guidance on allocating capacity costs, and using congestion charging

Transmission bypass incentive (TPM connection charges)

Transmission benefits



Questions?
Pātai?

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Kia tau kia tātou katoa
Te āio, te aroha me te marutau
Tihei Mauri Ora!

May peace, love and safety
Be upon us all.
The breath of life!