Wholesale Electricity Market Rule Change Proposal Submission Form

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Submission

1. Please provide your views on the proposal, including any objections or suggested revisions.

On 11 September 2008 the Independent Market Operator (IMO) submitted a Rule Change Proposal regarding changes to clauses 2.12, 2.15A, 2.14.6A, 2.14.6B, 2.14.7, 2.14.8 and 2.14.9 of the Wholesale Electricity Market Rules (Market Rules).

Synergy supports the position put forward by the IMO that changes are required to the Market Rules to recognise the current obligations and powers associated with the IMO and System Management's compliance activities. Synergy supports the rule change proposal, as drafted, as correctly reflecting the actual obligations and powers of these parties.

2. Please provide an assessment whether the change will better facilitate the achievement of the Market Objectives.

Synergy accepts the IMO's view that the proposed rule change supports the operation of the Market Objectives.

3. Please indicate if the proposed change will have any implications for your organisation (for example changes to your IT or business systems) and any costs involved in implementing these changes.

Synergy does not identify any substantial cost implications in implementing this rule change.

4. Please indicate the time required for your organisation to implement the change, should it be accepted as proposed.

Synergy does not anticipate that this rule change proposal will take a protracted period of time to implement.