
**Wholesale Electricity Market
Rule Change Proposal Submission Form**

RC_2009_41 Removal of Appendix 8 - “Top-up and Spill Rules”

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Submission

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

Synergy supports Rule Change Proposal RC_2009_41, which acts to remove Appendix 8 - Top-up and Spill (**TUAS**) Rules, and associated clauses, from the Market Rules. As the TUAS service ceased operations after the WEM balancing and trading arrangements commenced, Appendix 8 is no longer required in the Market Rules.

Synergy supports progressing this Rule Change Proposal using the Fast Track Rule Change Process.

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

Removal of Appendix 8 will ensure that the Market Rules are less lengthy and confusing, particularly to new Market Participants and, as such, Synergy believes that the proposed changes will be consistent with 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 would not require any changes to IT or business systems nor incur any organisational costs as a consequence of adopting the proposed change.

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

Synergy would be able to implement this rule change immediately.
