RC_2011_05: Curtailable Load Dispatch Clarification

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Submission

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

LGP supports the intent of the Rule Change Proposal on the grounds that it improves the clarity and transparency of the Market Rules.

Notwithstanding that the proposed changes will be superseded by the prospective Balancing Market, we also support implementing the Rule Change immediately so as to improve the Dispatch Process over the coming summer.

We would also note for the record that our support for this proposal is based on seeking a simple and effective temporary solution. But for the prospective Balancing Market, we would otherwise prefer that a Curtailable Load be allocated to a dispatch category (Non-Verve Liquid or Non-Verve None-Liquid) according to its submitted price; that is, treated as liquid when more than the non-liquid price cap, and non-liquid otherwise.

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

LGP considers that the proposed Rule Change is consistent with all the Market Objectives and improves the integrity of the Market Rules by improving clarity and transparency.

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

The change will have minimal impact in LGP

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

LGP would welcome immediate implementation.