

**Commerce Commission – Submissions received on input methodologies review draft decision and Gas DPP reset – 5 August 2016**

Good afternoon

**Submissions on input methodologies review draft decisions papers**

Today we published submissions responding to our input methodologies review (IM review) draft decisions papers.

The submissions we received are from:

- Air New Zealand
- Alpine Energy
- Auckland Airport
- Aurora
- Board of Airlines Representatives New Zealand Inc. (BARNZ)
- Christchurch Airport
- Contact Energy
- Eastland Network Ltd
- Electricity Networks Association (ENA)
- Electricity Retailers' Association of New Zealand (ERANZ)
- First Gas
- First State Investments
- GasNet
- Genesis
- International Air Transport Association (IATA)
- Mercury
- Meridian Energy
- Methanex
- Major Electricity Users' Group (MEUG)
- Major Gas Users Group (MGUG)
- Molly Melhuish
- Network Tasman
- New Zealand Airports Association (NZAA)

- Orion
- Pat Duignan
- Pioneer Energy
- Powerco
- PwC
- Transpower
- Trustpower
- Unison
- Vector
- Wellington Airport
- Wellington Electricity Lines Ltd

We thank these parties for their submissions.

The submissions are available on our website at: <http://www.comcom.govt.nz/regulated-industries/input-methodologies-2/input-methodologies-review/>.

### **Submissions on Gas DPP reset implementation paper and financial model**

Today we also published submissions responding to our Gas DPP reset implementation paper and financial model.

The submissions we received are from:

- First Gas
- GasNet
- Methanex
- MGUG
- Powerco
- PwC
- Vector

We thank these parties for their submissions.

The submissions are available on our website at: <http://www.comcom.govt.nz/regulated-industries/gas-pipelines/gas-default-price-quality-path/2017-2022-gas-dpp/>.

## Cross-submissions

We invite cross-submissions on the IM review draft decisions papers and on the Gas DPP reset implementation paper. As previously advised:

- Cross-submissions on the IM review draft decisions papers (excluding those on Topic paper 4 – Cost of capital issues) and submissions on draft amended determinations are due by **5pm on Thursday 18 August 2016**;
- Cross-submissions on Topic paper 4 – Cost of capital issues are due by **5pm on Thursday 25 August 2016**; and
- Cross-submissions on the Gas DPP reset implementation paper and financial model are due by **5pm on Thursday 18 August 2016**.

At this time we would also like to remind all stakeholders of the importance of meeting submission timeframes. It is not the Commission's policy to grant extensions on submission timeframes when extensions are requested just before the due date. Due to considerations of fairness to all stakeholders we ask that where an issue arises with a required due date, submitters inform the Commission as early as possible that they have a problem meeting the deadline and of the reasons for this problem.

We also note that the cross-submission process is designed to give stakeholders an opportunity to comment on points already raised in submissions by other stakeholders only.

Kind regards

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