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Andy Burgess Commerce Commission 44 The Terrace Wellington 6140 By email: im.review@comcom.govt.nz

Dear Andy,

Input Methodologies (IM) review – Submission of expert report August 2023

Who we are:

We are a collaborative group of three price-quality regulated gas distribution businesses (GDBs) in New Zealand - FirstGas, PowerCo, and Vector. We formed in 2021 in light of the recent gas default price-quality path reset and continue to collaborate on the IM review.

Expert report submission:

The group is submitting Frontier Economics memorandum 'Response to MGUG submission' for cross-submissions to the Commerce Commission's draft decision on the IM review.

We would welcome further discussion with you on any aspects of the report.

Your sincerely,



Richard Sharp - on behalf of the Group