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Aurora Energy Limited Electricity Distribution Customised Price-Quality Path (Compliance Statement Due Date) Amendment Determination 2023

[2023] NZCC 4

The Commission:

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1 March 2023	[2023] NZCC 4	Aurora Energy Limited Electricity
	5000	Distribution Customised Price-Quality Path
		(Compliance Statement Due Date)
		Amendment Determination 2023 [2023]
		NZCC 4

[Drafting notes:

- This amendment determination amends the Aurora Energy Limited Electricity
 Distribution Customised Price-Quality Path Determination 2021 [2021] NZCC 3 to
 extend the due date for Aurora Energy Limited to provide the annual price-setting
 compliance statement (for the CPP assessment period commencing 1 April 2023) to
 before 19 April 2023.
- The amendment is made under s 52Q of the Commerce Act 1986).]

Aurora Energy Electricity Distribution Services Customised Price-Quality Path (Compliance Statement Due Date) Amendment Determination 2023

Under Part 4 of the Commerce Act 1986 (the **Act**), the Commerce Commission makes the following determination:

1. TITLE

1.1. This determination is the Aurora Energy Electricity Distribution Customised Price-Quality Path (Compliance Statement Due Date) Amendment Determination 2023.

2. DETERMINATION AMENDED

2.1. This determination amends the Aurora Energy Limited Electricity Distribution Customised Price-Quality Path Determination 2021 [2021] NZCC 3 (principal determination).

3. COMMENCEMENT

3.1. This determination comes into force on the date specified in the notice published in the New Zealand Gazette for this determination in accordance with s 52Q(4) of the Act and s 74(1) of the Legislation Act 2019.

4. INTERPRETATION

- 4.1. Unless the context otherwise requires:
 - 4.1.1. terms used in this determination that are defined in the Act but not in this determination have the same meanings as in the Act; and
 - 4.1.2. terms used in this determination that are defined in the principal determination have the same meanings as in the principal determination.

AMENDMENTS

5. In clause 11 of the principal determination, replace clause 11.1(a) so that it reads:

11.1 Aurora must -

- (a) provide to the **Commission** a written 'annual price-setting compliance statement' in respect of
 - the first CPP assessment period, within 20 working days after the start of the first CPP assessment period;
 - (ii) price setting for the second to fifth CPP assessment period, before the start of the relevant CPP assessment period (except the third CPP assessment period for which Aurora must provide the annual pricesetting compliance statement before 19 April 2023); and

Vhari McWha Associate Commissioner
Dated at Wellington this 1st day of March 2023
COMMERCE COMMISSION