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

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		Price-Quality Path (Compliance Statement
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[Drafting notes:

- This amendment determination amends the Electricity Distribution Services Default Price-Quality Path Determination 2020 [2019] NZCC 21 to extend the due date for electricity distribution businesses to provide the annual price-setting compliance statement (for the assessment period commencing 1 April 2023) to before 19 April 2023.
- The amendment is made under s 52Q of the Commerce Act 1986).]

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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 Electricity Distribution Services Default Price-Quality Path (Compliance Statement Due Date) Amendment Determination 2023.

2. DETERMINATION AMENDED

2.1. This determination amends the Electricity Distribution Services Default Price-Quality Path Determination 2020 [2019] NZCC 21 (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(3) 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.

5. AMENDMENTS

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

11.1 A non-exempt EDB must-

(a) provide to the **Commission** a written 'annual price-setting compliance statement' in respect of **price** setting for each **assessment period** before the start of each **assessment period** (except the **assessment period** commencing 1 April 2023 for which a **non-exempt EDB** must provide the 'annual price-setting compliance statement' before 19 April 2023);

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