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Attention: Tasmanian Economic Regulator

2015 Network Reliability Review – CLOSED SUBMISSION

Basslink has seen in recent years the increased softening of the Tasmanian AC network through greater penetration of asynchronous generators displacing synchronous generation. This situation has already created instances that have impeded the effectiveness of the Tasmanian AC network being able to facilitate secure integration of Basslink on import into Tasmania. Most critical to the Regulator is the reality that Basslink may not be able to import into Tasmania due to this ongoing softening.

The trend of the market to dispatch large synchronous generation geographically remote to Basslink exacerbates the weakened synchronous support in the Georgetown area. To this end Basslink Pty Ltd would kindly request an opportunity to meeting with the regulator to discuss these issues further.

Please feel free to contact me to discuss further or organise a time for meeting.

Yours sincerely



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