

ELECTRICITY SUPPLY INDUSTRY ACT 1995

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT No. 3

of the

ELECTRICITY TRANSMISSION LICENCE

issued to

TRANSEND NETWORKS PTY LTD

(ACN 082 586 892)

on

18 December 1998

Background

On 26 November 2004, the Regulator issued Notice of Amendment No. 2 [Notice 2] in respect of the transmission licence held by Transend Networks Pty Ltd [Transend].

Proposed clauses 14 (Network Development) and 15 (Annual Planning Statement) were inadvertently omitted from Notice 2. Along with other proposed changes, these clauses were the subject of consultation in the development of Notice 2 and Transend accepted the inclusion of them. However, they were overlooked in the drafting of the documentation.

The Regulator now wishes to amend the licence further to incorporate the proposed clauses 14 and 15, including consequential additions to the list of definitions.

In addition, the Regulator wishes to correct three typographical errors in clause 1 of the licence.

Transend has agreed to the making of the changes set out in this Notice of Amendment No. 3.

Decision

Pursuant to section 28 of the *Electricity Supply Industry Act 1995*, the electricity transmission licence issued on 18 December 1998 to Transend Networks Pty Ltd and amended on 14 October 2002 and 26 November 2004 is further amended by:

- A) inserting the word “is” after “authority” in the last line of clause 1.1.
- B) deleting the word “and” last occurring in the third line of clause 1.2.
- C) replacing the words “This **Licensee**” in the first line of clause 1.3 with the words “The **Licensee**”.
- D) inserting the following clause:

14 Network Development

- 14.1 The **Licensee** shall propose, plan and procure all those network augmentations or other works or services that may be required or appropriate to satisfy any **jurisdictional transmission planning criteria** or the **regulatory test**.

E) inserting the following clause:

15 Annual Planning Statement

15.1 The *Licensee* shall publish an Annual Planning Statement that shall provide such information and analysis as may be specified by the *Regulator* in any relevant *guideline*.

F) inserting the following definitions in Part 1 of Schedule 2:

- a. "*jurisdictional transmission planning criteria*" has the same meaning as in the *Code*;
- b. "*regulatory test*" has the same meaning as in the *National Electricity Code*;

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Andrew John Reeves

Regulator

24 December 2004