



Draft National Electricity Amendment (Improving transparency and extending duration of MT PASA) Rule 2020

under the National Electricity Law to the extent applied by:

- (a) the National Electricity (South Australia) Act 1996 of South Australia;
- (b) the Electricity (National Scheme) Act 1997 of the Australian Capital Territory;
- (c) the Electricity - National Scheme (Queensland) Act 1997 of Queensland;
- (d) the Electricity - National Scheme (Tasmania) Act 1999 of Tasmania;
- (e) the National Electricity (New South Wales) Act 1997 of New South Wales;
- (f) the National Electricity (Victoria) Act 2005 of Victoria;
- (g) the National Electricity (Northern Territory) (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2015 of the Northern Territory; and
- (h) the Australian Energy Market Act 2004 of the Commonwealth.

The Australian Energy Market Commission makes the following Rule under the National Electricity Law.

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Chairman
Australian Energy Market Commission

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1 Title of Rule

This Rule is the *Draft National Electricity Amendment (Improving transparency and extending duration of MT PASA) Rule 2020*.

2 Commencement

Schedule 1 of this Rule commences operation on 20 February 2020.

Schedule 2 of this Rule commences operation on 20 May 2020.

Schedule 3 of this Rule commences operation on 20 August 2020.

Schedule 4 of this Rule commences operation on 22 February 2021.

3 Amendment to the National Electricity Rules

The National Electricity Rules are amended as set out in Schedule 1.

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The National Electricity Rules are amended as set out in Schedule 2.

5 Amendment to the National Electricity Rules

The National Electricity Rules are amended as set out in Schedule 3.

6 Amendment to the National Electricity Rules

The National Electricity Rules are amended as set out in Schedule 4.

Schedule 1 Amendment to the National Electricity Rules

(Clause 3)

[1] Clause 3.7.2 Medium term PASA

In clause 3.7.2(c)(2), omit "[Deleted]" and substitute:

- (2) the capabilities of *generating units* for which formal commitments have been made for construction or installation;

[2] Clause 3.7.2 Medium term PASA

In the opening paragraph of clause 3.7.2(d), after "with the *timetable*", insert "and must represent the *Scheduled Generator's* or *Market Participant's* current intentions and best estimates".

Schedule 2 Amendment to the National Electricity Rules

(Clause 4)

[1] Clause 3.7.2 Medium term PASA

Omit clause 3.7.2(g) and substitute:

- (g) Forecast data supplied under clause 3.7.2(f) is to be supplied in a format consistent with the format of the demand data published under clause 3.13.4(x).
- (h) *AEMO* must publish the procedure it uses for preparation of the *medium term PASA*.

[2] Clause 3.7.2 Medium term PASA

In clause 3.7.2(d)(1), omit "paragraph (g)" and substitute "paragraph (h)".

Schedule 3 Amendment to the National Electricity Rules

(Clause 5)

[1] Clause 3.7.2 Medium term PASA

In clause 3.7.2(f)(5), after "*region*", insert "and individual *scheduled generating unit PASA availability*".

[2] Clause 3.7.2 Medium term PASA

At the end of clause 3.7.2(f)(5B), delete "and".

[3] Clause 3.7.2 Medium term PASA

After clause 3.7.2(f)(5B), insert:

(5C) the adjusted maximum and minimum aggregate *scheduled generating unit PASA availability* for each *region* following adjustment for the inclusion of *Scheduled Generator* probabilistic forced outage data; and

Schedule 4 Amendment to the National Electricity Rules

(Clause 6)

[1] Clause 3.7.1 Administration of PASA

In clause 3.7.1(b), omit "2 years" and substitute "3 years".

[2] Clause 3.7.1 Administration of PASA

In clause 3.7.1(c)(1), omit "24 months" and substitute "36 months".

[3] Clause 3.7.1 Administration of PASA

In clause 3.7.1(c)(2), omit "24 months" and substitute "36 months".

[4] Clause 3.7.2 Medium term PASA

In clause 3.7.2(a), omit "24 month" and substitute "36 month".