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Graeme Finlayson General Manager AER Ergon Energy PO Box 264 Fortitude Valley QLD 4006

Dear Mr Finlayson

Re: Ergon Energy submission on Jemena Gas Network's Access Arrangements

Thank you for your 27 March 2015 submission on Jemena Gas Network's Access Arrangement for 2015-20. We will take your submission into account in our consideration of Jemena Gas Network's final decision.

However, the AER is exercising its discretion under clauses 6.14(a) and 6A.16(a) of the National Electricity Rules to not consider the submission for other processes currently under consideration. These include the April 2015 decisions for:

- (a) ActewAGL
- (b) Ausgrid, Endeavour Energy and Essential Energy
- (c) Directlink
- (d) TasNetworks
- (e) TransGrid
- (f) Energex
- (g) Ergon
- (h) SA Power Networks

Your submission was received a considerable amount of time after the time for making submissions on these processes closed. As we are in the final stages of our review processes for those businesses, there is not sufficient time for the AER, consumers, or

any of the regulated businesses to comment upon or respond to Ergon Energy's submission in a meaningful way.

Please contact John Skinner on (02) 9230 3855 if you have any questions in relation to this matter.

Yours sincerely

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