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**Roma to Brisbane Pipeline (RBP)  
access arrangement (AA) proposal  
12 April 2012 to 30 June 2017**

**Public forum  
30 November 2011**

# Housekeeping matters

- **Please sign the attendance sheet**
- **The forum is intended to be informal**
- **Questions should be asked through the chair**
- **A record of this meeting will be made**

# Purpose of the forum

**This forum is being held to:**

- assist users and prospective users to understand APT Petroleum Pipeline Ltd (APTPPL) access arrangement proposal for the RBP**
- encourage submissions on the proposal**

# The proposal

- **APTPPL submitted its AA proposal for RBP on 12 October 2011.**
- **The AER conducted a preliminary examination of the proposal and found that there are a number of omissions from the proposal.**
- **On 21 October the AER sent a notice to APTPPL requiring it to submit further information. The AER decided under rule 11(1)(b) to stop-the-clock.**
- **APTPPL subsequently submitted additional information and the clock was restarted on 11 November**
- **The proposal was published on 16 November and is available on the AER's website**

# Submissions

- Interested parties can forward submissions on the proposal to [rbp@aer.gov.au](mailto:rbp@aer.gov.au), until 19 December 2011
- The AER's access arrangement guideline provides guidance on making submissions
- Timeframes under the NGL and NGR limit the AER's ability to accept late submissions

# Consultants

- **Opex and capex forecasts: Wilson Cook**
- **Demand forecasts: SKM MMA**

# Indicative Timeline

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| <b>Submissions on proposals due</b>       | <b>19 December 2011</b> |
| <b>Release of draft decision</b>          | <b>April 2012</b>       |
| <b>Public forum on draft decision</b>     | <b>April 2012</b>       |
| <b>Revised proposals to be submitted</b>  | <b>April 2012</b>       |
| <b>Submissions on draft decisions due</b> | <b>May 2012</b>         |
| <b>Release of final decision</b>          | <b>July 2012</b>        |