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Chris Pattas General Manager – Network Operations and Development Australian Energy Regulator GPO Box 520 MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Dear Chris

PROJECTS COMMENCED UNDER THE REGULATORY TEST

In accordance with Clause 11.50.5(c) of the National Electricity Rules, each network service provider (NSP) is required to submit to the Australian Energy Regulator (AER), by 31 December 2013, a list of projects which they consider should fall under the Regulatory Test. To facilitate this, the AER has, in the Regulatory investment test for distribution Application Guidelines, provided NSPs with guidance on when the AER would consider that an NSP has commenced assessing a project under the Regulatory Test.

Ergon Energy, in its capacity as a Distribution Network Service Provider in Queensland, has considered the AER's guidance and provides the attached list of projects which it considers meet the requirements of a project which has commenced under the Regulatory Test (refer Table 1 Attachment A).

Should you require additional information or wish to discuss these projects, please do not hesitate to contact either myself on (07) 3851 6416 or Trudy Fraser on (07) 3851 6787.

Yours sincerely

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Region	Stage	Published date
Agnes Water	Waiting on Consultation & Draft Recommendation	since 2008
Cairns Northern Beaches (Smithfield)	Final	15/12/08
Mt St John and Bohle	Waiting on Final Report	since 2011
Palm Island	Waiting on Consultation & Draft Recommendation	since August 2012
Charlton Industrial Area	DAPR	30/09/2013
Riordanvale	DAPR	30/09/2013
Lower Burnett River Area	DAPR	30/09/2013
Emerald	RFI	8/10/2013
Southern Tablelands (Malanda)	Consultation and Draft Recommendations	11/12/2013
South Mackay	RFI	28/10/2013
Stanthorpe	RFI	13/11/2013
South of Kingaroy area (Kumbia)	RFI	27/11/2013
Boyne Island / Tannum Sands	RFI	11/12/2013
Gladstone South area	RFI	17/12/2013
Gracemere area	RFI	18/12/2013
Tennyson Street zone substation rebuild	DAPR	30/09/2013
Walkerston zone substation	DAPR	30/09/2013
Dysart 66/22Kv transformers	DAPR	30/09/2013

Table 1: Projects which have commenced the Regulatory Test process by 31/12/2013