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Dear Mr Anderson,

### **EQUITY BETA ISSUES PAPER**

Ergon Energy Corporation Limited (Ergon Energy), in its capacity as a Distribution Network Service Provider in Queensland, welcomes the opportunity to provide comment to the Australian Energy Regulator (AER) on its Equity Beta Issues Paper (Issues Paper).

As a member of the Energy Network Association (ENA), the peak national body for Australia's energy networks, Ergon Energy supports the comments contained in the ENA's submission to the AER's Issues Paper.

Should you require any additional information or wish to discuss any aspect of this submission, please do not hesitate to contact either myself on (07) 4092 9813 or Trudy Fraser on (07) 3851 6787.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jenny Doyle', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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