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Mr Chris Pattas General Manager Network Investment and Pricing Australian Energy Regulator GPO Box 520 MELBOURNE VIC 3001

Dear Mr Pattas

## Ergon Energy Corporation Ltd Pricing Proposal for 2017-18

The National Electricity Rules require Ergon Energy Corporation Limited (Ergon Energy) to submit a Pricing Proposal to the Australian Energy Regulator (AER) for the next regulatory year.

Accordingly, we are pleased to submit our 2017–18 Pricing Proposal for approval. We also provide you with the updated Schedule of Indicative Prices which sets out network prices for each of the remaining years of the regulatory control period Consistent with the AER's Confidentiality Guideline, we have provided both public and confidential versions of the Pricing Proposal (including appendices). Our confidentiality claims are set out in a separate attachment.

In February 2017, the AER approved Ergon Energy's Tariff Structure Statement (TSS) for the 2017 to 2020 period. The 2017-18 Pricing Proposal is therefore the first to be developed in accordance with our TSS. Considering the content in our TSS about adherence to the pricing principles and tariff development is directly relevant to our 2017-18 prices, several sections of this Pricing Proposal refer to the TSS for further information.

If you would like to discuss the Pricing Proposal, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards

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