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**Application for Extension of the Revisions Submission Date under the JGN Ltd
Access Arrangement**

Dear Mr Buckley,

I write to formally request an extension of the date that Jemena Gas Networks (JGN) is required to submit revisions to its current Access Arrangement (AA). As you will be aware the revisions submission date is currently 30 June 2009.

JGN requests a revision pursuant to rule 52(3) of the National Gas Rules (NGR). This rule allows the AER to extend the period for submitting an AA revision proposal for a period of up to two months. JGN is seeking an extension of the full two months which would move the revisions submission date to 30 August 2009.

As you are aware, JGN will shortly be applying to the National Competition Council (NCC) for reclassification of its northern and southern trunks as distribution pipelines. This application will initiate a four month NCC consultation and decision process.

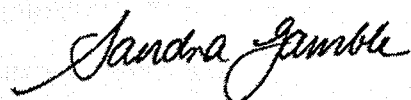
A two month extension would align JGN's submission with the conclusion of this NCC process. A two month extension would thereby remove the risk that JGN would have to submit a second AA revision submission once the NCC application has been ruled upon. This would avoid exposing both the AER and JGN to the increased cost of multiple AAs. JGN considers that this would also avoid unnecessary confusion for other stakeholders during the review process.

Confidentiality

JGN identify this request for extension as confidential on the basis that JGN's intent to seek reclassification is not public knowledge and will not be so until JGN submits to the NCC and the NCC publishes JGN's application. JGN will advise the AER when this request is no longer of a confidential nature.

If you have any questions regarding this submission please contact me on (02) 9270 4512 or sandra.gamble@jemena.com.au

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sandra Gamble". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Sandra Gamble
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