

3 October 2013

Mr Andrew Reeves  
Chairman  
Australian Energy Regulator  
GPO Box 520  
Melbourne VIC 3001

Dear Mr Reeves ,

**ActewAGL 2012 - 13 Annual Gas Compliance Report**

In accordance with its requirements under the Annual Compliance Order issued by the Australian Energy Regulator (AER) on Service Providers of covered pipeline services provided by a distribution pipeline, ActewAGL Distribution submits its 2012-13 Annual Compliance Report for the Australian Capital Territory (ACT), Queanbeyan and Palerang gas distribution networks.

The Annual Compliance Order made by the AER under section 48(1)(b) of the *National Gas Law* applies to Service Providers of covered pipeline services. ACTEW Distribution Ltd and Jemena Networks (ACT) Pty Ltd are Service Providers for the covered ACT and Greater Queanbeyan gas distribution network under the meaning of section 8 of the *National Gas Law*. The Service Providers operate through a partnership - ActewAGL Distribution (ABN 76 670 568 688) - and jointly own, control and operate the network through the ActewAGL Distribution Partnership.

The accompanying Compliance Report relates to the 1 July 2012 - 30 June 2013 compliance period and satisfies the obligations of ACTEW Distribution Ltd and Jemena Networks (ACT) Pty Ltd in complying with the AER's Annual Compliance Order. It also contains the required Statement of Compliance.

ActewAGL Distribution notes that the AER's Annual Compliance Guideline provides an approach for dealing with confidential material. ActewAGL Distribution considers that the policies provided in Attachments C through G of the 2012-13 Compliance Report are confidential, and has marked these documents in accordance with the Guideline.

Please contact Mr Robert Walker, Senior Networks Regulatory Officer on (02) 6248 3847 if you have any questions regarding the information provided in ActewAGL Distribution's 2012-2013 Gas Compliance Report.

Yours Sincerely

  
Michael Costello