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22 August 2025

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Director, ARC Pipeline Pty Ltd
Level 25, 580 George Street, Sydney, NSW 2000

By email: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED],

Re: Applications under Part 10 of the NGR – Atlas to Reedy Creek Pipeline

I refer to the following applications under Part 10 of the National Gas Rules (NGR) from ARC Pipeline Pty Ltd for the Atlas to Reedy Creek Pipeline (ARCP). These applications were received by the AER on 30 June 2025.

- An application to revoke the Category 1 exemption granted on 6 December 2024.
- An exemption application seeking a Category 2 exemption on the basis that the ARCP meets the criteria of a *'single user pipeline'* (as defined in rule 3 of the NGR).

Pursuant to the delegation given to me by the AER Board, I have assessed the applications and supporting information and have determined to:

- revoke ARC Pipeline Pty Ltd.'s Category 1 exemption under Part 10 of the NGR for the ARCP¹ as ARCP no longer meets the criteria of *'not being a third party access pipeline'* (as defined in rule 3 of the NGR).² This revocation is in effect from the date of this letter i.e., 22 August 2025.
- grant ARC Pipeline Pty Ltd. an exemption under Category 2 of Part 10 of the NGR for the ARCP. This exemption is valid for 5 years from the date of this letter i.e., until 22 August 2030.

As required by NGR rule 102(7), please notify the AER if circumstances change such that the pipeline no longer qualifies for the exemption. Rule 102(6) requires the AER to maintain a public register of Part 10 exemptions.

Barring personal information, details in your submitted Part 10 application forms and responses in your emails may be published on the register along with this response.

¹ NGR r. 102B(1).

² NGR r. 102E(3).

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Please contact [REDACTED] if we can assist further.

Yours sincerely

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Executive General Manager, Consumers, Policy and Markets Division

Sent by email on: 22.08.2025