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Ms Patricia Cameron
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Dear Ms Cameron

Re: Application to amend Evoenergy's 2016–21 Access Arrangement

I refer to your application of 25 June 2019, submitted to the AER under clause 65(1) of the National Gas Rules (NGR), for approval to vary the terms of Evoenergy's 2016–21 Access Arrangement (AA).

Specifically, Evoenergy requested that the definition of the gas day start time in the corresponding Reference Service Agreement (RSA) be updated to harmonise with the new gas day definition in the NGR, effective 1 October 2019.

The AER has assessed your application and the supporting information you provided. We believe the proposed variation to be non-material and, as such, consultation is not required. I am pleased to advise that on 12 July 2019, under clause 66(2) of the NGR, the AER Board approved the proposed variation of Evoenergy's 2016–21 AA, in line with the terms of the application. The proposed variation will take effect from today, 15 July 2019.

The AER considers that Evoenergy's proposed variation is non-material because:

- it will have no impact on the reference tariff; and
- it seeks to align the terms of the RSA with the operation of the market.

Please do not hesitate to contact Slavko Jovanoski (02 9230 3899) if we can be of further assistance.

Yours sincerely



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Sent by email on: 15.07.2019