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30 November 2022

[REDACTED]
Chief Financial Officer / Company Secretary
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By email: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

Re: Expiring exemptions under Part 23 of the National Gas Rules

I am writing in relation to your applications of 30 September for exemption under Part 23 of the National Gas Rules (NGR) for the Mortlake Pipeline. We note that the pipeline currently holds an exemption from Part 23, which is expiring on 3 January 2023.

The AER has assessed the application and has determined to grant the Category 2 exemption.

The exemption is valid for 5 years, and expires on 3 January 2028.

I also highlight that this facility previously received a NGR Part 24 (capacity trading) exemption from the AER. The AER's notification stated that the Part 24 exemption would expire on the same date as the Part 23 exemption expiry unless the Part 23 exemption was extended by the AER. This letter also provides notice that the Part 24 exemption has been extended to coincide with the new Part 23 exemption expiry date.

As set out in Rule 585(8) please notify the AER without delay if circumstances change such that the pipeline no longer qualifies for the exemption.

Rule 585(7) requires the AER to establish, publish and maintain a register of exemptions. The register will be updated to reflect these exemption renewals. Please do not hesitate to contact AERnonschemeexemptions@er.gov.au if we can be of any further assistance.

Yours sincerely



General Manager
Network Expenditure

Sent by email on: 30.11.2022