

Ms Vani Rao  
Network Regulation South  
Australian Energy Regulator  
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Dear Vani,

**Distribution Loss Factor submission for the Amcor Gawler exempt network**

Energy Response has been engaged by Amcor Packaging (Australia) Pty Ltd to manage its ongoing regulatory obligations in respect of the newly established exempt distribution network at the glass factory site in Gawler, SA.

I enclose a document setting out the methodology we propose to use to calculate distribution loss factors for the embedded generator connection points on this exempt network, together with the result of the calculations: a DLF of 1.002.

I also enclose a letter from Ausnet Utility Services Pty Ltd giving the result of their review of this methodology.

Although the calculations are labelled as being for the 2009/10 financial year, the results are not specific to that year: the same DLF value should hold from when the exempt network is established (which may be this financial year) until there is a significant change in the configuration or operation of the site.

We would therefore ask that this DLF value be applied from now until the end of the 2009/10 financial year, and continued if we confirm that there have been no significant changes at the site.

Please feel free to contact me on 03 8643 5909 if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Paul Troughton", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

**Dr Paul Troughton**  
Generation Manager