

Essential Energy AERD Submission 2015-19 - Confidentiality Claim Log

Business Type : Vegetation Management

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Asset Management Plan (AMP)	Forecasted Unit rates. Forecasted contract values, Proposed efficiency strategies, Fire start metrics	Operating expenditure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Market Sensitive Inputs • Market Intelligence • Strategic information • Personal information 	<p>The AMP contains strategic and financial information relating to Essential Energy's business operations.</p> <p>It also contains personal business information that belongs to Essential Energy and Select Solutions.</p>	<p>Availability of unit rates, contract values and allowances for variations would negatively impact the ability to obtain the most competitive costs to supply through a future public tendering process.</p> <p>Information pertaining to efficiency strategies can be back-solved to determine forecasted unit rates placing Essential Energy in an un-competitive position when testing the market.</p> <p>Information pertaining to</p>	<p>The substance of information in respect of the historical and forecasted management of cross-arms can be sourced by consumers and stakeholders from CEOM8018.15 Vegetation Clearance Management Asset Management Plan (AMP)</p>

					fire starts is subject to significant assumption and should be treated as confidential given such metrics will set expectations which may not be able to be met due to actual variations top assumptions e.g. storm and heat conditions	
Select Solutions – Review of Essential Energy Vegetation Management Strategy	Report prepared for Essential Energy by external consultants	Operating expenditure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Market Sensitive Inputs • Market Intelligence • Strategic information • Personal information 	<p>The Review contains strategic and financial information relating to Essential Energy’s business operations.</p> <p>It also contains personal business information that belongs to Select Solutions</p>	<p>While Essential Energy does not make a claim for confidentiality for the information provided in the AMP itself, Essential Energy believes that some aspects of the Review document should remain confidential.</p> <p>Essential Energy’s strategic business model has relied on this document for direction and guidance. Select Solutions have developed business principles that have been revealed in the document and this information may be considered commercially sensitive</p>	The substance of information in respect of the historical and forecasted management of cross-arms can be sourced by consumers and stakeholders from CEOM8018.15 Vegetation Clearance Management Asset Management Plan (AMP)

<p>Select Solutions – EE Cost model FY12-13 April 2014 v6 updated fire starts.xlsx</p> <p>A Public version of the Cost Model has <u>not</u> been provided as it is considered commercially sensitive in its entirety.</p>	<p>Cost modelling prepared for Essential Energy by external consultants</p>	<p>Operating expenditure</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Market Sensitive Inputs • Market Intelligence • Strategic information • Personal information 	<p>The Cost Model contains sensitive strategic and financial information relating to Essential Energy's business operations.</p> <p>It also contains personal business information that belongs to Select Solutions</p>	<p>While Essential Energy does not make a claim for confidentiality for the information provided in the AMP itself, Essential Energy believes the Cost Model as a whole should remain confidential.</p> <p>The Cost Model has been developed by Select Solutions as a business initiative and Select Solutions may suffer detriment to their business if this document because publicly available</p>	<p>The substance of information in respect of the historical and forecasted management of cross-arms can be sourced by consumers and stakeholders from CEOM8018.15 Vegetation Clearance Management Asset Management Plan (AMP)</p>
<p>Select Solutions – Methodology and Guide to Using the Vegetation Cost Management Model</p>	<p>Guide to use of cost modelling prepared for Essential Energy by external consultants</p>	<p>Operating expenditure</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Market Intelligence • Strategic information • Personal information 	<p>Guide to use of above document so the same principles of confidentiality apply.</p> <p>It also contains personal business information that belongs to Select Solutions</p>	<p>Guide to use of above document so the same principles of confidentiality apply to some elements of the guide</p>	<p>The substance of information in respect of the historical and forecasted management of cross-arms can be sourced by consumers and stakeholders from CEOM8018.15 Vegetation Clearance Management Asset Management Plan (AMP)</p>