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By email

Notice of ring-fencing waiver: Energex's application regarding regulatory accounts

Dear Mr Kehl

The AER issues this notice under section 21 of the Queensland Competition Authority's *Electricity Distribution: Ring-Fencing Guidelines* (Guidelines). By this notice Energex's obligation to comply with clauses 1(c), 1(d), 1 (e) and 2 of the Guidelines is waived. Energex remains subject to all other aspects of the Guidelines. The waiver is effective from 7 November 2011.

If you wish to discuss this matter please contact Michael Wydeveld on 07 3835 4671.

Yours sincerely

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