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Dear Mr Pattas

## Re: Expenditure Forecasting Method

Power and Water Corporation (PWC) is to be subject to a distribution determination made by the Australian Energy Regulator (AER) for the period 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2024 (the next regulatory control period).

Pursuant to rule 6.8.1A of the National Electricity Rules as in force in the Northern Territory (NT-NER), PWC must, on or before 1 July 2017,

... inform the AER of the methodology it proposes to use to prepare the forecasts of operating expenditure and capital expenditure that form part of its regulatory proposal.

Please find attached to this letter a document to meet this requirement.

If you have any questions about this matter, please contact Jodi Triggs Jodi.Triggs@Powerwater.com.au

Yours sincerely

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