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Mr Chris Pattas
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Australian Energy Regulator
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23/12/2013

Subject: **Regulatory Tests**

Dear Mr Pattas

Per clause 11.50.5(c) of the *National Electricity Rules*, Powercor Australia provides the following information in relation to assessing projects under the Regulatory Test. This advice is consistent with the information provided in the *2013 Distribution Annual Planning Report* published on the Powercor Australia's website, www.powercor.com.au.

Project name	Regulatory Test status	Proposed commissioning date	Comments
Merbein new transformer	In consultation	2016	Responses to consultation due 24 January 2014.
New Truganina zone substation	In consultation	2017	Responses to consultation due 24 January 2014.
Geelong East new transformer	Preparation of project assessment report	2017	Evaluating non-network options proposed following consultation
New Torquay zone substation	In consultation	2019	Responses to consultation due 31 December 2013.

It should also be noted that the following projects have had Regulatory Test consultations completed; Boundary Bend new transformer, and Wemen new transformer.

Should you have any queries, please contact myself.

Yours Sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Neil Gascoigne". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Neil" and last name "Gascoigne" clearly distinguishable.

Neil Gascoigne
Acting Manager Network Strategy