



National Electricity Amendment (System restart plan release provisions) Rule 2018 No. 1

under the National Electricity Law to the extent applied by:

- (a) the National Electricity (South Australia) Act 1996 of South Australia;
- (b) the Electricity (National Scheme) Act 1997 of the Australian Capital Territory;
- (c) the Electricity - National Scheme (Queensland) Act 1997 of Queensland;
- (d) the Electricity - National Scheme (Tasmania) Act 1999 of Tasmania;
- (e) the National Electricity (New South Wales) Act 1997 of New South Wales;
- (f) the National Electricity (Victoria) Act 2005 of Victoria;
- (g) the National Electricity (Northern Territory)(National Uniform Legislation) Act 2015; and
- (h) the Australian Energy Market Act 2004 of the Commonwealth.

The Australian Energy Market Commission makes the following Rule under the National Electricity Law.

John Pierce
Chairman
Australian Energy Market Commission

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1 Title of Rule

This Rule is the *National Electricity Amendment (System restart plan release provisions) Rule 2018 No.1.*

2 Commencement

This Rule commences operation on 27 February 2018.

3 Amendment of the National Electricity Rules

The National Electricity Rules are amended as set out in Schedule 1.

4 Amendment of the National Electricity Rules

The National Electricity Rules are amended as set out in Schedule 2.

Schedule 1 Amendment to the National Electricity Rules

(Clause 3)

[1] Clause 4.8.12 System restart plan and local black system procedures

After clause 4.8.12(a), insert:

- (a1) The *system restart plan* must cover the entire *national grid* but may consist of one or more separable components.
- (a2) For the purposes of section 54A(2) of the *National Electricity Law*, *AEMO* may disclose the whole or any component of the *system restart plan* to:
 - (1) a *Jurisdictional System Security Coordinator*;
 - (2) a *Network Service Provider*;
 - (3) a *Generator* contracted to provide *SRAS*;
 - (4) any other *Registered Participant* whose assistance *AEMO* considers is necessary for the implementation of the *system restart plan*,

for the purposes of preparing for, and participating in, system restoration activities during a *major supply disruption*.

- (a3) A *Jurisdictional System Security Coordinator* to whom the whole or any component of the *system restart plan* is provided to under paragraph (a2)(1) is deemed to be a *Registered Participant* for the purposes of Part C of Chapter 8.

Schedule 2 Amendment to the National Electricity Rules

(Clause 4)

[1] Chapter 10 Amend definition

In Chapter 10, in the definition of "*Registered Participant*", in paragraph (d), omit "and".

[2] Chapter 10 Amend definition

In Chapter 10, in the definition of "*Registered Participant*", in paragraph (e), omit "." and substitute "; and".

[3] Chapter 10 Amend definition

In Chapter 10, in the definition of "*Registered Participant*", after paragraph (e) insert:

- (f) as set out in clause 4.8.12(a3), for the purposes of Part C of Chapter 8 only, *Jurisdictional System Security Coordinators* are also deemed to be *Registered Participants*.

[END OF RULE AS MADE]
