

## **Part 2                      AER to provide information, and promote informed discussion, on regulatory issues**

### **4                      Interpretation**

In this Part:

**regulatory issues** means matters concerning any aspect of the AER's powers or functions under the *Law*.

### **5                      Discussion papers on regulatory issues**

- (1) The AER may prepare, for public information or discussion, papers on regulatory issues.
- (2) The papers are to be published:
  - (a) on the AER's website; and
  - (b) in any other way the AER considers appropriate.

### **6                      Submissions, comments and public discussions**

- (1) The AER may invite written comments or submissions from the public on particular regulatory issues.
- (2) The AER may:
  - (a) appoint a time and place for public discussion of particular regulatory issues between representatives of the AER and the public; and
  - (b) invite public participation in the discussion.
- (3) Comments or submissions may be invited, or a public discussion held, whether or not the relevant issues have been the subject of a paper published under this Part.
- (4) An invitation under this rule is to be published:
  - (a) on the AER's website; and
  - (b) in any other way the AER considers appropriate.