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Dear Mr Swanson

RE: Draft Determination - National Electricity Amendment (Governance Of Distributed Energy Resources Technical Standards) Rule 2022

Standards Australia welcomes the opportunity to make this submission in response to the Australian Energy Market Commission's (AEMC) Draft Determination Paper on the Governance of Distributed Energy Resources (DER) Technical Standards.

We appreciate the approach of the AEMC to this process and are satisfied that the Draft Determination provides a robust and thorough approach that deserves the support of those involved in DER process and standards.

We welcome the acknowledgement of our key standing as the nation's peak standards development organisation. As we seek to increase the reach of our content and solutions, we look forward to working closely with the AEMC and others on developing DER standards to the net benefit of the Australian community using the existing rigorous frameworks and processes, underpinned by the fundamental principles of balance, transparency, and consensus.

Confirmation in the AEMC's Final Determination will provide strong and timely evidence that rigorous DER technical standards are critical in maintaining security and reliability in the National Energy Market (NEM).

Yours sincerely

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Jon Meunier