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Making of National Energy Retail Rules

National Energy Retail Law (South Australia) Act – Section 238AB

I, Daniel Cornelis van Holst Pellekaan, Minister for Energy and Mining for the Crown in right of the State of South Australia, as the Minister administering the *National Energy Retail Law (South Australia) Act 2011* of South Australia, hereby make the National Energy Retail Amendment (Regulated Stand-Alone Power Systems) Rule 2022 under section 238AB(1) of the *National Energy Retail Law (South Australia) Act 2011* on the unanimous recommendation of the Ministers of the participating jurisdictions sitting as the Ministerial Council on Energy for the purposes of that section.

This Rule has been signed by me for the purposes of identification as the National Energy Retail Amendment (Regulated Stand-Alone Power Systems) Rule 2022 and commences operation 7 days after the publication of the notice of the making of this Rule in the South Australian Government Gazette.

Hon Dan van Holst Pellekaan MP

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MINISTER FOR ENERGY AND MINING

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National Energy Retail Amendment (Regulated stand-alone power systems) Rule 2022

1 Title of Rule

This Rule is the National Energy Retail Amendment (Regulated stand-alone power systems) Rule 2022.

2 Commencement

This Rule commences operation on the date that is 7 days after the date on which notice of the making of this Rule is published in the South Australian Gazette.

3 Amendment to the National Energy Retail Rules

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

Schedule 1 Amendment to the National Energy Retail Rules

(Clause 3)

[1] Rule 3 Definitions

After paragraph (b) in the *interruption* definition in rule 3, and before the Note to that definition, insert:

Temporary unavailability or a temporary curtailment of the supply of energy to a customer's premises to implement a *regulated SAPS conversion* must be treated as an *interruption* for the purposes of these Rules and the *Law* (and not a de-energisation or disconnection).

[2] Rule 3 Definitions

Insert the following definition in rule 3 in alphabetical order:

regulated SAPS conversion means the conversion of a part of a distribution system to a regulated stand-alone power system within the meaning of the NEL.

[3] Rule 88 Definitions

In paragraph (a) of the **distributor planned interruption** definition in rule 88. after "transmission system". insert "or a *regulated SAPS conversion*".