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Australian Energy Market Commission (AEMC)

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Allowing AEMO to accept cash as credit support under the National Gas Rules – Draft Determination

Alinta Energy welcomes the opportunity to provide feedback on the Draft Determination regarding the proposed rule to allow cash as credit support under the National Gas Rules.

We maintain our support[1] for the rule change proposal to allow cash for credit support in the DWGM and STTM.

We consider this will address the issues raised by the proponent, and deliver the benefits outlined by the Commission[2] across:

- Increasing flexibility and promoting innovation;
- Improving market efficiency; and
- Contributing to principles of good regulatory practice.

We consider that a $10 million limit for the DWGM and STTM, applied separately, is appropriate and adequately balances the risks associated with clawback while providing meaningful credit support.

Thank you for your consideration of Alinta Energy's submission. If you would like to discuss this further, please contact Isidora Stefanovic at isidora.stefanovic@alintaenergy.com.au.

Yours sincerely,

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[1] Alinta Energy response to the Consultation Paper.
[2] Draft Determination, pii.