

National Gas Amendment (Rate of Return Guidelines Review) Rule 2016 No. 2

under the National Gas Law to the extent applied by:

- (a) the National Gas (South Australia) Act 2008 of South Australia;
- (b) the National Gas (ACT) Act 2008 of the Australian Capital Territory;
- (c) the National Gas (New South Wales) Act 2008 of New South Wales;
- (d) the National Gas (Queensland) Act 2008 of Queensland;
- (e) the National Gas (Tasmania) Act 2008 of Tasmania;
- (f) the National Gas (Victoria) Act 2008 of Victoria;
- (g) the National Gas (Northern Territory) Act 2008 of Northern Territory;
- (h) the National Gas Access (WA) Act 2009 of Western Australia; and
- (i) the Australian Energy Market Act 2004 of the Commonwealth.

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

John Pierce Chairman Australian Energy Market Commission

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1 Title of Rule

This Rule is the National Gas Amendment (Rate of Return Guidelines Review) Rule 2016 No. 2.

2 Commencement

This Rule commences operation on 20 October 2016.

3 Amendment of the National Gas Rules

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

Schedule 1 Amendments of the National Gas Rules

(Clause 3)

[1] Rule 87 Rate of return

Omit subrule 87(16)(a) and substitute:

(a) at intervals not exceeding five years for the first interval and three years for all subsequent intervals, with the first interval starting from the date that the first *rate of return guidelines* are published under these rules; and

[2]

[END OF RULE AS MADE]