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Mr Matt Zema  
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Dear Mr Zema

**Application for interim authorisation in relation to the Market and System Operations Rules (MSOR) relating to participant force majeure events**

I refer to VENCORP's application to make a Minor Variation to authorisation nos A90831, A90832 and A90833 relating to the MSOR, and VENCORP's application for interim authorisation in relation to the same proposed changes.

The Commission has decided to grant interim authorisation in relation to a Minor Variation for these changes.

Interim authorisation will take effect immediately and continue until:

1. the date the Commission's Determination in respect of the application for Minor Variation becomes effective; or
2. if an application is made to the Tribunal for a review of the Commission's Determination in respect of the above application, the date the Tribunal's Determination in respect of such application becomes effective.


While this interim authorisation is in effect, it supersedes Condition C6.1 of the Commission's *Determination* of 18 December 2002 in relation to A90831, A90832 and A90833.

A copy of this letter will be placed on the Commission's public register, and on its website. A copy will also be sent to interested parties.



If you have any queries in relation to this matter please contact me on (02) 6243 1259 or Simon Brinsmead on (02) 6243 1232.

Yours sincerely

  
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