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Dear Mr Roberts

**National Electricity Code Changes  
Extension of Victorian Full Retail Competition Derogations.**

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the proposal to extend the existing Victorian derogations contained in chapter 9 of the code granting exclusivity for the provision of metering services by distribution businesses in Victoria.

CitiPower and Powercor support the proposal to extend the existing derogation to the 31 December 2006. This will allow time for implementation of recommendations from the Joint Jurisdictional Review of metering arrangements undertaken in accordance with clause 7.13(f) of the Code.

If you have any queries concerning this matter, please give me a call on (03) 9683 4282.

Yours sincerely

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