ELECTRICITY INDUSTRY ACT 2004

ELECTRICITY NETWORKS ACCESS CODE AMENDMENTS 2020

I, Bill Johnston MLA, Minister for Energy for the State of Western Australia, hereby amend the *Electricity Networks Access Code 2004* established under section 104(1) of the *Electricity Industry Act 2004*

Dated at Perth this 15th day of June, 2020.

BILL JOHNSTON, MLA, Minister for Energy.

Made by the Minister

1. Citation

These amendments may be cited as the Electricity Networks Access Code Amendments 2020.

2. Commencement

These amendments come into operation on the date on which they are published in the Gazette.

3. The Electricity Networks Access Code amended

These amendments are to the Electricity Networks Access Code 2004*.

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4. Section 3.1A inserted

After section 3.1 the following heading and section are inserted—

When coverage starts for Horizon Power's Pilbara network

3.1A Despite the date specified for this purpose in the Minister's final coverage decision dated 2 February 2018 and entitled "Coverage of the Horizon Power electricity network in the North West Interconnected System", that decision will have effect on 1 July 2021.

{Note: The effect of section 3.1A is that coverage will commence on 1 July 2021, and the submission deadline will be 1 January 2022.}

5. Section 4.80 inserted

After section 4.79 the following heading and section are inserted—

Review of access arrangement for the Western Power Network after first 2020 Code change

4.80 Sections 4.81 to 4.82 apply only in respect of the application of the next *review* of the access arrangement for the *Western Power Network* after the *2020 (No. 1)* amendments and not any subsequent *reviews*.

6. Section 4.81 inserted

After section 4.80 the following section is inserted—

4.81 In sections 4.80 to 4.82—

"2020 (No. 1) amendments" means the amendments to this *Code* made by the *Electricity Networks Access Code Amendments (No. 1) 2020.*

{Note: The Electricity Networks Access Code Amendments (No. 1) 2020 were Gazetted on 26 June 2020.}

7. Section 4.82 inserted

After section 4.81 the following section is inserted—

4.82 Despite anything else in this Code or the access arrangement for the Western Power Network, the revisions submission date by which the Electricity Networks Corporation must submit its proposed revisions to the access arrangement for the Western Power Network and revised access arrangement information to the Authority is deemed to be 1 February 2022.

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