

ELECTRICITY INDUSTRY ACT 2004  
ELECTRICITY INDUSTRY (WHOLESALE ELECTRICITY - MARKET)  
REGULATIONS 2004  
Wholesale Electricity Market Rules

IMO AMENDING RULES RC\_2012\_22 MADE ON 21 May 2013  
These Amending Rules commence at 08.00am on 1 September 2013

The following clauses are amended (~~deleted wording~~, new wording):

7.9.1. Subject to clauses 7.9.1A and 7.9.2, if a Market Participant intends to synchronise a Scheduled Generator, then unless it is exempt in accordance with clause 7.9.14,

(a)

- 7.9.15. System Management must notify a Market Participant, in writing, of its decision under clause 7.9.14 to grant an exemption or not and provide written reasons for its decision.
- 7.9.16. A Market Participant that is exempt from the requirements in clauses 7.9.1 and 7.9.5 must notify System Management as soon as it becomes aware of any matter or thing which might prevent the Scheduled Generator that is the subject of the exemption from synchronising and desynchronising safely.
- 7.9.17. System Management may, at any time, by notice in writing, revoke an exemption granted by it under clause 7.9.14 if it is no longer satisfied that the Scheduled Generator for which the exemption was granted has operating equipment and processes which enable it to synchronise and desynchronise only when it is safe to do so. The notice must include:
- (a) the decision of System Management to revoke the exemption and written reasons for its decision; and
  - (b) the date on which the exemption ceases to apply.
- 7.9.18. System Management must maintain, on its website, a list of Scheduled Generators for which the relevant Market Participant is exempt from the requirements in clauses 7.9.1 and 7.9.5.
- 7.9.19. System Management must document in the Power System Operation Procedure for Dispatch the processes to be used:
- (a) for applications under clause 7.9.13;
  - (b) by System Management in determining whether or not to grant an exemption under clause 7.9.14;
  - (c) by System Management in determining whether or not to revoke an exemption under clause 7.9.17;
  - (d) for notification of any exemptions granted or revoked by System Management; and
  - (e) publishing and maintaining on System Management's website any information and details with respect to any exemptions.