

BEFORE

The Electricity Rulings Panel

No: C-2024-001

BETWEEN

The Electricity Authority

Complainant

AND

Transpower New Zealand Limited

Respondent

UNDER

The Electricity Industry Act 2010, The Electricity Industry (Enforcement) Regulations 2010, The Rulings Panel Procedures 2017 and The Electricity Industry Participation Code 2010 (the Code).

IN THE MATTER OF

A Complaint that Transpower breached Clause 30.1B of the Policy Statement.

Regulation 33 Notice

Dated: 10 June 2024

Notice of Complaint

- [1] On 5 June 2024, the Electricity Authority (the Complainant) filed a complaint with the Rulings Panel (the Complaint).
- [2] In accordance with regulation 32 of the Electricity Industry (Enforcement) Regulations 2010, the parties to this Complaint are noted as being :
 - (a) Transpower as the industry participant allegedly in breach (regulation 32(a)); and
 - (b) The Electricity Authority as Complainant (regulations 32(b) and 32(c)).
- [3] Pursuant to regulation 33 of the Electricity Industry (Enforcement) Regulations 2010, the parties are notified that:
 - (a) the text of the Complaint is contained in the documents filed and provided to the parties by the Complainant;
 - (b) any party to the Complaint may make written submissions to the Rulings Panel by **19 July 2024**;
 - (c) any party may request a hearing to consider the Complaint by notice in writing to the Rulings Panel by the deadline for submissions;
 - (d) if a hearing is not held, the Complaint will be considered on the papers as soon as practicable after the deadline for submissions; and
 - (e) if the Rulings Panel extends the deadline for submissions, it will notify all parties of the new deadline.

Procedural Directions

- [4] The Complainant is to file a copy of the Policy Statement in operation at the time of the alleged breach by the deadline for submissions.
- [5] Documents and correspondence to the Rulings Panel are to be filed at registrar@electricityrulingpanel.nz.

Directions Conferences and Joint Memorandums

- [6] A directions conference may be called by the Rulings Panel Chair, or either party may request a directions conference.

[7] The Parties may, instead of a directions conference, file a joint memorandum seeking directions.

Issued this 10th day of June 2024

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'M.J. Orange', written in a cursive style.

M.J. Orange
Rulings Panel Chair