

MEUG near term calendar from 20th September 2021 – public version

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<p><u>Spot & hedge market competition:</u></p> <p>EA Wholesale market competition review. EA to publish review & issues papers.</p> <p>Pilot Economic Profit Analysis of the industry.</p> <p>Other current spot & hedge markets work in addition to security of supply in section below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GIC gas market settings investigation issues published 21-May, GIC report to Minister. • MDAG Price discovery with 100% renewables report to EA Board Apr-22 • MBIE NZ Battery Project – Phase 1 report due Apr-May 2022 • S.O. advice to EA on future security & resilience project, Phase 1 to 2021, phase 2 Mar-22 • Levy consultation, Commercial Market Making Scheme, closed 22-Jul, decision tba • Improving the framework for EA information gathering, closed 24-Aug. Decision • Internal transfer prices etc reporting implement after Info. Gathering Framework decision 		<p>ongoing</p> <p>soon?</p> <p>ongoing</p> <p>ongoing</p> <p>ongoing</p> <p>tba</p>					Late Oct		
<p><u>Security of supply:</u></p> <p>GNE announcement 15-Feb to have 3rd Rankine available this winter ends</p> <p>Storage trajectories (spaghetti diag.) at 19-Aug No Scenarios cross “Watch” curve</p> <p>NZ Gen. Bal. (NZGB) 6-mnth f/cast N-1-G risk (02-Sep) Base case no risk, no Δ from Dec-19.</p> <p>Review(s) of blackout events on Monday evening 09-Aug-21:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MBIE investigation by Hon Pete Hodgson completed between end Sep to end Oct. • Haast & Electric Kiwi UTS claim, TP 37 -42 prices remain interim. Next steps tba. • EA review (s16(1)(g) of the Act) announced 13-Aug Phase 2 wider review scope decided. • Alleged breach of new trading conduct rules. Alleged parties providing info to EA. • Transpower internal assurance review. Status not known. 		<p>Nil→</p> <p>Nil→</p> <p>tba</p> <p>ongoing</p> <p>tbc</p>	<p>30 Th</p> <p>30 Th→</p> <p>end Sep</p>				→28 Th		

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GHG policy relevant for MEUG remit on electricity price/security of supply and EITE firms: Report to Cabinet end of 2021 on EAF (Decision 23-Aug) MfE consultation Consultation on draft Emissions Reductions Plans (ERP) early Oct to mid-Nov. Urgent change to Climate Change Response Act to defer final ERP from end 2021 to May-22		tba		start					end→
Parliament sitting weeks (3-day weeks starting Tue) . 9 three day sitting weeks left in 2021. Electricity Industry Amendment Bill First reading		21 Tu	28 Tu			19 Tu	26 Tu		09 Tu
Implementation of actions to correct UTS 2019, published 17-Aug-21		ongoing							
Innovation & Participation Advisory Group (IPAG) membership nominations close		21 Tu							
MEUG monthly meeting		22 W				20 W			
IPP reconsideration for TPM development costs subs		22 W							
EA, Updating the regulatory settings for distribution networks, 27-Jul-21 subs Supporting reform to efficient distribution pricing, 21-Sep subs			28 Tu					03 W	
MCY application for clearance to acquire TPW retail business Earliest date for CC decision			28 Tu						
Energy Link training courses (Dunedin) - Intro to electricity market, hedging, nodal pricing			28-30						
TPNZ, Net Zero Grid Pathways 1 long-list consultation & RFI non-transmission solutions subs			01 F						
EA TPM consultation starts Oct on TPR TPM proposal 30-Jun + EA feedback/TPR revisions Trustpower's judicial review hearing in High Court in Oct.				Oct Oct					
System Operator draft Security of Supply Annual Assessment subs				05 Tu					
Government Investment in decarbonising industry (GIDI) round 3 funding applications close						18 M			

Calendar ends.