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Australian Energy Market Commission PO Box A2449 Sydney South NSW 1235

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Subject: Victorian Generator Technical Performance Standards Derogations (ERC0102)

AGL welcomes this opportunity to comment on the proposed rule change on Victorian Generator Technical Performance Standards Derogations.

AGL supports the proposed Rule change that provides regulatory certainty on the required performance standards for the generators in Victoria. It provides for a nationally consistent registration and compliance requirements for generators operating in the National Electricity Market. AGL is pleased that the proposed Rule change would clarify the technical requirements and support AGL's on-going effort in managing the generator performance in accordance to the recently agreed performance standards with AEMO.

As such, AGL does not have any issue with the proposed Rule change that removes the derogation of technical performance standards of its Victorian generators relating to National Electricity Rules Chapter 9 Schedule 9A3.

Please contact me if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely

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