

THIRD QUARTER MEETING – 2022

Date:	30 August 2022	Venue:	Te Wharewaka o Pōneke
Time:	1.30pm – 5.00pm		2 Taranaki Street, Wellington
MC:	Matt Ritchie – Genesis Energy		Central (on the Whairepo lagoon, near Te Papa) and online

Agenda

- 1.10pm **Doors open:** Registration and networking – tea and coffee
- 1.30pm **Introduction:** Welcome from the MC
Matt Ritchie – *Senior Advisor, Regulatory Affairs and Government Relations, Genesis Energy*
- 1.35pm **System security: Trends and emergency response**
As New Zealand's electricity System Operator, Transpower is responsible for keeping the lights on 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Over the past few years, weather and gas supply challenges have highlighted the sensitivity of renewable generation to service winter demand and had the system operator working hard. With more intermittent renewable generation in the pipeline, what is the outlook for our energy security? And what is the process of balancing supply with demand and what is the escalation pathway when there is a shortfall? This overview of energy security and look at the fundamentals of system balance will provide everyone with a clearer understanding of the challenges ahead and intervention available.
David Katz – *Market and Security of Supply Manager, Transpower*
Scott Radka – *Market Analyst, Transpower*
- 2.10pm **Multiple Trading Relationships (MTR) pilot update**
Minister of Energy and Resources Megan Woods says MTR could introduce more competition into the electricity sector, making electricity cheaper for customers, helping reduce energy hardship and enabling greater uptake of low-emission technologies, such as solar.
With the support of the Electricity Authority, New Zealand's future energy centre, Ara Ake, has started a world-first pilot that allows customers to contract with more than one electricity supplier at a single location.
Now that the pilot has been up and running for a few months, what has been discovered and what could the future hold for the electricity market?
Glen Baxter – *Policy & Insights Analyst, Ara Ake*

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- 2.35pm **Market Update | Electricity spot market, hydro, demand, supply and prices**
Alice Beau – *Energy Analyst, NZX*
- 2.45pm **Market Update | Energy Link – Future liquidity**
Greg Sise – *Managing Director, Energy Link (via Zoom)*
- 2.55pm **Networking break:** Tea and coffee
- 3.30pm **Market Update | Futures – electricity**
Chris Pugh – *Product Development & Sales, ASX*
- 3.40pm **Market Update | Gas market**
Cathy Lawless – *Senior Commodity Markets Analyst, emsTradepoint*
- 3.50pm **Market Update | Electricity Authority**
Updates on the following workstreams:
- Commercial market-making
 - FTR / LCE review
 - Hedge disclosures
- Tom Georg** – *Manager Wholesale Markets, Electricity Authority*
- 4.00pm **Large user update | CentrePort**
Located in Wellington, CentrePort is New Zealand's most strategically situated intermodal hub, linking road, rail, domestic and international shipping services. Following the 2016 Kaikōura earthquake, deployment of projects to decarbonise the port accelerated. This presentation will cover the changes and outlook for the Port's energy usage as it continues to reduce its overall carbon footprint.
Anthony Delaney – *Chief Executive Officer, CentrePort*
- 4.30pm **The road to net-zero**
Hon James Shaw – *Climate Change Minister*
Nigel Brunel – *Head of Commodities, Jarden*
- 5.00pm **Forum close – networking start**