

Further Stakeholder Engagement

(addendum to Customised Price-Quality Path Proposal)

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This document provides a summary of additional feedback from stakeholders provided after the draft documents had been submitted to directors for certification. Some of this feedback is included in section 5 of the Main Proposal, but the letters have since been provided. In addition to the letters, we have included a draft of the flyer that will be made available to the public through council owned community hubs, such as libraries.

Stakeholder	Formal Feedback Received (to date)	Letter
Genesis Energy	Raised concerns with the precedent of allowing streamlined CPPs.	Attached
	Indicated broad support for the community welfare aspects of the	
	proposed expenditure as well. They also supported the risk reduction	
	afforded to other EDBs by making the spares available for use in the	
	event of natural disasters elsewhere in the country	
Business New Zealand	Expressed concern for the welfare of Wellington and NZ wide business	Attached
	communities in the event of a major earthquake under the current	
	state. Supportive of the business case as it aligns with their recognition	
	of the importance of improving the economy's resiliency to natural	
	disaster events.	
Nova Energy	Nova indicated that it recognises the value of being ready to respond	Attached
	quickly and effectively to restore power supplies in the event of a major	
	earthquake; thereby ensuring communities can start the recovery	
	process without undue delay.	
Lower Hutt City	Mayor Wallace found it hard to disagree with the pragmatic and	Attached
Council	sensible initiatives proposed in the business case.	
New Zealand	Noted that the proposal is consistent with New Zealand Lifeline	Attached
Lifelines Council	Council's mission and purpose.	
Built Environment	Supportive of the proposal as it aligns with the forum's priority of	Attached
Leaders Steering	identifying and improving the resilience of NZ's most critical	
Committee	infrastructure components and systems.	
CentrePort	Support the proposal and associated price increase. Recognise that	Attached
Welington	there is much more work to be done to improve electricity resilience	
	and urge the Commission to approve this interim step.	
Massey University	Generally very supportive of initiatives that will reduce earthquake risk.	Attached
	Expressed concern at price increase coming at a time when they are	
	looking to reduce energy costs	
Capital Coast District	Supportive of initiatives that will reduce the risk of extended outages.	Attached
Healthboard	Expressed concern at price increase.	
	Table 1 – Readiness Business Case Stakeholder Engagement Summary	

All fourteen letters from stakeholders and customers can be found in the attachment, *Stakeholder Engagement – December 2017.pdf*.