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AEMC Strategic Priorities for energy market development and links to Future Grid Cluster work



Strengthening consumer participation and continuing to promote competitive retail markets



Promoting the development of efficient gas markets



Market arrangements that encourage efficient investment and flexibility

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Key AEMC projects that are potentially relevant to Future Grid Cluster work

Workstream	Rule change / advice	Completion date
Power of choice implementation	Open access and common communications standards	April 2014
	Distribution network pricing	November 2014
	Customer access to energy information	November 2014
	Improving DSP information provided to AEMO	Early 2015
	Competition in metering and related services	April 2015
	Demand management incentive scheme	Mid 2015
	Multiple trading relationships and embedded networks	TBC
Embedded generators	Connecting embedded generators: chapter 5 (>5MW)	April 2014
	Connecting embedded generators: chapter 5A (<5MW)	November 2014
Transmission frameworks review implementation	Optional firm access design and testing	Mid 2015
	Proposed connections rule change	TBC
	Proposed planning rule change	TBC

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