

MARKET ARRANGEMENTS CODE CHANGE PROPOSAL

Change Proposal Reference (To be completed by the Panel Secretary)	CPM005	Version No	1.0
Type of Change Proposal:	Code Change Proposal		
Submission Date	17/10/2017		
Title: of Market Arrangements Code Change Proposal	Market Entry and Market Re-assurance		
Summary: of Market Arrangements Code Change Proposal (40 to 50 Words Maximum)	This Change Proposal seeks to address the inefficiencies created by inclusion of a requirement to have signed a Wholesale Contract as part of the Trading Conditions.		
General Details of the Proposer			
Name of Proposer	Emma Taylor		
Capacity (on behalf of a Trading Party, as a Panel Member, as the Customer Representative or the Market Operator).	The Market Operator		
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The Proposer recommends that this Change Proposal should: (delete as appropriate)	Proceed to Assessment		
	Proceed to Consultation		
	Proceed to Recommendation		
Is the change Urgent (Yes/No)? If yes, please provide reason for urgency (if applicable)	No		

Related Documents

Reference of any associated Code Panel Market Arrangements Code Change Proposal

CPW023 – Market Entry and Re-assurance Updates

Documents Accompanying Form

Attachment 6: Red lining of Market Arrangements Code

Market Arrangements Code Change Proposal Details

Description of the issue or defect which this Market Arrangements Code Change Proposal seeks to address, as required under the Market Arrangements Code Section 7.1.2(b).

To become a Trading Party, Parties to the Market Arrangements Code must satisfy all Trading Conditions. Condition vi) of the Trading Conditions listed in the Market Arrangements Codes under Schedule 2, require Retailers to enter into at least one (1) Wholesale Contract to meet the Trading Conditions.

Section 2.2.18 of CSD001: *Market Entry and Re-assurance* places a number of requirements on the Market Operator to complete as soon as the Retailer becomes a Trading Party including providing access to the Central Systems.

MOSL has no efficient way of determining when an Applicant has signed a Wholesale Contract until it has become a Trading Party, and does not consider this to be an appropriate Condition for Retailers to meet before being able to enter the market. A Retailer is required to sign a Contract with a Wholesaler before being able to trade in its Area, and the Central Systems do not allow for transactions to be completed between Parties that do not have a valid Wholesale Contract in place.

Removing the requirement for a valid Wholesale Contract to be in place to satisfy the Trading Conditions will improve the efficiency of the Market Entry process and for MOSL and Applicants.

Description of the Market Arrangements Code Change Proposal, its nature and purpose and how it is consistent with the Market Arrangements Code Principles and required under the Market Arrangements Code Section 7.1.2(c)

This Change Proposal seeks to address the problem described above by removing Condition vi) of the Trading Conditions from the Market Arrangements Code. The red-lining is provided in Attachment 6 – Red-lining of the Market Arrangements Code v1.0.

Principles

Description of the principles affected by the Change Proposal on the items below (if applicable) as detailed under Schedule 1 Market Arrangements Code Principles and Definitions

Principles

Affected (Y/N)

Description

Efficiency

Y

This change improves the efficiency of the Market Entry

		and Re-assurance process by not requiring Retailers to have a valid Wholesale Contract in place to satisfy the Trading Conditions.
Proportionality	N	
Transparency	N	
Barriers to entry	N	
Non-discrimination	N	
Customer participation	N	
Seamless markets	N	
No limit on upstream competition	N	
Description of any consultation carried out in advance of the Market Arrangements Code Change Proposal being made (if any), as required under the Market Arrangements Code Sections 7.1.2(f).		
N/A		
Further Information		
N/A		

Key	
	To be completed by the Market Operator
	To be completed by the Proposer