

Emerald Reactive Support Alternative Solution Expressions of Interest - Findings



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1. Executive Summary

The Expression of Interest for Emerald Reactive Support closed on the 21st of March 2017. Ergon Energy received four expressions of interest which potentially meet the reactive support needs for Emerald Zone Substation.

Network Development within Ergon Energy following due diligence will seek formal approvals through normal governance and provide further direction for the four proponents. Further information will be publically published, once an agreement with one of the proponents has been finalised.

Any parties wishing to enquire further are required to notify Ergon Energy by using Ergon Energy's "Regulatory Investment Test for Distribution (RIT-D) Partner Portal". The portal is available at:

<https://www.ergon.com.au/network/network-management/network-infrastructure/regulatory-test-consultations>