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Dear Andrew

<u>CONSULATION ON EXEMPTIONS AND RULE 37 DETERMINATION UNDER THE</u> <u>GAS (DOWNSTREAM RECONCILIATION) RULES 2008</u>

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the Exemptions and Rule 37 Determination Under The Gas (Downstream Reconciliation) Rules 2008. I am responding on behalf of Energy Direct NZ (EDNZ).

We agree with the extension to the existing exemptions and maintaining the rule 37 threshold at 10%.

If you would like to discuss our comments further please contact me by email at <u>tara.gannon@energydirectnz.co.nz</u> or by phone on DDI 06 349 2055. Alternatively you can contact our General Manager, Michael Ram, by email at <u>michael.ram@energydirect.co.nz</u> or by phone on 06 349 0129.

Yours sincerely

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Tara Gannon Energy Trading Manager

QUESTION		COMMENT
Q1:	Do you agree with the proposal to vary all current exemptions by extending the deadline in each case to 30 September 2014?	EDNZ agrees with the extension to extend the following exemptions until 30 September 2014: DR10-03-S DR10-02-S DR10-07-S DR10-06-S DR10-06-S DR10-05-S DR10-05-S DR11-01-S.
Q2:	Do you agree with the proposal to maintain the rule 37 threshold at $\pm 10\%$ for the gas year beginning 1 October 2012?	EDNZ agrees with maintaining the accuracy threshold at 10%, we do not believe that further tightening of the threshold will improve submission accuracy.