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Dear Jay

Proposed File Formats

Introduction

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the consultation paper "Proposed Determinations and Notifications under Gas (Downstream Reconciliation) Rules 2008 and other implementation matters", 13 June 2008. This letter is our submission on the proposed file formats section of this paper. A further submission will follow by 11 July 2008 discussing the remainder of the consultation paper.

No part of our submission is confidential and we are happy for it to be made publicly available.

Responses to questions

We have no specific comments regarding the questions noted in the recommended format for submissions. We support the file formats and consider them to be adequate.

We do have one question that we had previously raised and are still awaiting an answer on in relation to the formats.

With regards to the allocation return file, GIEP27. It appears that only a monthly total of the gas allocations by retailer will be provided. We were under the impression and consider that the daily quantities would be more appropriate?

If you have any queries regarding this letter, or would like further information, please do not hesitate to contact either me (on 09 580 3658 chrissy.burrows@mightyriver.co.nz) or John Candy (on 09 580 3783 or john.candy@mightyriver.co.nz).

Yours faithfully

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