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Dear Ian

## Submissions on revised draft GTAC

Contact Energy Limited (Contact) appreciates the opportunity to provide feedback on the revised draft GTAC.

Contact has reviewed this draft with the 5 objectives established by First Gas at the start of the process; to enable the use of gas, minimise the cost of transporting gas, keep it simple, promote flexibility and promote transparency.

The code has developed a long way and is achieving some of these goals. However there still is a large amount of complexity in the code that needs to be further simplified. This complexity along with the many charges and fees could lead to increased cost of transportation. Contact believes these issues can only be eliminated through further drafting via workshops and worked examples.

Contact is happy to discuss any of the points made in the attached code mark up.

Yours Sincerely

Sharon Wray