

Welcome to Gas Industry Co's *News Bulletin*, a periodic advisory of new and current consultations, workstream developments, publications and presentations.

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Revised draft GTAC released.

On 11 September 2017, First Gas released a revised draft of the Gas Transmission Access Code (GTAC) following engagement and feedback on the complete draft released in August.

Mark-ups and submissions are invited on the Revised Draft GTAC and can be made [here](#).

The following documents are available on our website [here](#):

- Revised Draft GTAC - clean
- Revised Draft GTAC – marked-up against August release
- Revised Draft GTAC – in table format for stakeholder mark-ups
- Revised draft GTAC release - summary presentation
- Action items from draft GTAC workshops – annotated with actions taken.

The process First Gas will follow for engagement on the revised draft GTAC is set out below. First Gas team members will also be available to meet with stakeholders ahead of the due date for mark-ups and submissions, and is considering whether to provide for a round of cross-submissions after mark-ups and submissions are received.

The mark-ups and submissions received on the revised draft GTAC will be used to inform the final version of the GTAC that First Gas will submit to the Gas Industry Co on 3 November 2017. Gas Industry Co's proposed approach to assessing the GTAC is summarised [here](#). This will provide stakeholders with a further opportunity to address any issues raised in the process of developing the GTAC that have not been resolved.

Gas Industry Co would like to remind stakeholders of the 15 September workshop being held in Wellington, where First Gas will explain the changes it has made to the draft GTAC. Workshop and RSVP details are available [here](#). If you wish to attend the workshop or participate by teleconference, please RSVP accordingly.

DATE	MILESTONE
Monday 11 September	Revised draft GTAC released
Friday 15 September (10.00am to 4.00pm)	Workshop held at GIC to discuss revised draft GTAC and changes made since the August draft release. RSVP here .
Monday 9 October	Mark-ups and submissions on the revised draft GTAC due

CONSULTATION REMINDER: Report on how Gas Industry Co would perform a GTAC Change Request role.

Gas Industry Co is consulting on a Report that sets out how it would perform a GTAC Change Request role, should the final version of the GTAC provide for it. Submissions on the Report are invited by **5.00pm Friday 22 September 2017** and can be made [here](#).

The code change provisions of the Gas Transmission Access Code (GTAC) were discussed at the GTAC workshops on 24/25 August. The current draft GTAC assigns a code change role to Gas Industry Co: to consult on proposed changes and make a recommendation to First Gas supporting or not supporting the proposal. In particular, following preliminary discussions on the proposed change between First Gas and holders of TSAs and ICAs, the Change Requestor would submit a Change Request to Gas Industry Co to consult on and make a recommendation to First Gas supporting, or not supporting, the proposal.

Gas Industry Co offered to set out how it would perform this role, as an aid to further stakeholder discussion on the GTAC change process.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of this Bulletin, please contact us at info@gasindustry.co.nz or 04-4721800

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