

Agenda



SA Power Networks Reset: Export Tariffs – Setting the Scene

Workshop 5

Meeting Details

Organiser	Amanda Hudson
Date	Wednesday 12 October
Time	9.30am – 11.30am
Location	The Highway, 290 Anzac Highway, Adelaide (or Teams)

Purpose

This first Export Tariffs Focussed Conversation (Workshop 5 in the Reset – Tariffs engagement stream) will set the scene to ensure participants have a solid working knowledge of the framework in which the proposed application of Export Tariffs must operate. This will ensure participants can actively contribute to Workshops 6-8. This Focussed Conversation will develop customer and stakeholders' knowledge of the rationale for the AEMC Access and Pricing Rule Change, ensuring they understand what has changed for the 2025-30 period (and beyond), and the role of the Australian Energy Regulator's Export Tariff Guideline.

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Item	Who	Time	Time
RESET 2025-30: TARIFFS			
Export Tariffs – Setting the Scene (Workshop 5)			
Coffee		9.15am – 9.30am	
1. Welcome Acknowledgement of Country Housekeeping	Jess Vonthethoff	9.30am – 9.40am	10 mins
INFORM			
2. AEMC Access & Pricing Rule Change - How did the rule change come about? - What is the rule change? - When is it effective? - How does this change what SA Power Networks is doing?	Bryn Williams	9.40am – 10.15am	35 mins

	Discussion	All	10.15am – 10.30am	15 mins
3.	AER Export Tariff Guidelines • Development • Background • Structure • Stakeholder Engagement • Application of the Network Pricing Objective and Network Pricing Principles • Basic Export Levels • Terminology of classes	Helen White	10.30am – 11.05am	35 mins
	Discussion	All	11.05am – 11.20am	15 mins
4.	Wrap up – any final questions, comments?	Helen White	11.20am – 11.25am	5 mins
	Next steps, close	Amanda Hudson	11.25am – 11.30am	5 mins

Next Focused Conversation

(Workshop 6) **Development of Export Tariffs – Residential & Business** Monday 24 October, 1pm - 4pm, The Highway | 290 Anzac Highway

Background

In August 2021 the Australian Energy Market Commission (AEMC) published its final determination of the *Access, pricing and incentive arrangements for distributed energy resources rule change*, which aims to integrate Distributed Energy Resources (DER), such as solar and batteries, more effectively onto the electricity grid.

The rule change also removed a provision that prohibited charges for the export of electricity into the grid by customers with DER. This means that Distribution Network Service Providers (distributors) may design and implement export tariffs or two-way pricing (pricing options for both the import/consumption of energy and the export of energy, including negative pricing/incentives) to match two-way energy flows on distribution networks, effective 1 July 2025.

As part of its Reset 2025-30 engagement process, SA Power Networks will host four Focussed Conversation workshops (Workshops 5-8) from October-December 2022 on Export Tariffs. These workshops follow Consumption Tariff Focussed Conversations held in August-September (Workshops 1-4), and will focus on the development of residential and business export tariffs, and arrangements for various customer cohorts (including existing and new solar customers) to transition to Export Tariffs. Outcomes of the Export Tariff Focussed Conversations will feed into the deliberative People's Panel, which will ultimately decide on Export Tariff transition arrangements and implementation in the 2025-30 regulatory period.

Recommended Reading

- [Fact sheet: AEMC's Access, Pricing and Incentive Arrangements for DER](#)
- [AER's Export Tariff Guidelines](#)

