

ASP General Information Customer and Partner Experience

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Subject: Compliance reminder to submit installed generation equipment information to AEMO's Distributed Energy Resources (DER) Register

Ausgrid would like to take the opportunity to thank those providers and installers who have provided installed generation equipment information to AEMO's Distributed Energy Resources Register on behalf of their customers, as required by the National Electricity Rules.

Whilst many providers / installers are meeting this obligation, there are a significant number who are yet to provide the installed equipment information within the 20 business days of installation, which is a condition of the embedded generation connection agreement. To further support this compliance requirement Ausgrid will be implementing additional measures to follow up on submission of data. This will be effective from December 2020.

If you have received a **Requirement to complete AEMO DER Register** email from Ausgrid, have completed the commissioning of the generation system, but have not yet submitted the installed equipment details into the AEMO DER Register, please do so now.

What is changing from December 2020?

From December 2020, we will be sending email notifications reminding connection applicants of their requirement to submit information to the AEMO DER Register.

For new generator applications, an email notification will be sent when Ausgrid is notified by the meter provider that the metering for a generator has been activated at the premise.

For alteration applications to existing generators, an email notification will be sent 60 days after the application to remind applicants to complete the register or to notify Ausgrid that the application should be cancelled.

Where can I find further information?

Both the <u>Ausgrid</u> and <u>AEMO</u> DER Register websites have the latest information, including frequently asked questions and guides to support this requirement.

If you have further questions, related to the setting up of AEMO accounts or using the AEMO DER Register Installer Portal contact supporthub@aemo.com.au or 1300 236 600 in the first instance.

If you have further questions related to the connection application process and accessing and entering information into the AEMO DER Register for a specific connection application in the Ausgrid network feel free to email us at: datanorth@ausgrid.com.au, or call our Connection Operations team on (02) 4399 8099.

We look forward to working with you to meet this important regulatory requirement.

Regards,

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