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Electricity Price Review – Stakeholder update

Dear All

I am writing with a brief update.

We have received more than 100 submissions and hope to upload them (excluding confidential information) to our website by close of Tuesday 30 October.

We are pleased at the level of engagement and thank you all for your submissions. It is clear many of you put a good deal of time and effort into your responses, and for this we are most grateful.

As you can appreciate, our immediate task is to read and consider these submissions carefully. This will take some time. Until then, it remains too early to decide how best to approach the second stage of our review, with its focus on solutions to problems. We look forward to reading some of your ideas for improvement so we can take these into account when developing options for discussion. I should be able to update you on how we will approach the second stage of our review by mid-November.

In the meantime, many of you have, as requested, provided summaries of your responses to Parts 3 to 5 of the report. This should make it easy, once submissions are on the website, to get a quick, high-level view of submissions.

I will continue to keep you informed.

Yours sincerely

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