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Release of a Regulatory Impact Statement on the Models for Review of Decision-Making in the Gas and Electricity Regulatory Frameworks

This Bulletin announces the release of a [Regulatory Impact Statement \(RIS\)](#) for public consultation, required prior to making a policy decision on the appropriate review mechanism for economic regulatory decisions made in the gas and electricity markets.

The RIS does not represent any further policy development of models A and B included in the Discussion Paper on the Review of Decision-Making in the Gas and Electricity Regulatory Frameworks released 10 October 2005. Consultation on the Discussion Paper concluded on 7 November is being used to inform the policy decision on the preferred approach. All comments that have been already received will be taken into account together with any additional comments received on the RIS.

The RIS can be accessed via the Ministerial Council on Energy's website at www.mce.gov.au.

Submissions should be lodged by Friday 16 December 2005, preferably electronically to:

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