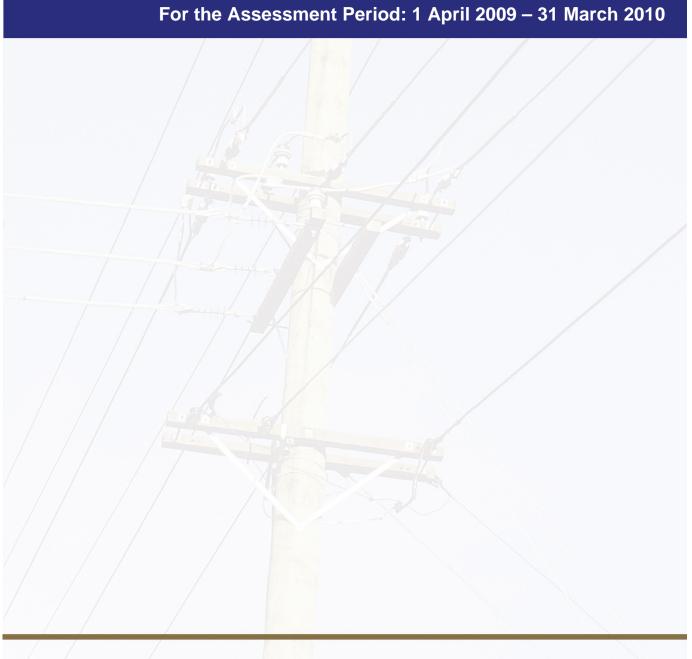


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### I. Introduction

These Information Disclosure documents are submitted by Network Waitaki Ltd pursuant to subpart 3 of Part 4A of the Commerce Act 1986 in accordance with

- The Electricity Information Disclosure Requirements issued 31 March 2004, consolidating all amendments to 31 October 2008,
- The Electricity Distribution (Information Disclosure) Requirements 2008,
- The Electricity Information Disclosure Handbook (as amended 31 October 2008),
- The Handbook for Optimised Deprival Valuation of System Fixed Assets of Electricity Lines Businesses (30 August 2004).

Part 4A of the Commerce Act 1986 provides for a regulatory regime for electricity lines businesses, which inter alia sets out provisions for an information disclosure regime in order to allow for public monitoring of lines operations and behaviour. The purpose of the information disclosure regime is to promote the efficient operation of markets directly related to electricity distribution and transmission services. This is to be achieved by ensuring that lines companies provide timely and reliable information about their business activities and make that information publicly accessible for interested parties.

## II. Structure of Network Waitaki Ltd

For the purpose of regulatory compliance, Network Waitaki Ltd is a "Distribution business" and must accordingly comply with the regulatory requirements. Network Waitaki has no non-contiguous networks and is 100% consumer-controlled and therefore additional disclosures under clauses 6(1)(b) and 6(1)(c) of the Electricity Distribution (Information Disclosure) Requirement 2008 are not required.

# III. Schedules

# 1. FS1 – Regulatory Profit Statement

# REPORT FS1: REGULATORY PROFIT STATEMENT

ref		Electricity Distribution Business	: Network Wait	aki	
5			For Year Ended	2010	
6	Income				
7			(\$0	00)	
8	Net Line Charge Revenue Received		10,259		
9	plus Discretionary Discounts and Customer Rebates		2,164	10.100	FS1a
10	Gross Line Charge Income		_	12,423	
11 12					
13	Capital Contributions		1,190		
14	plus Net Value of Vested Assets		480		
15	Total Capital Contributions and Vested Assets			1,670	
16					
17	AC Loss Rental Rebates Received		153		
18 19	/ess AC Loss Rental Rebates Passed On Net AC loss rental income (deficit)		-	153	
20	Net Ac loss femai modifie (deficit)		_	133	
21					
22	Other Income		5		
23				5	
24				11.051	
25	Total regulatory income			14,251	
26					
27	F				
28	Expenses				
29 30	Transmission Charges - Payments to Transpower		3,619		
31	plus Avoided Transmission Charges - payments to parties other than Transp	oower	178		
32	Total Transmission Costs			3,797	
33					
34	Operational Expenditure:		200		
35 36	General Management, Administration and Overheads System Management and Operations		398 1,046		
37	Routine and Preventative Maintenance		974		to AM1
38	Refurbishment and Renewal Maintenance		409		to AM1
39	Fault and Emergency Maintenance		217		to AM1
40	Pass-through Costs		86		
41	Other Total Operational Expanditure		-	2 120	4- 1400
42 43	Total Operational Expenditure			3,130	to MP2
43 44					
45	Operational earnings			7,324	
46					
47					
48	Regulatory Depreciation of System Fixed Assets (incl. value of assets		2,779		from AV1
49	plus Depreciation of Non-System Fixed Assets (incl. value of assets decom	imissioned)	70	0.046	from AV1
50	Total Regulatory Depreciation			2,849	to FS3
51 52					
52 53	Earnings before interest and tax (EBIT)			4,475	to FS3
	Lamingo belore interest and tax (EDIT)			7,713	10 7 00
54 55	/ess Regulatory Tax Allowance			(124)	from FS3
56	1000 Regulatory Tax Allemanie			( · <del>- ·</del> · )	
57	plus Indexed Revaluation (of System Fixed Assets)			1,292	from AV1
58	plus Revaluations of Non-System Fixed Assets			-	from AV1
59					
60	Regulatory profit / loss (pre-financing and distributions)			5,891	to MP2

#### **Notes to Regulatory Profit Statement** FS1a: Discretionary Discounts: Customer Rebates and other line charge adjustments (\$000) 70 **Customer Rebates** 2,164 71 Line Charge Holidays and other Discretionary Discounts 72 **Total Discretionary Discounts and Customer Rebates** 2,164 75 FS1b: Related party expenditure - summary (\$000) Avoided Transmission Charges 76 Operational Expenditure 4,036 77 78 Subvention Payment 79 Other related party expenditure **Total Related Party Expenditure** 4,036 80 81 82 N.B.: The additional Related Party information that is required to be disclosed in accordance with Section 3 of the Information Disclosure Handbook is to be disclosed by way of a separate note to this Schedule and forms part of this Schedule. 83 84 FS1c: Operational Expenditure notes (\$000) 87 88 89 Merger and Acquisition Expenses 90 Merger and Acquisition Expenses (not to be included in Operational Expenditure) 91 92 Material items (if greater than 10% of the Operational Expenditure line item) Material item amount 1 93 Notes to be provided separately 94 within expenditure category: Select one 95 96 Material item amount 2 Notes to be provided separately 97 within expenditure category: Select one 98 Material item amount 3 99 Notes to be provided separately 100 within expenditure category: Select one 101 102 (further disclosures to be provided on separate page if required) 103 FS1d: Vested Assets 106 Consideration Paid for Vested Assets 107 FS1e: Reclassified items in Operational Expenditure (\$000) 110 Value of items which have been reclassified since previous disclosure (if greater than 10% of any affected line item) 111 Previous classification: 112 Select one New classification: 113 Select one 114 (\$000) 115 Value of items which have been reclassified since previous disclosure (if greater than 10% of any affected line item) 116 117 Previous classification: 118 New classification: Select one 119 (\$000) 120

#### **Notes**

Previous classification:

to be repeated as required for multiple reclassifications

New classification:

121 122

123 124

FS1b: Related party expenditure summary - A separate note has been provided on page 5

FS1c: Operational Expenditure - A separate note has been provided on page 6

REPORT FS1: REGULATORY PROFIT STATEMENT (cont)

FS1e: Reclassified items in Operational Expenditure - Under the Transitional Provisions, this information is not required to be disclosed for the current year.

Select one

Select one

Value of items which have been reclassified since previous disclosure (if greater than 10% of any affected line item)

#### FS1b Related Party Summary

#### Associated Entity: NetCon Limited

- Network Waitaki Limited sold its 50% interest in NetCon Limited on 1 October 2008. Up until the sale NetCon Limited provided asset maintenance and construction services to Network Waitaki Limited. Services were charged on either a fixed price basis or "time and materials" basis.
- No debts were written off or forgiven and no transactions took place at nil or nominal value.
- During the year capital construction transactions carried out by NetCon totalled the following:

	Year Ended 31	Year Ended 31
	March 2010	March 2009
	\$'000	\$'000
Zone Substation	0	0
Distribution Lines & LV Lines	0	312
Distribution Switchgear	0	154
Distribution Transformers and Substations	0	74
Other Property, Plant and Equipment	0	13
Other transactions between NetCon and Network Waitaki:		
Maintenance of System Property, Plant & Equipment	0	651
Total	0	1,204

#### Subsidiary Entity: Network Waitaki Contracting Limited

- Network Waitaki Contracting Limited is a 100% wholly-owned subsidiary which started trading on 1 October 2008.
- Network Waitaki Limited purchased the assets, liabilities and goodwill of the Oamaru depot of NetCon Limited on 1 October 2008 and sold them to Network Waitaki Contracting Limited for the same value.
- Network Waitaki Contracting Limited provides asset maintenance and construction services to Network Waitaki Limited. Services are charged on either a fixed price basis or "time and materials" basis.
- For the period ended 31 March 2010 Network Waitaki paid Network Waitaki Contracting Limited \$4.036 million for asset maintenance and construction services (\$1.277 million 2009).
- No debts were written off or forgiven and no transactions took place at nil or nominal value.
- During the year, capital construction transactions carried out by Network Waitaki Contracting Limited totalled the following:

	Year Ended 31 March 2010 \$'000	Year Ended 31 March 2009 \$'000
Distribution Lines and Cables	2,536	377
Medium Voltage Switchgear	84	206
Distribution Transformers and Substations	123	81
Other Property, Plant and Equipment	95	1
Other transactions between Network Waitaki Contracting and Network Waitaki:		
Maintenance of System Property, Plant and Equipment	1,198	612
Total	4,036	1,277

# FS1c : Operational Expenditure – Material items greater than 10% of the operational expenditure line item

Amount	Material Items (greater than 10% of the Operational expenditure line item)					
in \$'000	Expenditure Category	Details				
204	General Management, Administration and Overheads	Indirect Labour				
85	General Management, Administration and Overheads	Directors' Fees				
612	System Management and Operations	Labour				
444	Routine and Preventative Maintenance	11 kV Maintenance				
249	Routine and Preventative Maintenance	Tree Control				
71	Routine and Preventative Maintenance	33 kV Maintenance				
114	Refurbishment and Renewal Maintenance	33 kV Maintenance				
98	Refurbishment and Renewal Maintenance	Distribution Transformer Maintenance				
93	Refurbishment and Renewal Maintenance	LT Maintenance				
87	Fault and Emergency Maintenance	11 Kv Faults				
63	Fault and Emergency Maintenance	Fault Standby				
52	Fault and Emergency Maintenance	LV Faults				
54	Pass-through Costs	Rates				
32	Pass-through Costs	Electricty Commission				

# 2. FS2 – Regulatory Asset & Financing Statement

## REPORT FS2: REGULATORY ASSET AND FINANCING STATEMENT

ref	Electricity Distribution Business:	Network Wai	itaki Limited	
5		For Year Ended	2010	
6		_		
7	Capital Expenditure on System Fixed Assets (by primary purpose)		(\$000)	
8	Customer Connection	332		to AM1
9	System Growth	5,122		to AM1
10	Reliability, Safety and Environment	46		to AM1
11	Asset Replacement and Renewal	325		to AM1
12	Asset Relocations	-		to AM1
13	Total Capital Expenditure on System Fixed Assets	_	5,825	to AM1
14		_		
15				
16	Capital Expenditure on Non-System Fixed Assets		55	from AV1
17		_		
18				
19	Capital works roll-forward (for System Fixed Assets)			
20	Works Under Construction at Beginning of Year	1,456		
21	plus Total Capital Expenditure on System Fixed Assets	5,825		
22	less Assets Commissioned in Year	5,056		from AV1
23	Works under construction at year end		2,225	
24				
25				
26	Regulatory Investment Value calculation			
27	System Fixed Assets: regulatory value at end of Previous Year	63,136		from AV1
28	Non-System Fixed Assets: regulatory value at end of Previous Year	238		from AV1
29	Finance During Construction Allowance (on System Fixed assets)	1,547		2.45%
30	Total Regulatory Asset Base value at beginning of Current Financial Year		64,920	
31				
32	plus System Fixed Assets Commissioned in Year	5,056		from AV1
33	System Fixed Assets Acquired From (Sold to) a Non-EDB in Year	-		from AV1
34	Non-System Fixed Assets: Asset Additions	55		from AV1
35	Regulatory Asset Base investment in Current Financial Year - total	5,111		
36	Regulatory Asset Base investment in Current Financial Year - average		2,556	
37				
38	plus (minus) where a merger or acquisition has taken place within the year			
39	Adjustment for merger, acquisition or sale to another EDB		-	from AV4
40		_		
41	Regulatory Investment Value		67,476	to MP2

# 3. FS3 – Regulatory Tax Allowance Calculation

#### **REPORT FS3: REGULATORY TAX ALLOWANCE CALCULATION**

ref	1		Electricity Distribution Business:	Network V	Waitaki	
5				For Year Ended	2010	
6						
7					(\$000)	
8		Earnings before interest and tax (EBIT)			4,475	from FS1
9						
10	add	Total Regulatory Depreciation		2,849		from FS1
11		Other Permanent Differences - not deductible		94		
12		Other Temporary Adjustments - Current Period				
13					2,943	
15	less	Non Taxable Capital Contributions and Vested Assets		1,670		
16	1000	Tax Depreciation		2,409		
17		Deductible Discretionary Discounts and Customer Rebates		2,164		
18		Deductible Interest		1,490		from row 53
19		Other Permanent Differences - Non Taxable		1,100		nom row 55
20		Other Temporary Adjustments - Prior Period		99		
21					7,832	
22				ı	,	
23		Regulatory taxable income for Year			(414)	
24		· ·				
25	less	Tax Losses Available at Start of Year		-		
26		Net taxable income			(414)	
27						
28		Statutory Tax Rate		30%		
29		Regulatory Tax Allowance			(124)	to FS1
				_		

#### **Notes to Regulatory Tax Allowance Calculation**

36	FS3a: Description of adjustments classified as "other"
37	
38	The Electricity Distribution Business is to provide descriptions of items recorded in the four "other" categories above (explanatory
39	notes can be provided in a separate note if necessary).
40	
41	The other categories relate to the movement in ACC and employee entitlements provisions during the year.
42	
43	
44	
45	

48	FS3b: Financing assumptions (for Deductible Interest and Interest Tax Sh	nield calculation)	
49 50	Standard Debt Leverage Assumption (debt/total assets)	40%	%
51 52	Standard Cost of Debt Assumption	5.52%	%
53 54	Deductible Interest	1,490	\$000 to row 18
55 56	Interest Tax Shield Adjustment	447	\$000 to MP2

The company has tax losses carried forward at the start of the year of \$1,577 which would have been shown in line 25. This tax loss has been included as regulatory profit/loss pre financing and distributions in prior years. Entering the \$1,577 into line 25 has the effect of increasing the regulatory profit/loss pre financing and distribution by \$1,577\*30% or \$473. This income has been accounted for in prior years. Given the tax loss carried for has already been included in the ROI in prior years, the tax loss has been excluded from FR3.

# 4. AV1 – Annual Regulatory Valuation Roll-Forward Report

#### REPORT AV1: ANNUAL REGULATORY VALUATION ROLL-FORWARD REPORT Network Waitaki Electricity Distribution Business: 2010 For Year Ended: 2004 Year of most recent ODV 6 8 ODV Year + For Year Ending: 10 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 11 System Fixed Assets Regulatory Value at End of Previous Year\* 46,805 52.550 57.096 63,136 12 to FS2 13 plus Assets Commissioned 4.029 6.506 5.553 3.296 14 5.056 to FS2 Gross Value of Vested Assets 15 480 to FS1 16 Assets Acquired from (Sold to) a Non-EDB to FS2 Asset Additions 1.779 6.506 5,553 4.029 3.296 5.536 17 18 1.922 19 Indexed Revaluation 1.230 1.572 1.334 1.800 1.292 to FS1 20 less 21 Depreciation of System Fixed Assets 1.872 2.497 Regulatory Value of Assets Decommissioned 22 23 Regulatory Depreciation (incl. value of assets decommissioned) 1.872 2.333 2.341 2 433 2.574 2.779 to FS1 24 25 26 Acquisition of System Fixed Assets from another EDB from AV4 27 less Sale of System Fixed Assets to another EDB from AV4 28 Net Acquisitions (Sales) of System Fixed Assets from (to) an EDB 29 30 31 Net Increase (Decrease) Due to Changes in Asset Register Information 32 33 Regulatory Value of System Fixed Assets at Year End 46,805 52,550 57,096 60,614 63,136 67,185 34 35 Non-System Fixed Assets Regulatory value at end of previous year 56 473 390 296 238 37 plus Asset Additions 572 38 71 43 55 to FS2 39 plus Revaluations to FS1 less Depreciation (incl. value of assets decommissioned) 155 101 40 41 166 70 plus Net Acquisitions (Sales) of Non-System Fixed Assets from (to) an EDB Regulatory Value of Non-System Fixed Assets at Year end 42 56 473 390 296 238 223 43 44 Total Regulatory Asset Base Value (excluding FDC) 46,861 53,023 57,486 60,910 45 \* The commencing figure for completing this schedule is the most recent ODV value Note: Additional columns to be added if required

#### Notes to Annual Regulatory Valuation Roll-forward Report

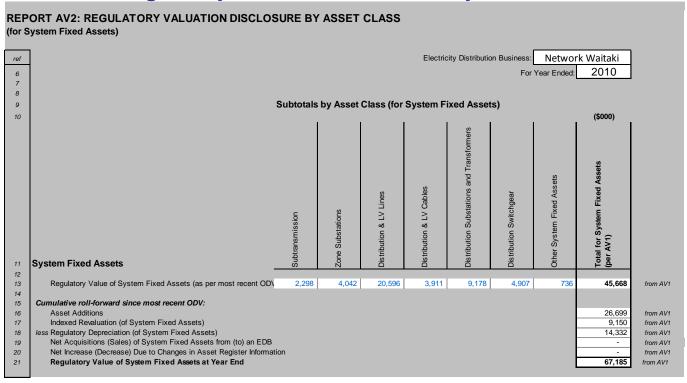
57	AV1a: Calculation of Revaluation Rate and Indexed Revaluation o	f System F	ixed Assets	3			
58	CPI as at date of ODV	928					
59							
60	For Year Ended	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
61	CPI at CPI reference date	953	985	1010	1044	1075	1097
62	Revaluation Rate	2.69%	3.36%	2.54%	3.37%	2.97%	2.05%
63		•		•	•		
64	System Fixed Assets: Regulatory Value at End of Previous Year	45,668	46,805	52,550	57,096	60,614	63,136
65	Indexed Revaluation of System Fixed Assets	1,230	1,572	1,334	1,922	1,800	1,292 p FS1, AV1

П	68	AV1b: Input for prior year Acquisitions (Sales) of Assets to (from) another ELB						(\$000)
ı	69	For Year Ended	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
	70	Acquisition of System Fixed Assets from another EDB						
П	71	Sale of System Fixed Assets to another EDB						
ı	72	Net Acquisitions (Sales) of Non-System Fixed Assets from (to) an EDB						

In the current year, due to improved understanding surrounding capital contributions, vested assets totalling \$479,831 have been able to be identified and differentiated from capital contributions and have been disclosed in the appropriate schedules.

Although vested assets were received in prior years, these vested assets have been included within the total regulatory asset base value in prior years, as a result there would be no effect on the total regulatory asset base value. Due to impracticalities in obtaining prior year vested asset amounts these have not been restated.

# 5. AV2 – Regulatory Valuation Disclosure by Asset Class



#### **AV3 – System Fixed Assets Replacement Cost** 6. **Roll-Forward Report**

# REPORT AV3: SYSTEM FIXED ASSETS REPLACEMENT COST ROLL-FORWARD REPORT

ref	Electricity Distribution Business: Network Waitaki	
5	For Year Ended: 2010	
6	System Fixed Assets - Replacement Cost	
7	(\$000)	
8	Replacement cost at end of previous year 130,816	
9		
10	Asset Additions 5,536	AV3a
11	Indexed Revaluation (of System Fixed Assets) 2,677	
12	less Replacement Cost of Assets Decommissioned 778	
13	Net Acquisitions (Sales) of System Fixed Assets from (to) an EDB	from AV4
14	Net Increase (Decrease) Due to Changes in Asset Register Information	
15	Replacement cost of System Fixed Assets at year end 138,251	
16		
17		
18	System Fixed Assets - Depreciated Replacement Cost	
19		
20	Depreciated Replacement Cost at end of previous year 63,430	
21		
22	Asset Additions 5,536	AV3a
23	Indexed Revaluation (of System Fixed Assets)	
24	less Depreciation of Replacement Cost 2,618	
25	less Depreciated Replacement Cost of Assets Decommissioned 192	
26	Net Acquisitions (Sales) of System Fixed Assets from (to) an EDB	from AV4
27	Net Increase (Decrease) Due to Changes in Asset Register Information	
28	Depreciated replacement cost of System Fixed Assets at year end 67,454	

#### REPORT AV3: SYSTEM FIXED ASSETS REPLACEMENT COST ROLL-FORWARD REPORT (con

#### **Notes to Price and Quality Measures**

36	AV3a: New Asset Additions		
37			
38	Asset Additions - Depreciated Replacement Cost	5,536	from AV1
39	plus Difference in Replacement Cost and Depreciated Replacment Cost values of Asset Additions	-	
40			
41	Asset Additions - Replacement Cost	5,536	
42			

# 7. AV4 Business Merger, Acquisition or Sale – Regulatory Asset Base Disclosure

	PORT AV4: BUSINESS MERGER, ACQUISITION	ON OR SA	LE - REG	SULATOR	RY ASSI	ET BASE	DISCLO	SURE			
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					on Business:			rk Waitaki	Limited	
ref	Disable and a service of 2 (VES on NIII, DISC), OSUBEN.	NC	DISCL	OSURE R							
6 7	Disclosure required? (YES or NIL DISCLOSURE):	IVC	DISCE	OSURE N	LQUIK						
8 9						Propor	tion of year fo	ollowing tran	As at (date): sfer of assets	31/03	/2010
10 11											
12	PART 1: Most recent ODV valuation of System Fixed	Assets trai	nsferred			lers	1		(\$000)		
						ansfom			St.		
					Ø	and tn		sets	Asse.		
				Lines	Cable	tations	hgear	xed As	Fixec		
		Subtransmission	Zone substations	Distribution & LV Lines	Distribution & LV Cables	Distribution substations and transformers	Distribution switchgea	Other System Fixed Assets	otal for System Fixed Assets		
		otransn	sqns əu	tributio	tributio	tributio	tributio	ier Sys	al for		
13 14	Replacement Cost (RC)	Sut	Zor	Dis	Dis	Dis	Dis	ŧ	<u> </u>		
15 16	less Depreciation Depreciated Replacement Cost (DRC)			_		_	_		-		
17 18 19	less Optimisation adjustment	i i	-	-	-	-	-	-			
20 21	Optimised Depreciated Replacement Cost (ODRC)	·	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
22 23	less Economic Value Adjustment (EVA)  Most recent ODV value		-	-	-	-	-		-		
24 25											
26	PART 2: Valuation disclosure for transferred assets	by Asset C	iass (at tra	nster date)							(\$000)
									Total for System Fixed Assets	Ş	(DC)
									Fixed	Fixed Assets	Total RAB value (excl. FDC)
									ystem	n Fixe	value
									al for S	Non-System	al RAB
27 28	Regulatory Value of System Fixed Assets (as per most rece	nt ODV)							Tota	Non	Tota
29 30	Cumulative roll-forward since most recent ODV:										
31 32	Asset Additions Indexed Revaluation (of System Fixed Assets)  less Regulatory Depreciation (of System Fixed Assets)										
33 34 35	Net Acquisitions (Sales) of System Fixed Assets from (to) an Net Increase (Decrease) due to Changes in Asset Register Ir										
36 37	RAB Value of Transferred Assets at Transfer Date										
38 39	Acquisition of Assets from Another EDB Sale of Assets to Another EDB								-	-	to AV1 to AV1
40 41 42	RAB Value of Transferred Assets at Transfer Date										
42 43 44	"p" factor (proportion of year following transfer of assets)  Adjustment for merger, acquisition or sale to another El	DB							0%	- 1	to FS2
45 46											
47	PART 3: Rolled-forward Replacement Cost values fo	r System F	ixed Asse	ts transferr	ed	RC & DRC	values of			(\$000)	
48						System Fixe transfe	ed Assets at		RAB va acquired/(s		
49 50	Net Acquisitions (Sales) of System Fixed Assets from (to) an Net Acquisitions (Sales) of System Fixed Assets from (to) an									-	to AV3 to AV3
51 52 53		Signed by:		Selling Entity							
53 54 55		Jighidu by.		Coming Limity							
56 57				Acquiring Ent	ity						

# 8. MP1 – Network Information

# REPORT MP1: NETWORK INFORMATION (Separate report required for each Non-Contiguous Network)

ref					Electricity Disti	ibution Business:		
6						1	For Year Ended:	2010
7		Network Name:	Network Waital			(enter "Total Busine	ss" or name of network)	
9		Disclosure:	Annual Disclosure - R	equirement 6(1)				
10	Circ	uit Length by Operatir	ng Line Voltage (at year end)		Overhead	Underground	Total	
11					(km)	(km)	(km)	
12 13		> 66kV 50kV & 66kV			-	-	-	
14		33kV			151	8	159	
15		SWER (all SWER voltages	)		-		-	
16 17		22kV (other than SWER) 6.6kV to 11kV (inclusive - c	other than SWER)	-	1,298	48	1,346	
18		Low Voltage (< 1kV)			182	27	209	
19 20		Total circuit length (for S	ирріу)		1,631	83	1,714	to MP2
21		Dedicated Street Lighting	g Circuit Length		-	-	-	
22	Ove	rhead Circuit Length h	y Terrain (at year end)		(km)	(%)		
24	0.0	Urban (only)	y ronam (at your ona)		146	9%		
25 26		Rural (only) Remote (only)		-	1,047 438	64% 27%		
27		Rugged (only)			-	0%		
28		Rural & rugged (only) Remote & rugged (only)			-	0% 0%		
29 30		Unallocated overhead lines		-	-	0%		
31		Total overhead length			1,631	100%		
32 33								
34	Trai	nsformer capacity (at	/ear end)					Previous Year
35		Distribution Transformer Ca				166		161
36			pacity (Non-EDB Owned, Estimated)				MVA	12
37 38		Total Distribution Transfo	rmer Capacity			1/8	MVA (to MP2)	173
39		Zone Substation Transform	er Capacity			132	MVA	99
40	_							
41 42	Syst	tem Fixed Assets age Average Age of System Fix				26	Years	
43		Average Expected Total Life					Years	
44		- ·	n of Average Expected Total Life			51%		
45 46		Estimated Proportion of As	sets (by Replacement Cost) within 10 y	vears of Total Life		26%	%	
47		Zominatod i ropomon or rio	solo (s) riopiacomoni ecci, minimi re-	, care or rotar £ire		2070	,,	
48 49						Maximum		
50						coincident	Non-coincident	
51 52	Elec	tricity demand				system demand (MW)	Sum of maximum demands (MW)	
53		GXP Demand				51	58	
54 55	plus	Embedded Generation Outp Maximum System Demai				- 51		
56	less	Net Transfers to (from) Other						
57 58	less		pply to customers' Connection Point s' Connection Point Demand	ts		51	_	
59	1033	Maximum Distribution Tr				51		to MP2
60 61		GXP Demand not Supplied	at Subtrangmission Lovel					
62			out - Connected to Subtransmission Sy	rstem		-	-	
63		Net Transfers to (from) Other	er EDBs at Subtransmission Level Only	′		-	-	
64 65		Estimated Controlled Loa	d Shed at Time of Maximum Syste	m Demand (MW)		4		
66 67		Five-Year System Maxim	um Demand Growth Forecast			0.4	% p.a.	
68		Icui Oyaleiii waxiiii	u Jemana Jiowan i Olecasi			5.4	, o p.u.	
69	Elec	tricity volumes carried				(GWh)		
70 71	less	Electricity Supplied from Gi Electricity Exports to GXPs				261		
72	plus	Electricity Supplied from Er	mbedded Generators			-		
73 74	less	Net Electricity Supplied to	(from) Other EDBs n for supply to customers' Connection	on Points		261		
75	less	Electricity Supplied to Cust	omers' Connection Points			241		to MP2
76 77		Electricity Losses (loss ra	tio)			20	7.7%	%
78		Electricity Supplied to Cust				241		
79 80	less	Electricity Supplied to Larg Electricity supplied other	est 5 Connection Points than to Largest 5 Connection Point	s		58 183	76%	%
81								
82	Load	d Factor				58%	%	
83 84	Num	nber of Connection Po	ints (at year end)			12,257	ICPs	to MP2
85								
86 87	Inter	nsity of service require	ements n Distribution Transformer Demand / To	tal circuit length)		20	kW/km	
88		Volume Density (Electricity	Supplied to Customers' Connection Pe		length)	141	MWh/km	
89 90		Connection Point Density (	CPs / Total circuit length)  Supplied to Customers' Connection P	oints / ICP)		7 19,662	ICP/km	
90		Energy intensity (Electricit)	Capplied to Sustainers Confidention P	onits / IOF )		19,002	IVVII/IOF	

## 9.MP2 - Performance Measures

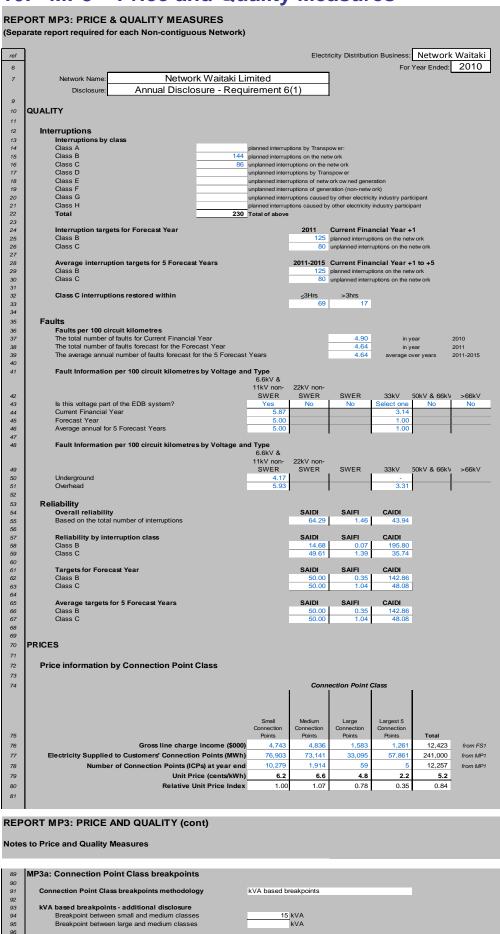
#### **REPORT MP2: PERFORMANCE MEASURES** Electricity Distribution Business: Network Waitaki Limited ref 2010 For Year Ended: Performance comparators 6 Current **Previous Years:** Financial Year 8 Current Yr - 3 Current Yr - 2 Current Yr - 1 9 Operational expenditure ratio Total Operational Expenditure 3 \$m 10 3 3 from FS1 Replacement Cost of System Fixed Assets (at year end\*, 124 131 138 \$m 11 Not defined 2.42% 2.29% 2.26% % 12 Ratio (%) 13 Capital expenditure ratio 14 Total Capital Expenditure on System Fixed Assets 4 6 \$m 15 4 from FS2 16 Replacement Cost of System Fixed Assets (at year end\*) 131 138 \$m from AV3 Not defined 3 23% 3.05% 17 Ratio (%) 4.21% % 18 Capital expenditure growth ratio 19 Capital Expenditure: Customer Connection and System Growth 5 \$m 20 from FS2 Change in Total Distribution Transformer Capacity 5 MVA 21 8 from MP1 22 \$/kVA Not defined 1.091 \$/kVA 23 Renewal expenditure ratio Capital & Operational Expenditure: Asset Replacement, Refurbishment and Renewal 25 1 \$m from FS1 & 2 Regulatory Depreciation of System Fixed Assets 3 3 \$m 26 from AV1 27 Ratio (%) Not defined 0% 0% 26% % 28 Distribution Transformer Capacity Utilisation 29 30 Maximum Distribution Transformer Demand 43 46 47 51 MW from MP1 Total Distribution Transformer Capacity (at year end\*) 147 165 173 178 kVA 31 from MP1 29.3% 27.9% 27.2% 28.7% % 32 33 Return on Investment 34 Regulatory Profit / Loss (pre-financing and distributions) 35 6 6 6 \$m from FS1 less Interest Tax Shield Adjustment 1 1 0 \$m from FS3 36 Adjusted Regulatory Profit 5 5 \$m 37 5 Regulatory Investment Value 67 \$m 64 61 from FS2 38 Not defined 8.20% 7.81% 8.07% % Ratio (%) 39 If a Merger or Asset Transfer with another EDB was enetered into during 40 41 the year, the denominators are calcuated as time-weighted averages Expenditure comparison table 42 43 Expenditure metrics (\$ per): Electricity Supplied to Maximum Distribution Total circuit Customers' coincident Transformer length (for Connection system Connection Capacity (EDB-45 Supply) **Points** demand Point Owned) 46 (\$/km) (\$/MWh) (\$/MW) (\$/ICP) (\$/MVA) Capital Expenditure (\$) per 3,431 24 115,294 480 35.422 from FS2 & MP1 47 Operational Expenditure (\$) per 1.826 13 61.373 255 18.855 from FS1 & MP1

#### **Notes**

#### **Current Financial Year Information**

Current Financial Year information for "Operational Expenditure Ratio", "Capital Expenditure Ratio", "Return on Investment", "Capital Expenditure Growth Ratio" and "Renewal Expenditure Growth Ratio" is automatically generated due to locked spreadsheet. There was no requirement to provide prior year information for these categories in the current year.

# 10. MP3 - Price and Quality Measures



The break point for large consumers is sites with time of use metering. Due to an absence of firm data a breakpoint between large and medium classes based on KVA could not be determined.

# 11. AM1 – Expenditure Forecasts and Reconciliation

	ORT AM1: EXPENDITURE FORECASTS AND RECO	INCILIATION						
ref 5			Elect	tricity Distribut	L	Network r Year Ended	Waitaki <b>2010</b>	
6	A) Five year forecasts of expenditure					_	(\$000)	
7	From most recent Asset Management Plan	Actual for		F	Forecast Years	<b>;</b>		
		Current						
8		Financial Year	year 1	year 2	year 3	year 4	year 5	
9	for year ended	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	
10	Capital Expenditure: Customer Connection	332	1,145	1,120	1,110	1,110	620	from FS2
11	Capital Expenditure: System Growth	5,122	4,205	8,157	7,100	4,590	835	from FS2
12 13	Capital Expenditure: Reliability, Safety and Environment  Capital Expenditure: Asset Replacement and Renewal	325	126 645	126 945	10 945	945	3,300	from FS2 from FS2
14	Capital Expenditure: Asset Relocations		135	135	135	135	135	from FS2
15	Subtotal - Capital Expenditure on asset management	5,825	6,256	10,483	9,300	6,790	5,000	
16								
17	Operational Expenditure: Routine and Preventative Maintenance Operational Expenditure: Refurbishment and Renewal Maintenance	974	715 752	715 752	714 752	714 752	714 752	from FS1
18 19	Operational Expenditure: Reluibisiment and Renewal Maintenance	217	253	254	254	254	254	from FS1
20	Subtotal - Operational Expenditure on asset management	1,600	1,720	1,721	1,720	1,720	1,720	
21		7.405	<b>-</b>	40.004	44.000	0.540	2 722	
22 23	Total direct expenditure on distribution network	7,425	7,976	12,204	11,020	8,510	6,720	
24	Overhead to Underground Conversion Expenditure							
26	The Electricity Distribution Business is to provide the amount of Overhead to							
27	Underground Conversion Expenditure included in each of the above Expenditure Categories (explanatory notes can be provided in a separate note if necessary).							
28								
32 33								
34			Actual for Current Financial Year (a)	Previous forecast for Current Financial Year (b)	% Variance (a)/(b)-1			
35	Capital Expenditure: Customer Connection		Current Financial Year	forecast for Current Financial Year				from row 10
20	Capital Expenditure: Customer Connection Capital Expenditure: System Growth		Current Financial Year (a)	forecast for Current Financial Year (b)	(a)/(b)-1			from row 10 from row 11
36			Current Financial Year (a)	forecast for Current Financial Year (b)	(a)/(b)-1 -52.9%			
30	Capital Expenditure: System Growth Capital Expenditure: Asset Replacement and Renewal Capital Expenditure: Reliability, Safety and Environment		Current Financial Year (a) 332 5,122	forecast for Current Financial Year (b) 705 5,321 51 913	(a)/(b)-1 -52.9% -3.7% -9.8% -64.4%			from row 11
38	Capital Expenditure: System Growth Capital Expenditure: Asset Replacement and Renewal Capital Expenditure: Reliability, Safety and Environment Capital Expenditure: Asset Relocations		Current Financial Year (a) 332 5,122 46 325	forecast for Current Financial Year (b)  705  5,321  51  913  135	(a)/(b)-1 -52.9% -3.7% -9.8% -64.4% -100.0%			from row 11 from row 12
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#### Variance between previous forecast for the current financial year, and actual expenditure.

#### Capital Expenditure – Customer Connection

Network Waitaki has no control over the level of customer connection. The Asset Management Plan forecasted an expected level of capital expenditure relating to customer connection based on historical trends and economic data available at the time of preparing the plan. The variance in 'capital expenditure –customer connection' cost reflects the difference in consumer demanded for new connections and the assumptions made in the Asset Management Plan.

#### Capital Expenditure – Asset Replacement and Renewal

An error exists in the worksheet, which is password protected. The 'Capital Expenditure Asset Replacement and Renewal' cell is feeding of the 'Capital Expenditure Reliability, Safety and Environment' line in the top half of schedule.

The correct variance numbers are

	Actual	Forecast	Variance
Capital Expenditure - Asset Replacement and Renewal	325	913	-64.40%

The actual level of capital expenditure is lower than allowed for in the Assets Management Plan. This represents a review of the capital construction programme since the publication of the 2009 Asset Management Plan. This review highlighted the need to construct or replace line asset due to load growth as a higher priority than capital expenditure on asset replacement and renewal.

#### Capital Expenditure – Reliability, Safety and Environment

An error exists in the worksheet, which is password protected. The 'Capital expenditure Reliability, Safety and Environment' cell is feeding of 'Asset Replacement and Renewal' in the top half of schedule. The correct variance numbers are

	Actual	Forecast	Variance
Capital Expenditure - Reilability, Saftey and Environment	46	51	-9.80%

The Asset Management Plan allowed for the installing of fault indicators. The review of the capital construction programme reallocated the capital investment into other aspects of the network.

#### Capital Expenditure – Asset Relocation

The review of the capital construction programme reallocated the capital investment into other aspects of the network.

# **IV. Transitional Provisions**

## 1. Direct and Indirect Line Charges

Year	2010	2009	2008	2007
Direct Line costs per Kilometre	1,332.70	1,154.63	942.84	1,004.92
Direct expenditure	2,284,252	2,157,559	1,849,138	2,014,481
System Length (Km)	1,714	1,869	1,961	2,005

Year	2010	2009	2008	2007
Indirect Line cost per consumer	68.65	68.23	63.34	57.87
Indirect expenditure	841,487	836,171	758,234	691,222
Total consumers	12,257	12,256	11,970	11,944

# V. Auditor's Report



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#### AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENT ASSURANCE REPORT

To the Board of Directors of Network Waitaki Limited

# REPORT ON NETWORK WAITAKI LIMITED'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION (INFORMATION DISCLOSURE) REQUIREMENTS 2008 FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2010

The Auditor-General is the auditor of Network Waitaki Limited (the company). The Auditor-General has appointed me, Robert Harris, using the staff and resources of PricewaterhouseCoopers, to provide an opinion on the compliance of the attached reports on pages 3 to 18 prepared by Network Waitaki Limited with the Commerce Commission's Electricity Distribution (Information Disclosure) Requirements 2008 (the Requirements) for the financial year ended 31 March 2010. In this independent assurance report the attached reports are called the 'disclosure information'.

#### Respective Responsibilities

The Board of Directors is responsible for preparing disclosure information which complies with the Requirements.

Clause 10 of the Requirements requires the Auditor-General to provide an opinion that the disclosure information prepared by Network Waitaki Limited has complied with the Requirements for the financial year ended 31 March 2010.

#### Use of this Independent Assurance Report

This independent assurance report has been prepared solely to provide assurance that the disclosure information prepared by Network Waitaki Limited complies with the Requirements for the financial year ended 31 March 2010. This independent assurance report is not intended to be used for any purposes, other than that for which it was prepared.

#### Scope and Limitations of the Engagement

We conducted the engagement in accordance with the New Zealand Institute of Chartered Accountants International Standard on Assurance Engagements (New Zealand) 3000: Assurance Engagements Other than Audits or Reviews of Historical Financial Information.

In respect of disclosures of prospective financial information we conducted the engagement in accordance with the International Standard on Assurance Engagements 3400: *The Examination of Prospective Financial Information* (ISAE 3400). Where relevant, we have applied the principles of ISAE 3400 to the disclosure of prospective non-financial information.

This independent assurance report provides assurance that the disclosure information prepared by Network Waitaki Limited complies with the Requirements.

Our work has been planned and performed to obtain all the information and explanations we considered necessary in order to obtain reasonable assurance that the disclosure information has been presented in all material respects in accordance with the Requirements. Material misstatements, whether caused by fraud or error, are differences or omissions of amounts and disclosures that would affect a user's overall understanding of the disclosure information prepared by Network Waitaki Limited.

Because of the inherent limitations in evidence gathering procedures, it is possible that fraud, error or non-compliance may occur and not be detected. As the procedures performed for this engagement are not performed continuously throughout the financial year and the procedures performed in respect of Network Waitaki Limited's compliance with the Requirements are undertaken on a test basis, our engagement cannot be relied on to detect all instances where Network Waitaki Limited may not have complied with the Requirements. Our opinion has been formed on the above basis.

# V. Auditor's Report (Continued) PRICE WATERHOUSE COPERS

This independent assurance report provides assurance that the disclosure information prepared by Network Waitaki Limited complies with the Requirements. Network Waitaki Limited's financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2010 have been subject to audit.

The audit opinion on the financial statements was unqualified.

#### **Basis of Opinion**

Our work in respect of any historical financial and non-financial amounts and disclosures that were audited under the financial statements audit has been limited to agreeing the amounts and disclosures to the underlying records and audited financial statements of Network Waitaki Limited.

Our work in respect of historical financial and non-financial amounts and disclosures that were not audited under the financial statement audit, has been planned and performed to obtain all the information and explanations we considered necessary in order to obtain reasonable assurance that the disclosure information has been presented in all material respects in accordance with the Requirements.

In the case of prospective financial and non-financial information our work has been limited to assessing whether the information has been presented on a basis consistent with the regulatory accounting or technical measurement requirements used for disclosures for the financial year ended 31 March 2010 and the immediately preceding financial year, and that the prospective financial and non-financial information has been calculated based on source data provided by Network Waitaki Limited. We have not performed audit procedures on the source data.

#### Independence

When carrying out the engagement we followed the independence requirements of the Auditor-General, which incorporate the independence requirements of the New Zealand Institute of Chartered Accountants. We also complied with the Independent auditor provisions on independence, as specified in clause 2(1) of the Requirements.

Other than the engagement, the annual audit of the Network Waitaki Limited's financial statements carried out on behalf of the Auditor-General, and the provision of other professional advisory services, we have no relationship with or interests in Network Waitaki Limited.

# Qualified Opinion Report MP3: reliability statistics

The scope of our engagement was subject to the following limitation for the year ended 31 March 2010:

 There is no independent evidence available for the period to support the completeness and accuracy of recorded faults;

Because of this limitation, there are no practical audit procedures that we could adopt to confirm independently that all outage and ICP data was properly recorded for the purposes of inclusion in the amounts or details set out in the quality threshold: SAIDI and SAIFI statistics.

In these respects alone we have not obtained all the information and explanations that we have required.

In our opinion, Network Waitaki Limited has:

- except for the matters identified above, kept proper records to enable the complete and accurate compilation of required information in report MP3 in all material respects, as far as appears from our examination of those records;
- prepared disclosure information in report MP3 for the financial year ended 31 March 2010 that complies with the Requirements;

# V. Auditor's Report (Continued)



- presented the historical financial information included in report MP3 for the financial year ended 31 March 2010 in accordance with the Requirements, in all material respects;
- compiled the historical non-financial information included in report MP3 in accordance with the guidance issued pursuant to the Requirements, and has calculated the historical non-financial information based on unaudited source data provided by Network Waitaki Limited; and
- presented the prospective financial and non-financial information in report MP3 on a basis
  consistent with the regulatory accounting or technical measurement requirements used for
  disclosures for the financial year ended 31 March 2009 and the immediately preceding
  financial year, and has calculated the prospective financial and non-financial information based
  on unaudited source data provided by Network Waitaki Limited.

# Unqualified Opinion Reports FS1, FS2, FS3, AV1, AV2, AV3, AV4, MP1, MP2 and AM1

In our opinion, Network Waitaki Limited has:

- kept proper records to enable the complete and accurate compilation of required information, as far as appears from our examination of those records;
- prepared disclosure information for the financial year ended 31 March 2010 that complies with the Requirements;
- presented the historical financial information included in reports FS1, FS2, FS3, AV1, AV2, AV3, AV4, MP2, and AM1 for the financial year ended 31 March 2010 in accordance with the Requirements, in all material respects;
- compiled the historical non-financial information included in reports MP1 and MP2 in accordance with the guidance issued pursuant to the Requirements, and has calculated the historical non-financial information based on unaudited source data provided by Network Waitaki Limited; and
- presented the prospective financial and non-financial information in report AM1 on a basis
  consistent with the regulatory accounting or technical measurement requirements used for
  disclosures for the financial year ended 31 March 2010 and the immediately preceding
  financial year, and has calculated the prospective financial and non-financial information based
  on unaudited source data provided by Network Waitaki Limited.

Robert Harris

Pricewaterhousecoopers

On behalf of the Auditor-General

119 Armagh Street, Christchurch

24 May 2010

## **Directors' Certificates**

#### **Certificate for Disclosed Information**

We Clare Kearney and John Walker, directors of Network Waitaki Ltd certify that having made all reasonable enquiry, to the best of our knowledge, the following attached audited information of Network Waitaki Ltd prepared for the purposes of requirement 3, 4, 6 and 7(5) of the Commerce Commission's Electricity Distribution (Information Disclosure) Requirements 2008 complies with those Requirements.

- (i) Report FS1: Regulatory Profit Report;
- (ii) Report FS2: Regulatory Asset and Financing Report;
- (iii) Report FS3: Regulatory Tax Allowance Report;
- (iv) Report AV1: Annual Regulatory Valuation Roll-Forward Report;
- (v) Report AV2: Valuation Disclosure by Asset Class (for System Fixed Assets);
- (vi) Report AV3: System Fixed Assets Replacement Cost Roll-Forward Report;
- (vii) Report AV4: Merger or Acquisition Regulatory Asset Base Disclosure;
- (viii) Report MP1: Network Information Report;
- (ix) Report MP2: Performance Measure Report;
- (x) Report MP3: Price and Quality Report; and
- (xi) Report AM1: Expenditure Forecasts and Reconciliation.

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Clare Kearney Director	John Walker Director

Dated 24 May 2010