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Whakamaru 220kV Bus Outage Constraint Applied

Transpower, as System Operator, advises that an outage constraint for the Whakamaru 220kV bus will be applied.

As part of the Whakamaru Bus uprating project implementation, an outage constraint is required to limit the flow through the section of the existing Whakamaru 220kV Bus D while stringing is done on Bus A for the following outage:

- WKM_220BS_A from 13 Oct 2026, 07:30:00 to 14 Oct 2026, 16:00:00 Continuous

WKM_220BS_A_or_D_O_1

$$1 * THI_WKM1.1 + 1 * TKU_WKM1.1 + 1 * TKU_WKM2.1 \leq 762MW$$

The effect of this constraint is to manage flows through this section of Bus by limiting the combined flow through the three circuits connected to that bus section to below 762MW. The RHS of the constraint may change in real time, depending on network conditions.

If you have any queries, please email OPS.Planner@transpower.co.nz

For further information on existing constraints, go to:

<https://www.transpower.co.nz/system-operator/operational-information/security-constraints>