

3 General Definitions

In this transmission pricing methodology, unless the context otherwise requires—
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substantial sustained increase [Revoked],

Deleted: means, for large plant, an increase in the large plant's expected annual electricity consumption or generation (as the case may be)—

81 Benefit-based Charge Adjustment Events

(1) The following events are benefit-based charge adjustment events:

- (a) a BBI suffers material damage:
- (b) a new customer connects to the grid:
- (c) a customer (the exiting customer) ceases to be a customer:
- (d) an existing customer (the connecting or disconnecting customer) connects plant to, or disconnects plant from, the grid:
- (e) large embedded plant is connected to, or large embedded plant is disconnected from, a host customer's (the connecting or disconnecting customer's) local network or grid-connected plant:
- (f) [Revoked],
- (g) [Revoked],
- (h) a distributor (the connecting distributor) connects its local network at a grid point of connection (new grid point of connection) to which the connecting distributor was not connected immediately before connecting its local network at the new grid point of connection:
- (i) the point of connection for existing large plant changes:
- (j) a customer (the vendor) sells or otherwise transfers all or part of its business that constitutes it as a beneficiary of a BBI to another party (the purchaser):
- (k) Transpower decides to voluntarily under-recover a BBI's covered cost:
- (l) there is a SSCGU.

Deleted: (a) of at least 25% since the last time the relevant customer's BBI customer allocations for 1 or more BBIs were calculated, as assessed under subclause 81(4); and¶
(b) that is not attributable to a large upgrade of the large plant; and¶
(c) that Transpower determines is reasonably likely to persist for at least 5 years after the start of the relevant event pricing year¶

Deleted: there is a substantial sustained increase by a customer's (the increasing customer's) existing grid-connected plant:

Deleted: there is a substantial sustained increase by existing large embedded plant connected to a host customer's (the increasing customer's) local network or grid-connected plant:

Deleted: For the purposes of paragraphs (1)(f) and (1)(g), whether the increase in electricity consumed or generated by the large plant is a substantial sustained increase in respect of a BBI must be assessed against the average annual electricity consumption or generation by the large plant explicitly or implicitly included in the current value of the increasing customer's intra-regional allocator for its regional customer group and the BBI.

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(4) [Revoked],

(8) Any of the benefit-based charge adjustment events in paragraphs (1)(b) to (1)(j) may also be a SSCGU, in which case both clause 91 and clause 83, 84, 85, 87 or 88 (as applicable depending on the benefit-based charge adjustment event) will apply. However, clause 83, 84, 85, 87 or 88 will only apply to a relevant BBI described in paragraph 91(2)(a) in respect of pricing years before the SSCGU's start pricing year.

Deleted: (1) This clause 86 applies in the case of the benefit-based charge adjustment event in paragraph 81(1)(f) or 81(1)(g).¶

(2) Transpower must—¶

(a) comply with clause 83 as if the substantial sustained increase were attributable to plant connected to the grid by a separate new customer (the notional new customer) at—¶

(i) if the substantial sustained increase is in electricity consumed or generated by grid-connected plant, the connection location where the grid-connected plant is connected; or¶

(ii) if the substantial sustained increase is in electricity consumed or generated by large embedded plant connected to the increasing customer's local network, the connection location electrically closest to the large embedded plant's electrically closest point of connection to the local network, as determined by Transpower; or¶

(iii) if the substantial sustained increase is in electricity consumed or generated by large embedded plant connected to the increasing customer's grid-connected plant, the connection location where the grid-connected plant is connected; and¶

(b) attribute the notional new customer's BBI customer allocation (and the inputs to its calculation) and benefit-based charge for each relevant post-2019 BBI and Appendix A BBI to the increasing customer.¶

86 [Revoked]