



NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

Subordinate Legislation No. 4 of 2007*

Electricity Reform (Administration) Amendment Regulations 2007

I, EDWARD JOSEPH EGAN, the Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, make the following regulations under the *Electricity Reform Act*.

Dated 12 March 2007.

E. J. EGAN
Administrator

By His Honour's Command

P. R. HENDERSON
Minister for Employment, Education and Training
acting for the
Treasurer

* Notified in the *Northern Territory Government Gazette* on 21 March 2007.

1. Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the *Electricity Reform (Administration) Amendment Regulations 2007*.

2. Regulations amended

These Regulations amend the *Electricity Reform (Administration) Regulations*.

3. Amendment of regulation 15 (Charges from on-suppliers to receivers)

Regulation 15(2) and (3)

omit, substitute

(2) However, the on-supplier must comply with subregulations (3) to (6) if the on-supplier charges the receiver on the basis of the receiver's consumption of electricity during a period as measured by a meter.

(3) The charge must be equal to, or worked out on the same or a similar basis as:

- (a) if the on-supplier amount is equal to or less than the regulated amount – the regulated amount; or
- (b) otherwise – the on-supplier amount.

(4) In addition, the amount charged under subregulation (2) for each receiver in the premises must be calculated in the same way.

(5) The on-supplier amount is so much of the amount charged for the supply of electricity to the on-supplier for that period as is attributable to the receiver's consumption mentioned in subregulation (2).

(6) The regulated amount is the amount the receiver would have been charged for that consumption if:

- (a) the receiver had been a non-contestable consumer of the electricity entity; and
- (b) the electricity had been supplied by the electricity entity to the receiver; and
- (c) the standard rates of fix charge and usage charge had applied to the receiver.

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(7) For section 6(c) of the Act, the Utilities Commission may, by writing, make guidelines for the administration of this regulation.

(8) The guidelines must not have effect before the Utilities Commission publishes a *Gazette* notice for the making of the guidelines.