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Queensland Competition Authority
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2024 Review of Aurizon Network's System Rules

Dear Ann,

I refer to the Queensland Competition Authority's (**QCA**) assessment of Aurizon Network's 2024 review of the Central Queensland Coal Network System Rules (**CQCN System Rules**), specifically recent discussions between Aurizon Network and the Queensland Resources Council (**QRC**) regarding their submission to the QCA.

Aurizon Network understands that the QRC provided a submission in response to the QCA Preliminary Views on the CQCN System Rules by the consultation close date of 5 April 2024. Aurizon Network confirms that the QRC did communicate their suggested amendments prior to providing their submission to the QCA.

Aurizon Network believes that the Proposed Amendments provided to the QCA on 7 March 2024 provide a commitment to ongoing consultation during the Trial Period. It would be expected that this would include consultation on any uncertainties or unforeseen outcomes that may result in the need for an additional vote to be called. However, to assist with providing certainty for all stakeholders, Aurizon Network is agreeable to the QRC's suggested amendments relating to section 1.2 of the CQCN System Rules.

Should you have any queries in relation to this submission, please do not hesitate to contact Lauren Dixon at lauren.dixon@aurizon.com.au

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon Windle", written over a light grey horizontal line.

Jon Windle
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