



Mr Andrew Nicholls PSM  
Chief Executive Officer  
Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal (IPART)

By email: [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Nicholls PSM,

Thank you for your letter requesting a one-month extension to prepare the final report on the future of embedded networks in NSW.

The Premier initiated this review at the request of the Minister for Energy. As such, the Department has consulted with the Cabinet Office and the Minister for Energy about the extension.

Based on this, we can advise the Department supports your request for an extension to 30 April 2024 to conduct more comprehensive stakeholder consultation.

We look forward to receiving the final report.

If you have any further questions, please contact Sophia Vincent, Director, Energy Consumer and Competition Policy, Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water, on [REDACTED]

Yours sincerely

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Andrew Lewis  
**Acting Deputy Secretary**  
**Energy, Climate Change & Sustainability**

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