

Commerce Act (Electricity Distribution Thresholds) Notice 2004

Threshold Compliance Statement

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Threshold assessment as at 31 March 2010

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INTRODUCTION

This threshold compliance statement ("the Statement") is submitted by Vector Limited ("Vector") pursuant to s7(1)(a) of the Commerce Act (Electricity Distribution Thresholds) Notice 2004 ("the Notice").

The Notice relates to the performance of electricity lines businesses as part of the Commerce Commission's ("the Commission") development and operation of a regulatory regime for such businesses, pursuant to Part 4A of the Commerce Act 1986.

The Notice requires lines businesses to publicly disclose information relevant to the assessment of their performance against the thresholds.

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

As required by s7(1)(a) of the Notice, the Statement:

- (a) confirms Vector's compliance with the price path threshold, and includes evidence to this effect in the form of revenues, notional revenues, prices, base quantities, pass-through costs, units of measurement associated with all numeric data, list of excluded services (and the reasons and supporting evidence for excluding these services) and other data, information, and calculations, that fully supports and explains the confirmation; and
- (b) confirms Vector's compliance with the quality threshold, and includes evidence to this effect in the form of SAIDI and SAIFI statistics, relevant information from asset management plans, and other data, information, and calculations that fully supports and explains the confirmation; and
- (c) describes policies and procedures which Vector has used for recording the SAIDI and SAIFI statistics; and
- (d) includes such other information as is sufficient to enable the Commission to properly determine whether or not the thresholds have been breached.

Public disclosure

As required by s7(1), Vector has disclosed and published the Statement on the Internet, including:

- (a) a report on the Statement signed by Vector's auditor (KPMG), as required by s7(1)(b) of the Notice ("the Auditor's Report"); and
- (b) a certificate duly signed by two Directors of Vector, as required by s7(1)(c) of the Notice ("the Certificate").

As required by s7(8), Vector hereby advises the Uniform Resource Locator ("URL") for accessing the Statement, the Auditor's Report and the Certificate to be;

http://www.vector.co.nz/corporate/disclosures/electricity

Copies of the Statement (containing the Auditor's Report and the Certificate) are available from 101 Carlton Gore Road, Newmarket, Auckland.

Disclaimer

The information contained in this Statement has been prepared for the express purpose of complying with the requirements of the Notice. This statement has not been prepared for any other purpose. Vector Limited expressly disclaims any liability to any other party who may rely on this statement for any other purpose.

1 PRICE PATH THRESHOLD

1.1 Introduction

- 1.1.1 This section of the Statement pertains to the requirements of the Commission's price path threshold for the 31 March 2010 assessment date.
- 1.1.2 Vector, along with other lines businesses, is required to demonstrate that notional revenue calculated in accordance with the Notice has not increased by more than CPI-X (Vector has an X factor of zero) and changes in pass through costs, for the period from 1 April 2009 to 31 March 2010.
- 1.1.3 In this Statement Vector demonstrates that it has complied with the price path threshold requirements.
- 1.1.4 Tables contained in the Statement are aggregates of the attached appendices that reflect the price multiplied by the appropriate quantity for each pricing category.
- 1.1.5 For presentation purposes some numbers in this document have been rounded. In most cases calculations are based on more detailed numbers (i.e. to more decimal places than shown in this document). This may cause small discrepancies or rounding inconsistencies when aggregating some of the information presented in this document. These discrepancies do not affect the overall compliance calculations which are based on the more detailed information.

Sale of the Wellington network

- 1.1.6 On 24 July 2008, Vector completed the sale of the Wellington electricity distribution network (Wellington Electricity Lines Limited, (WELL)) to Hong Kong Electric Holdings Limited and Cheung Kong Infrastructure Holdings Limited (CKI). Vector continues to own and operate the Auckland and Northern (Waitemata) electricity distribution networks (referred to collectively in this document as the Auckland Regional networks).
- 1.1.7 As a result of the sale, Vector and WELL adopted an approach to enable Vector and WELL to jointly demonstrate their compliance with the price path threshold and separately demonstrate compliance with the quality threshold for the year ended 31 March 2009. For the year ended 31 March 2010 Vector and WELL have

separately demonstrated compliance with the price and quality thresholds. The approach adopted has been further detailed in the relevant sections of this compliance statement.

1.1.8 Some sections of this threshold compliance statement differ from previous years as calculations no longer include the Wellington electricity distribution network.

Exclusions

- 1.1.9 Only a subset of Vector's services are relevant to the Commission's consideration under the Notice; namely electricity distribution goods or services or services directly related to electricity distribution.
- 1.1.10 Accordingly, as provided for in the Notice (definition of 'specified services'), Vector has excluded a range of services from this Statement. Where services related to electricity distribution are excluded, Vector has complied with the regulations by demonstrating that there is workable or effective competition for the provision of those services.
- 1.1.11 Without prejudice to future compliance statements, Vector has taken a conservative approach to service exclusions. For example some services provided to large consumers and charter payments that could be considered for exclusion have not been excluded. We reserve our right to justify further service exclusions to the Commission in the future.

1.2 Price path threshold requirement (s5(1)(a) of the Notice)

- 1.2.1 As required by s5(1)(a), in order to demonstrate compliance with the price path threshold, lines businesses are required to demonstrate that their notional revenue at the assessment date has not exceeded the allowable notional revenue under the CPI-X price path at that assessment date.
- 1.2.2 As outlined in the calculation below, Vector complies with the price path threshold.

| Notice Requirement | Notional revenue divided by allowable notional revenue at the assessment date | Is not to exceed | One |
|-----------------------|---|------------------|-----|
| Notice expression | $\frac{NR_{2010}}{R_{2010}}$ | ≤ | 1 |
| Vector Result | \$331,147,417 \$334,833,985 = 0.9888 | ≤ | 1 |

1.2.3 As described in the joint compliance statement for Vector and WELL prepared on 20 May 2009, Vector's share of allowable notional revenue for the Auckland Regional networks has been determined by apportioning the combined allowable notional revenue for the Auckland Regional networks and the Wellington network as at 31 March 2009 between Vector and WELL in proportion to their respective notional revenues at 31 March 2009.

$$R_{2009,AKL} = \left(R_{2009} \times \frac{NR_{2009,AKL}}{NR_{2009,AKL} + NR_{2009,WGN}}\right)$$

$$R_{2009,AKL} = \left(\$410,550,479 \times \frac{\$318,815,872}{\$318,815,872 + \$80,364,609}\right)$$

$$R_{2009,AKL} = \$327,896,817$$

1.2.4 The summary calculation of $NR_{\it 2010}$ and $R_{\it 2010}$ is provided below.

| Vector's Allowable Notional Revenue, $R_{2010} = R_{2009}(1 + \Delta CPI_{2010})(1 - X)$ | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Calculation Components | Amount | | | | | | |
| R_{2009} – is the allowable notional revenue under the CPI-X price path at 31 March 2009 | \$327,896,817 | | | | | | |
| $ \Delta CPI_{2010} - the average change in the consumer price index over the calendar year that ends during the assessment period (calculated in accordance with the following expression): $ | (4344/4254)-1 = 2.12% | | | | | | |
| Where $CPI_{Qj,y}$ is the consumer price All Groups Index SE9A figure published by Statistics New Zealand for the quarter j in the calendar year y | | | | | | | |
| X – is the "X factor" value specified in Schedule 1 of the Notice for the distribution business, subject to <i>clause</i> $5(3)$ | 0% | | | | | | |
| Total Allowable Notional Revenue as at 31 March 2010 | \$334,833,985 | | | | | | |

| Vector's Notional revenue, $NR_{2010} = \Sigma P_{i,2010} Q_i - K_{2010}$ | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Calculation Components | Amount | | | | | |
| $\Sigma P_{ir2010}~Q_i$ – the sum of the prices as at 31 March 2010 multiplied by the corresponding base quantities for the year ending 31 March 2003 | \$467,551,801 | | | | | |
| K_{2010} – the sum of all pass-through costs for the assessment period | (\$136,404,383) | | | | | |
| Total Notional Revenue as at 31 March 2010 | \$331,147,417 | | | | | |

1.3 Second price path threshold requirement (s5(1)(b) of the Notice)

- 1.3.1 Under s5(1)(b), the notional revenue of a distribution business at any time during an assessment period is not to exceed the greater of the allowable notional revenue of the distribution business at the assessment date on which that assessment period ends and the allowable notional revenue of the distribution business at the previous assessment date.
- 1.3.2 Vector complies with s5(1)(b) of the Notice as Vector's notional revenue throughout the assessment period does not exceed the allowable notional revenue of \$334,833,985 at the assessment date.

1.4 Specified Services

1.4.1 The tables below summarise Vector's notional revenue for specified services at the assessment date. For each source of revenue, more detail is provided in the appendix listing each price and base quantity.

| | Description | Appendix | Year ended 31 March 2010 |
|-----|--|----------|-----------------------------|
| 5.3 | Auckland residential and small commercial notional revenue. | 1 | \$208,150,142 |
| 5.4 | Northern residential and commercial notional revenue. | 2 | \$150,800,677 |
| 5.5 | Northern small industrial and non-standard notional revenue. | 3 | \$8,251,311 |
| 5.6 | Auckland non-standard notional revenue. | 4 | \$11,073,132 |
| 5.7 | Auckland commercial and industrial notional revenue (excluding on-peak). | 5 | \$57,099,751 |
| 5.8 | Auckland and Northern on-peak notional revenue. | 6 | \$32,176,787 |
| 5.9 | Total Specified Services | | \$467,551,801 |

1.5 Pass-Through Costs

1.5.1 The table below provides the breakdown of pass-through costs incurred by Vector over the assessment period.

| Description | Year to 31 March 2010 (million) Actual |
|-----------------------|--|
| Transmission | \$131.603 |
| Utility Rates Summary | \$3.750 |
| EC Levy Summary | \$1.051 |
| Total | \$136.404 |

- 1.5.2 The transmission quantities are the sum of actual charges paid or payable for the year ending 31 March 2010.
- 1.5.3 The total cost of utility rates charged to Vector applicable to the electricity business for the year ending 31 March 2010 are the total expensed in the year to 31 March 2010.
- 1.5.4 The EC Levies include all applicable components (Common Quality, Registry and Consumer, Transmission, Other Activities and MACQS Reform invoice lines) paid or payable for the year ending 31 March 2010.

1.6 Excluded Services

- 1.6.1 Vector operates in the under frequency reserves market. Vector has excluded the under frequency reserves market as the market is fully contestable and income is derived as a result of a competitive tendering process and is not associated with the conveyance of electricity.
- 1.6.2 The following activities are excluded services in accordance with paragraph (e) of the definition of specified services s3(1) as these income sources are not related to electricity distribution and/or are non conveyance activities:
 - (a) Vector Gas: Vector's Gas Business, which is a separate business that includes Vector's gas distribution network in Auckland and the gas distribution and transmission networks formerly operating as NGC.

- (b) Vector Communications: Vector's telecommunication network, which is a separate business operating high bandwidth fibre optic communication networks.
- (c) Vector's electricity, telecommunications and gas training institute Utilitech, which offers technical and safety training across a wide range of markets (and in competition to other training providers).
- (d) Vector's energy metering services NGC and the wholly owned subsidiary AMS which are both energy (gas and electricity) metering service providers.
- (e) Stream: 70% owned by Vector, providing time-of-use metering and metering information services to commercial and industrial organisations for the purposes of improved energy management opportunities for businesses.
- (f) Treescape: 50% owned by Vector, providing vegetation management and tree trimming services to third parties, including territorial authorities.
- (g) Advertising revenue generated through the ownership of billboards, where Vector provides public display space to advertising companies at selected properties.
- (h) Electrical work carried out at the request of consumers on their property.
- (i) Use of network poles by third parties e.g. Telecommunication companies (noting that there are options available to network operators other than use of Vector's poles).
- (j) Miscellaneous other revenue, for example, rentals received from properties, profit on sale of assets and interest received.
- 1.6.3 The following activities are excluded services in accordance with paragraph (d) of the definition of specified services s3(1) as these income sources are derived from clearly contestable activities for the provision of which there is workable or effective competition:

- Management services to other companies, such as the provision of Linelogix, a product used to provide proactive outage notification by retailers to their customers;
- (b) Rental income from generator hire, where Vector sources and provides stand-by generation;
- (c) Where requested by consumers, any income from sourcing power quality equipment;
- (d) Call centre management of fault calls for some retailers;
- (e) MARIA registry management service for embedded network operators;and
- (f) Miscellaneous other revenue, for example, value added services from products like MIDEL transformer fluid.
- 1.6.4 The following activities are excluded services in accordance with paragraph (i) of the definition of specified services s3(1) as they are contestable activities for the provision of which there is workable or effective competition:
 - (a) Connections services;
 - (b) Disconnection services; and
 - (c) Reconnection services.

Vector allows other suitably trained and authorised service providers to undertake connection, disconnection and reconnection services.

- 1.6.5 Vector receives income from parties requiring network extensions or alterations, reflecting the level of investment undertaken by Vector. This has been excluded from the price path threshold compliance calculation because;
 - (a) Vector contributes to the total cost of the extension. Assets are vested in Vector on behalf of consumers, but consumers can also elect to own the works or vest them in a third party. Examples of such situations include shopping malls, retirement villages, and residential subdivisions. Additionally, third parties can select the contractors to construct the works; and

(b) Consumers may choose to contract with a third party to construct and maintain such assets, rather than providing Vector with a contribution. Therefore, workable or effective competition exists for such services and customer contributions are appropriately excluded. (Refer also to the Commerce Commission Investigation Ref J5131, which is publicly available).

2 QUALITY THRESHOLD

2.1 Introduction

- 2.1.1 This section of the Statement pertains to the requirements of the Commission's Quality threshold for the 31 March 2010 assessment date.
- 2.1.2 In this section of the Statement Vector demonstrates that it has complied with the quality threshold requirements.

2.2 Vector's Commitment to Quality

- 2.2.1 Vector continually strives to meet the quality threshold target as determined by the Commerce Commission. To do this, Vector has developed and implemented industry leading business systems and practices such as:
 - (a) ensuring a company wide focus on driving improvement in quality of service by linking staff bonuses to company performance, as well as ensuring all staff have access to up-to-date detailed quality-related information on the intranet.
 - (b) ensuring Vector's maintenance business partners focus on quality by linking the payments received from Vector directly to specific zone-based quality targets.
 - (c) ensuring world-class health and safety processes are in place by providing training to all staff; having zero tolerance for working unsafely and work place accidents; ensuring a company-wide focus on safety through assessing staff and service provider performance with respect to specific Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) related to safety.
 - (d) Vector has invested significantly in cutting edge technology to ensure that its assets are managed efficiently (continuously improving both quality and cost efficiency), to make better business decisions and create business solutions tailored specifically to Vector's staff, service provider and customer needs.
 - (e) Vector's Asset Performance & Information Team a dedicated team undertaking data collection, data quality management, information analysis, data visualisation and spatial analysis in a way that facilitates

better understanding of Vector's quality performance, which enhances Vector's ability to better plan and manage its network.

(f) For more detailed information on Vector's quality systems, policies and procedures refer to Section 7 of Vector's 2010 AMP (http://www.vector.co.nz/sites/vector.co.nz/files/Vector%20Electricity%20Disclosure%20AMP%202010%20-%202020.pdf)

2.3 Reliability Criteria

2.3.1 Lines businesses are required to demonstrate that their system average interruption duration index (SAIDI) and system average interruption frequency index (SAIFI) for the assessment year do not exceed the five year average to 31 March 2003 for those respective reliability measures. Vector complies with both reliability thresholds, as summarised in the table below.

| Notice Requirement | Result for assessment year | Target | Outcome | Target achieved by | Target achieved by (%) |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|--------|----------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| 6(1)(a) - SAIDI | 66.8 | 104.0 | Complied | 37.2 | 35.8 |
| 6(1)(b) - SAIFI | 1.018 | 1.598 | Complied | 0.580 | 36.3 |

2.3.2 The calculation of historical SAIDI and SAIFI figures are shown in Appendix 7.

2.4 Extreme Event Identification using the 2.5 Beta Method

- 2.4.1 Vector's 2.5 Beta Method calculations were performed in accordance with the steps laid out in 'Appendix 1: Application of the Beta Method' from the Commerce Commission's Supplementary Guidelines document dated 2 November 2007.
- 2.4.2 Vector has comprehensive reliability data available from 1998. This has been used to calculate historical Major Event Day (MED) values and exclude them from the 5 years preceding the 2009/10 regulation year (the period 1/4/2004-31/3/2009). With the exclusion of these historic storms, regulation year TMED values were calculated to be:

| | SAIDI | SAIFI |
|------------------|-------|-------|
| T _{MED} | 7.99 | 0.169 |

2.4.3 No MED's were identified in the 2009/10 regulation year.

2.5 Consumer engagement criterion

2.5.1 Correspondence from the Commission on 5 February 2010 confirmed that electricity distribution businesses are not required to demonstrate compliance with clause 6 (1)(c) – customer communication – for the two year period ending 31 March 2010. Vector has consequently chosen not to demonstrate compliance for the 31 March 2010 assessment date. However, Vector continues to engage with customers at all levels.

APPENDICES

Appendix 1: (AKL1) Auckland residential and small commercial notional revenue

- For the assessment period ending 31 March 2010 there have been no structural changes to the charges in this appendix and notional revenue has been determined consistent with the 2009 threshold compliance statement.
- Prices have been taken from Vector's published price schedules.
- Base quantities were multiplied by the applicable price to determine the notional revenue for the assessment period.
- Residential embedded networks in the Auckland Vector network previously owned by UnitedNetworks now charged at Vector Auckland rates are incorporated into the Vector base quantities below (refer to the 2007 Threshold Compliance Statement for more detail on the background to this issue).
- Commercial and Industrial embedded networks in the Auckland Vector network previously owned by UnitedNetworks are shown separately in Appendix AKL5.

Appendix AKL1 Auckland residential and small commercial notional revenue THRESH1.0 a-9 A,W.xls

| Sum (\$) | | | | | | | 208,150,142 |
|----------|-----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------------|------------|------------------------------|
| Network | 2002/2003 Charge Type | 2002/2003 Tariff Code | Base Quantity (Q) | Base Q Unit | 2009/2010 Price (P) | Price Unit | P*Q Notional Revenue (\$) |
| VEC | Variable | RR-V | 1,704,627,536 | kWh | 0.0768 | \$/kWh | 130,915,395 |
| VEC | Variable | RE-V | 132,024,682 | kWh | 0.0897 | \$/kWh | 11,842,614 |
| VEC | Variable | SS-V | 147,839,855 | kWh | 0.0710 | \$/kWh | 10,496,630 |
| VEC | Variable | SM-V | 569,828,744 | kWh | 0.0623 | \$/kWh | 35,500,331 |
| VEC | Fixed | RR-F | 223,061 | ICPs | 0.1500 | \$/day | 12,212,590 |
| VEC | Fixed | RE-F | 34,259 | ICPs | 0.1500 | \$/day | 1,875,680 |
| VEC | Fixed | SS-F | 16,640 | ICPs | 0.2500 | \$/day | 1,518,400 |
| VEC | Fixed | SM-F | 13,307 | ICPs | 0.7800 | \$/day | 3,788,503 |

Appendix 2: (AKL2) Northern residential and commercial notional revenue

- For the assessment period ending 31 March 2010 there have been no structural changes to the charges in this appendix and notional revenue has been determined consistent with the 2009 threshold compliance statement.
- Prices have been taken from Vector's published price schedules.
- Base quantities were multiplied by the applicable price to determine the notional revenue for the assessment period.
- On 1 April 2008 Vector restructured price structures in the Northern network for commercial ICPs. Please see the 2009 threshold compliance statement for details on the mapping of prices and base quantities to the restructured price plans.

Appendix AKL2
Northern residential and commercial notional revenue
THRESH2.2 a-9 W.mdb/q2010,1 P*Q

| Sum (\$) | | | | | | | 150,800,677 |
|----------|-------------|-------------|---------------|--------|-----------|------------|------------------|
| | | | | | | | |
| | | 2002/2003 | | Base Q | 2009/2010 | | |
| Network | Charge Type | Tariff Code | Base Quantity | Unit | Price | Price Unit | Notional Revenue |
| UNW | Fixed | 08W | 938 | ICPs | 0.4800 | \$/day | 164,338 |
| UNW | Fixed | 09W | 2 | ICPs | 1.2800 | \$/day | 934 |
| UNW | Fixed | 20W | 9 | ICPs | 1.2800 | \$/day | 4,205 |
| UNW | Fixed | 21W | 1 | ICPs | 1.2800 | \$/day | 467 |
| UNW | Fixed | 22W | 3 | ICPs | 5.6400 | \$/day | 6,176 |
| UNW | Fixed | 23W | 8,372 | ICPs | 1.2800 | \$/day | 3,911,398 |
| UNW | Fixed | 24W | 1,340 | ICPs | 1.2800 | \$/day | 626,048 |
| UNW | Fixed | 25W | 309 | ICPs | 5.6400 | \$/day | 636,107 |
| UNW | Fixed | 26W | 272 | ICPs | 5.6400 | \$/day | 559,939 |
| UNW | Fixed | W01 | 16 | ICPs | 0.0000 | \$/day | 0 |
| UNW | Fixed | W02 | 119 | ICPs | 0.0000 | \$/day | 0 |
| UNW | Fixed | W11 | 54,132 | ICPs | 0.1500 | \$/day | 2,963,727 |
| UNW | Fixed | W12 | 113,880 | ICPs | 0.1500 | \$/day | 6,234,930 |
| UNW | Fixed | W13 | 123 | ICPs | 0.1500 | \$/day | 6,734 |
| UNW | Fixed | W14 | 5 | ICPs | 0.1500 | \$/day | 274 |
| UNW | Fixed | W15 | 5,199 | ICPs | 0.4800 | \$/day | 910,865 |
| UNW | Fixed | W16 | 4,253 | ICPs | 0.4800 | \$/day | 745,126 |
| UNW | Fixed | W17 | 19 | ICPs | 0.4800 | \$/day | 3,329 |
| UNW | Fixed | W27 | 26 | ICPs | 1.2800 | \$/day | 12,147 |
| UNW | Fixed | W28 | 77 | ICPs | 10.4800 | \$/day | 294,540 |
| UNW | Fixed | W29 | 19 | ICPs | 10.4800 | \$/day | 72,679 |

| | | 2002/2003 | | Base Q | 2009/2010 | | |
|---------|-------------|-------------|---------------|--------|-----------|------------|------------------|
| Network | Charge Type | Tariff Code | Base Quantity | Unit | Price | Price Unit | Notional Revenue |
| UNW | Variable | 08W_N/A | 1,711,850 | kWh | 0.0610 | \$/kWh | 104,423 |
| UNW | Variable | 09W_N/A | 27,010 | kWh | 0.0503 | \$/kWh | 1,359 |
| UNW | Variable | 11W/TAIC | 37,865 | kWh | 0.0850 | \$/kWh | 3,219 |
| UNW | Variable | 12W/TAIC | 200 | kWh | 0.0850 | \$/kWh | 17 |
| UNW | Variable | 13W/TAIC | 20,152 | kWh | 0.0468 | \$/kWh | 943 |
| UNW | Variable | 20W/TAIC | 76,944 | kWh | 0.0503 | \$/kWh | 3,870 |
| UNW | Variable | 21W/TAIC | 364 | kWh | 0.0503 | \$/kWh | 18 |
| UNW | Variable | 22W/TAIC | 6,766 | kWh | 0.0491 | \$/kWh | 332 |
| UNW | Variable | 23W/TAIC | 181,474,819 | kWh | 0.0503 | \$/kWh | 9,128,183 |
| UNW | Variable | 24W/TAIC | 71,963,289 | kWh | 0.0503 | \$/kWh | 3,619,753 |
| UNW | Variable | 25W/TAIC | 24,208,991 | kWh | 0.0491 | \$/kWh | 1,188,661 |
| UNW | Variable | 26W/TAIC | 24,358,179 | kWh | 0.0491 | \$/kWh | 1,195,987 |
| UNW | Variable | DEFT/NTH | 3,079 | kWh | 0.1685 | \$/kWh | 519 |
| UNW | Variable | W01/24UC | 81,854 | kWh | 0.1685 | \$/kWh | 13,792 |
| UNW | Variable | W02/24UC | 15,304,737 | | 0.1685 | \$/kWh | 2,578,848 |
| UNW | Variable | W11/AICO | 301,115,912 | kWh | 0.0850 | | 25,594,853 |
| UNW | Variable | W11/NITE | 74,207 | | 0.0198 | \$/kWh | 1,469 |
| UNW | Variable | W12/AICO | 1,006,462,690 | kWh | 0.0850 | \$/kWh | 85,549,329 |
| UNW | Variable | W12/NITE | 2,022,039 | kWh | 0.0198 | \$/kWh | 40,036 |
| UNW | Variable | W13/24UC | 1,133,614 | kWh | 0.1106 | \$/kWh | 125,378 |
| UNW | Variable | W13/CTRL | 85,084 | kWh | 0.0468 | \$/kWh | 3,982 |
| UNW | Variable | W14/24UC | 20,616 | kWh | 0.1106 | \$/kWh | 2,280 |
| UNW | Variable | W14/CTRL | 16,359 | kWh | 0.0468 | \$/kWh | 766 |
| UNW | Variable | W15/AICO | 16,295,728 | kWh | 0.0610 | \$/kWh | 994,039 |
| UNW | Variable | W15/NITE | 2,580 | kWh | 0.0610 | \$/kWh | 157 |
| UNW | Variable | W16/AICO | 47,553,080 | kWh | 0.0610 | \$/kWh | 2,900,738 |
| UNW | Variable | W16/NITE | 1,945 | kWh | 0.0610 | \$/kWh | 119 |
| UNW | Variable | W17/24UC | 242,390 | kWh | 0.0610 | \$/kWh | 14,786 |
| UNW | Variable | W17/CTRL | 1,988 | kWh | 0.0610 | \$/kWh | 121 |
| UNW | Variable | W27/24UC | 5,885,716 | kWh | 0.0503 | \$/kWh | 296,052 |
| UNW | Variable | W27/CTRL | 14,062 | kWh | 0.0503 | \$/kWh | 707 |
| UNW | Variable | W28/24UC | 10,170,726 | kWh | 0.0213 | \$/kWh | 216,636 |
| UNW | Variable | W28/CTRL | 146,087 | kWh | 0.0213 | \$/kWh | 3,112 |
| UNW | Variable | W28TTAIC | 752,251 | kWh | 0.0213 | \$/kWh | 16,023 |
| UNW | Variable | W29/24UC | 1,956,859 | kWh | 0.0213 | \$/kWh | 41,681 |
| UNW | Variable | W29TTAIC | 212,446 | kWh | 0.0213 | \$/kWh | 4,525 |

Appendix 3: (AKL3) Northern small industrial and non-standard notional revenue

- For the assessment period ending 31 March 2010 there have been no structural changes to the charges in this appendix and notional revenue has been determined consistent with the 2009 threshold compliance statement.
- Prices have been taken from Vector's published price schedules.
- Base quantities were multiplied by the applicable price to determine the notional revenue for the assessment period.
- On 1 April 2008 Vector restructured price structures in the Northern network for small industrial ICPs. Please see the 2009 threshold compliance statement for details on the mapping of prices and updating of base quantities.

Appendix AKL3 Northern small industrial and non-standard notional revenue THRESH1.0 a-9 A,W.xIs

| Sum (\$) | | | | | | | 8,251,311 |
|----------|-----------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------|---------------------|-------|--------------|
| Network | 2002/2003 Charge Type | 2002/2003 Tariff | Base Quantity (Q) | Base Q | 2009/2010 Price (P) | Price | P*Q Notional |
| | | Code | , , , , | Unit | 2003/2010 Trice (1) | Unit | Revenue (\$) |
| UNW | | 40W | 298 | ICPs | | | 7,618,62 |
| UNW | | 40W | 298,243,811 | kWh | | | 7,010,02 |
| UNW | | 60W | 3 | ICPs | | | 632,68 |
| UNW | | 60W | 25.608.491 | kWh | | | 032,00 |

Appendix 4: (AKL4) Auckland non standard notional revenue

- For the assessment period ending 31 March 2010 there have been no structural changes to the charges in this appendix and notional revenue has been determined consistent with the 2009 threshold compliance statement.
- Base quantities were multiplied by the applicable price to determine the notional revenue for the assessment period.
- Vector's non-standard contracts fall into four categories:
 - 1. Fixed Contract Charge
 - 2. Standard Charges less Fixed Discount
 - 3. Street lighting
 - 4. Embedded generation

Appendix AKL4 Auckland non standard notional revenue THRESH1.0 a-9 A,W.xIs

| Sum (\$) 11,073,132 | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------------|------------|------------------------------|
| | | | | | | | |
| Network | 2002/2003 Charge Type | Contract No | Base Quantity (Q) | Base Q Unit | 2009/2010 Price (P) | Price Unit | P*Q Notional Revenue [\$] |
| VEC | Fixed Contract | 1005 | 12 | months | 18,920 | \$/month | 227,03 |
| VEC | Fixed Contract | 1006 | 12 | months | 90,759 | \$/month | 1,089,10 |
| VEC | Fixed Contract | 1007 | 12 | months | 163,920 | \$/month | 1,967,03 |
| VEC | Fixed Contract | 1004 | 12 | months | 20,620 | \$/month | 247,44 |
| VEC | Fixed Contract | 1004 | 12 | months | 16,981 | \$/month | 203,77 |
| VEC | Fixed Contract | 1027 | 12 | months | 265,020 | \$/month | 3,180,23 |
| VEC | Fixed Contract | 1027 | 12 | months | 11,007 | \$/month | 132,080 |
| VEC | Fixed Contract | 1002 | 12 | months | 44,703 | \$/month | 536,440 |
| VEC | Fixed Contract | 1012 | 12 | months | 58,020 | \$/month | 696,23 |
| VEC | Discount on Standard | 1031 | 12 | months | - | \$/month | |
| VEC | Discount on Standard | 1032 | 12 | months | - | \$/month | (|
| VEC | Discount on Standard | 1032 | 12 | months | - | \$/month | (|
| VEC | Discount on Standard | 1032 | 12 | months | - | \$/month | (|
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1020B | 12 | months | 16,444 | \$/month | 197,32 |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1020B | 12 | months | 16,444 | \$/month | 197,32 |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1020B | 12 | months | 16,444 | \$/month | 197,32 |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1020B | 12 | months | 16,444 | \$/month | 197,32 |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1020B | 12 | months | 16,444 | \$/month | 197,32 |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1020B | 12 | months | 16,444 | \$/month | 197,32 |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1020B | 12 | months | 16,444 | \$/month | 197,32 |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1020B | 12 | months | 16,444 | \$/month | 197,32 |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1021A | 12 | months | 95,858 | \$/month | 1,150,29 |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1021A | 12 | months | - | \$/month | |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1021A | 12 | months | - | \$/month | |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1021A | 12 | months | - | \$/month | |
| VEC | Streetlighting | 1021A | 12 | months | - | \$/month | |
| VEC | Embedded Generation | 1034 | 12 | months | 5,400 | \$/month | 64,80 |

Appendix 5: (AKL5) Auckland commercial and industrial notional revenue (excluding on-peak)

- For the assessment period ending 31 March 2010 there have been no structural changes to the charges in this appendix and notional revenue has been determined consistent with the 2009 threshold compliance statement.
- Prices have been taken from Vector's published price schedules.
- Base quantities were multiplied by the applicable price to determine the notional revenue for the assessment period.
- As per Appendix AKL1, the calculations for commercial and industrial consumers on the ex-United Networks embedded networks are shown in this appendix.

Appendix AKL5
Auckland commercial and industrial notional revenue (excluding on-peak)
THRESH1.0 a-9 A,W.xls

| Sum (\$) 57,099,751 | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------------|------------|------------------------------|
| | | | | | | | |
| Network | 2002/2003 Charge Type | 2002/2003 Tariff Code | Base Quantity (Q) | Base Q Unit | 2009/2010 Price (P) | Price Unit | P*Q Notional Revenue (\$) |
| VEC | TX | | 763 | ICP | | | |
| VEC | TX | | 4,834,947 | kVA | | | 2,935,487 |
| VEC | TX | | 2,466,644 | kVA | | | 14,633,995 |
| VEC | TX | | 890,951,454 | kWh | | | 11,436,190 |
| VEC | TX Derived | | 90 | ICP | | | |
| VEC | TX Derived | | 218,617 | kVA | | | 145,115 |
| VEC | TX Derived | | 33,493 | kVA | | | 0 |
| VEC | TX Derived | | 7,388,471 | kWh | | | 466,900 |
| VEC | LV3 | | 1939 | ICP | | | |
| VEC | LV3 | | 4,278,879 | kVA | | | 3,128,458 |
| VEC | LV3 | | 1,901,016 | kVA | | | 11,274,528 |
| VEC | LV3 | | 596,109,751 | kWh | | | 8,038,094 |
| VEC | LV3 Derived | | 750 | ICP | | | |
| VEC | LV3 Derived | | 1,085,320 | kVA | | | 956,057 |
| VEC | LV3 Derived | | 305,081 | kVA | | | 0 |
| VEC | LV3 Derived | | 61,373,806 | kWh | | | 3,715,659 |
| VEC | Ex Embedded TX | | 18 | ICP | | | |
| VEC | Ex Embedded TX | | 4,843 | kVA | | | 44,058 |
| VEC | Ex Embedded TX | | 32,478 | kVA | | | 179,269 |
| VEC | Ex Embedded TX | | 9,683,701 | kWh | | | 145,942 |

Appendix 6: (AKL7) Auckland and Northern on-peak notional revenue

- For the assessment period ending 31 March 2010 there have been no structural changes to the charges in this appendix and notional revenue has been determined consistent with the 2009 threshold compliance statement.
- Prices have been taken from Vector's published price schedules.
- Base quantities were multiplied by the applicable price to determine the notional revenue for the assessment period.
- On-peak pricing was introduced on 1 April 2006. Please refer to the 2007 threshold compliance statement for a synopsis on the issues associated with the introduction of new base quantities related to the new on-peak pricing structure.

Appendix AKL7 Auckland and Northern on-peak notional revenue THRESH1.0 a-9 A,W.xls

| Sum (\$) | Sum (\$) 32,176,787 | | | | | | | |
|----------|-----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------------------|------------|------------------------------|--|
| | | | | | | | | |
| Network | 2002/2003 Charge Type | 2002/2003 Tariff Code | Base Quantity (Q) | Base Q Unit | 2009/2010 Price (P) | Price Unit | P*Q Notional Revenue (\$) | |
| VEC | Variable | ALI60_24UC | 656,579,705 | kWh | 0.0015 | \$/kWh | 984,870 | |
| VEC | Demand | ALI60_DOPC | 1,009,028 | kW | 14.5704 | \$/kW | 14,701,943 | |
| VEC | Demand | ALI60_DOPU | 497,554 | kW | 15.1002 | \$/kW | 7,513,164 | |
| VEC | Demand | ALI60_DOPR | 146 | kW | 18.4117 | \$/kW | 2,696 | |
| VEC | Connection | ALI60_CAPH | 2,285,686 | kVA-month | 0.0284 | \$/kVA/day | 1,979,827 | |
| VEC | Reactive | ALI60_PWRF | 253,660 | kVAr | 7.0000 | \$/kVAr | 1,775,621 | |
| UNW | Variable | WLI60_24UC | 168,187,577 | kWh | 0.0013 | \$/kWh | 218,644 | |
| UNW | Demand | WLI60_DOPC | 213,370 | kW | 10.4239 | \$/kW | 2,224,150 | |
| UNW | Demand | WLI60_DOPU | 130,743 | kW | 10.8338 | \$/kW | 1,416,443 | |
| UNW | Demand | WLI60_DOPR | 34,343 | kW | 12.9211 | \$/kW | 443,755 | |
| UNW | Connection | WLI60_CAPH | 252,000 | kVA-month | 0.0304 | \$/kVA/day | 233,016 | |
| UNW | Connection | WLI60_CAPT | 444,000 | kVA-month | 0.0304 | \$/kVA/day | 410,552 | |
| UNW | Reactive | WLI60_PWRF | 38,872 | kVAr | 7.0000 | \$/kVAr | 272,107 | |

Appendix 7: Calculation of SAIDI and SAIFI figures for the purposes of s6(1)(A) and 6(1)(B)

| | Customer Minutes Lost ¹ | | | | |
|-----------------|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--|--|
| Regulation Year | Auckland | Northern | Vector | | |
| 98/99 | 20,767,399 | 36,432,001 | 57,199,400 | | |
| 99/00 | 14,944,839 | 19,358,545 | 34,303,384 | | |
| 00/01 | 13,070,935 | 25,576,088 | 38,647,023 | | |
| 01/02 | 14,018,579 | 26,774,194 | 40,792,773 | | |
| 02/03 | 20,035,471 | 41,183,159 | 61,218,630 | | |
| 03/04 | 18,367,487 | 36,229,702 | 54,597,189 | | |
| 04/05 | 18,032,523 | 29,006,503 | 47,039,026 | | |
| 05/06 | 26,509,816 | 45,946,317 | 72,456,133 | | |
| 06/07 | 30,555,224 | 40,852,313 | 71,407,537 | | |
| 07/08 | 28,417,145 | 101,216,412 | 129,633,557 | | |
| 08/09 | 25,319,881 | 54,425,302 | 79,745,183 | | |
| 09/10 | 14,471,406 | 20,564,976 | 35,036,382 | | |

| | Customers Impacted | | | | |
|-----------------|--------------------|----------|---------|--|--|
| Regulation Year | Auckland | Northern | Vector | | |
| 98/99 | 301,286 | 444,551 | 745,837 | | |
| 99/00 | 263,198 | 356,996 | 620,194 | | |
| 00/01 | 261,112 | 380,456 | 641,568 | | |
| 01/02 | 216,586 | 437,458 | 654,044 | | |
| 02/03 | 326,203 | 582,197 | 908,400 | | |
| 03/04 | 271,271 | 548,151 | 819,422 | | |
| 04/05 | 247,404 | 433,458 | 680,862 | | |
| 05/06 | 380,685 | 533,317 | 914,002 | | |
| 06/07 | 351,821 | 490,829 | 842,650 | | |
| 07/08 | 299,682 | 625,583 | 925,265 | | |
| 08/09 | 298,153 | 576,644 | 874,797 | | |
| 09/10 | 238,708 | 295,501 | 534,209 | | |

| | SAIDI | | | | |
|-----------------|----------|----------|--------|--|--|
| Regulation Year | Auckland | Northern | Vector | | |
| 98/99 | 48.4 | 85.0 | 133.4 | | |
| 99/00 | 34.2 | 44.2 | 78.4 | | |
| 00/01 | 29.5 | 57.7 | 87.2 | | |
| 01/02 | 31.0 | 59.2 | 90.2 | | |
| 02/03 | 42.8 | 87.9 | 130.6 | | |
| 03/04 | 38.2 | 75.4 | 113.7 | | |
| 04/05 | 36.9 | 59.4 | 96.3 | | |
| 05/06 | 53.3 | 92.4 | 145.7 | | |
| 06/07 | 60.3 | 80.7 | 141.0 | | |
| 07/08 | 55.3 | 196.9 | 252.1 | | |
| 08/09 | 48.7 | 104.7 | 153.4 | | |
| 09/10 | 27.6 | 39.2 | 66.8 | | |

¹ Note that these figures differ slightly from values presented in previous year's compliance statements. The discrepancies primarily span the threshold years and are a result of changes to Vector's reliability reporting database in 2006. The magnitude of this variance is less than 0.2% so does not materially impact the accuracy

of previous compliance statements.

| | SAIFI | | | | |
|-----------------|----------|----------|--------|--|--|
| Regulation Year | Auckland | Northern | Vector | | |
| 98/99 | 0.703 | 1.037 | 1.740 | | |
| 99/00 | 0.601 | 0.816 | 1.417 | | |
| 00/01 | 0.589 | 0.858 | 1.447 | | |
| 01/02 | 0.479 | 0.968 | 1.447 | | |
| 02/03 | 0.696 | 1.242 | 1.939 | | |
| 03/04 | 0.565 | 1.141 | 1.706 | | |
| 04/05 | 0.506 | 0.887 | 1.393 | | |
| 05/06 | 0.766 | 1.073 | 1.838 | | |
| 06/07 | 0.695 | 0.969 | 1.664 | | |
| 07/08 | 0.583 | 1.217 | 1.800 | | |
| 08/09 | 0.574 | 1.110 | 1.683 | | |
| 09/10 | 0.455 | 0.563 | 1.018 | | |

Customer Numbers

| YEAR | NORTHERN | AUCKLAND | VECTOR | Regulation Year | Regulation Customers |
|----------|----------|----------|---------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| 1-Apr-94 | 157,978 | 242,066 | 400,044 | | |
| 1-Apr-95 | 157,978 | 243,104 | 401,082 | 94/95 | 400,563 |
| 1-Apr-96 | 160,313 | 249,622 | 409,935 | 95/96 | 405,509 |
| 1-Apr-97 | 164,587 | 251,490 | 416,077 | 96/97 | 413,006 |
| 1-Apr-98 | 173,802 | 252,361 | 426,163 | 97/98 | 421,120 |
| 1-Apr-99 | 173,802 | 257,478 | 431,280 | 98/99 | 428,722 |
| 1-Apr-00 | 175,285 | 268,621 | 443,906 | 99/00 | 437,593 |
| 1-Apr-01 | 181,266 | 261,500 | 442,766 | 00/01 | 443,336 |
| 1-Apr-02 | 185,918 | 275,329 | 461,247 | 01/02 | 452,007 |
| 1-Apr-03 | 190,074 | 285,850 | 475,924 | 02/03 | 468,586 |
| 1-Apr-04 | 192,075 | 292,739 | 484,814 | 03/04 | 480,369 |
| 1-Apr-05 | 196,828 | 295,763 | 492,591 | 04/05 | 488,703 |
| 1-Apr-06 | 198,309 | 303,391 | 501,700 | 05/06 | 497,146 |
| 1-Apr-07 | 201,334 | 309,742 | 511,076 | 06/07 | 506,388 |
| 1-Apr-08 | 204,268 | 312,996 | 517,264 | 07/08 | 514,170 |
| 1-Apr-09 | 205,796 | 316,350 | 522,146 | 08/09 | 519,705 |
| 1-Apr-10 | 208,016 | 319,080 | 527,096 | 09/10 | 524,621 |