

ASP General Information

Metering Compliance & Regulation

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Subject: Ausgrid meter return restrictions at Wallsend Depot

Dear ASP2s

Due to construction works at Ausgrid's Wallsend depot, Type 5 and 6 meter returns by ASPs conducting metering works under the NSW ASP scheme will not be available from the 18 March 2021 to the 29 March 2021, both days inclusive.

ASPs will be permitted to retain Type 5 and 6 metering equipment and return these devices to Wallsend depot from the 30 March 2021. Clause 10.2 of ES3 Part A, will not be enforced during this period (i.e. meters must be returned within 10 days of removal).

Only Ausgrid meters are to be returned to Ausgrid Field Operations depots.

ASP/2s must only return metering equipment which was removed due to works conducted under the NSW ASP scheme (e.g. permanent disconnection of supply). ASP/2s conducting works for AEMO Metering Providers are to return metering as per the Metering Providers procedures.

Metering equipment covered under SA04_19 Asbestos in electrical meters and relays must continue to be returned in this manner once the construction works are completed.

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