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## **EVSE Standing Data - Consultation Paper - Confidential version**

EnergyAustralia is one of Australia's largest energy companies with around 2.4 million electricity and gas accounts in NSW, Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, and the Australian Capital Territory. EnergyAustralia owns, contracts, and operates a diversified energy generation portfolio that includes coal, gas, battery storage, demand response, solar, and wind assets. Combined, these assets comprise 4,500MW of generation capacity.

EnergyAustralia appreciates the opportunity to provide this submission to the Energy Security Board's consultation paper. We will leave it to AEMO and the network businesses to comment on the utility of EVSE standing data for network and system planning purposes.

From our perspective, as an electricity retailer, we are supportive of the extension of the DER register to EVSE standing data as we see potential use cases for retailers and other customer facing businesses which will benefit customers (if the data is made available to them).

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Our views above are limited to this particular consultation. We note that there are many other data related reforms underway, including the ESB's broader data strategy. We emphasise the need to undertake cost benefit analysis of those reforms, as some of those reforms seem to have marginal benefits that are outweighed by their cost.

If you have any questions in relation to our submission, please contact me (Selena.liu@energyaustralia.com.au or 03 9060 0761).

Yours sincerely,

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