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## SEM Market Auditor

Report of Factual Findings for the period ended 31 December 2019

## Agenda

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- Basis of Reporting
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### Market Audit Scope

- Requirements of the Code relating to the Market Audit are set out in the Trading & Settlement Code section B.16.1
- Terms of reference of the Market Audit
  - RAs undertook consultation with Parties upon completion of the 2018 Market Audit
  - Final scope of the Market Audit was set out in the RAs' decision paper "SEM-19-051: Terms of Reference for the Market Audit 2019" published 17 September 2019
  - As noted in the Terms of Reference "The SEM Committee has decided that the auditors work will be conducted in a different manner to previous audits to account for the number of known issues already identified..."
  - Reporting Basis changed to be on an Agreed Upon Procedures ("AUP") basis under International Standard on Related Services 4400
  - Requires definition of a set of AUPs to be tested by the Market Auditor these were published as SEM-19-067 on 28 November 2019 and subsequently revised and published on 30 April 2019
  - Audit period from 1 October 2018 to 31 December 2019

## Market Audit Scope SEMO Activities Covered

Specific areas covered by testing determined by Agreed Upon Procedures. Areas covered:

#### • TSC Part B Activities

- -Accession and Registration
- -Imbalance Settlement Price Calculation and Recalculation
- -Settlement Production and returns
- -Currency and Balancing Charges
- -Credit Cover Management
- -Settlement Queries
- -Modifications/Code Development

#### • TSC Part A Activities

- -Legacy SEM Resettlement
- TSC Part C Activities
  - -Transitional Arrangements

- -Information publication
- -Communication channels
- -Communication and System Failures
- -Transaction Submission and Validation
- -Data Storage and IT Security
- -Systems and operations

## **Basis of Reporting**

• Reporting under International Standard on Related Services 4400, applicable to agreed-upon procedures engagements

- Standard required procedures to be defined for testing including:
  - -Areas to be tested;
  - -Population and sample sizes;
  - -Exception thresholds
- No concept of materiality applied
- No overall conclusion / opinion

# **Report of Factual Findings**

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