

Department for Energy and Mining Preparatory Plan
Regulatory Changes for Smarter Homes

Action	Description	Timing	Lead
Remote disconnection and reconnection requirement			
Guideline – Relevant Agent Role and Responsibilities	Development of guideline setting out the role and responsibilities of the relevant agent.	3 – 24 August	Office of the Technical Regulator
Guideline – Technical Methodologies	Development of guideline setting out deemed technical methodologies.	3 – 28 August	Office of the Technical Regulator
Development of Relevant Agents Listing	Agents enter legally binding arrangements with the Technical Regulator and listing of agents & relevant technologies they control published.	24 August – 4 September	Office of the Technical Regulator
Declared Components	Components which trigger requirement for existing plant determined and communicated.	14 – 18 September	Office of the Technical Regulator
Low voltage ride-through requirement			
Development of Transitional Inverter Listing	Manufacturers and importers enter legally binding arrangements with the Technical Regulator for the transitional arrangement.	17 – 28 August	Office of the Technical Regulator
Compliant Inverter Register	Compliant inverter register developed and published.	17 August – 4 September	Office of the Technical Regulator
Dynamic export limits requirement			
Dynamic Export Limits Committee	Establishment of an industry committee to consider technical requirement for dynamic export limits capability.	4 October – 31 December	Office of the Technical Regulator
Smart meter minimum standards			
Technical Regulator Guideline	Development of guideline on wiring, meter configurations and installation requirements.	3 August – 11 September	Office of the Technical Regulator
Exemptions	Development of class exemptions where the outcome cannot be achieved in an economic manner.	3 August – 11 September	Office of the Technical Regulator
Standing offer tariff structures			
Application for Assessment of Market Offers	Assessment of market offers on retailer application.	Open for assessment from 12 August	Energy and Technical Regulation