Notice of market rule modification

**Paper No.**  EMC/RCP/16/2004/239

**Rule reference:** Composition of RCP

**Proposer:** Paul Poh
(Market Administration, EMC Pte Ltd)

**Date received by EMC:** 1 September 2004

**Category allocated:** 1

**Status:** Approved by EMA

**Effective Date:** 14 December 2004

**Summary of proposed rules change:**

This rule change proposal seeks to extend the exemption required for the gencos and their affiliates can be concurrently represented on the RCP.

**Date considered by Panel:** 2 November 2004

**Date considered by EMC Board:** 18 November 2004

**Date considered by Energy Market Authority:** 9 December 2004

**Proposed Rule Modification:**

Refer to attachment

**Reasons for rejection/Reasons for referral back to Panel (if applicable):**
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**Reasons:**

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**Recommendations / Legal Sign-off**

- The RCP unanimously recommend that the EMC Board:
  - (i) **adopt** the proposed rule modifications to section 2.3.3, Chapter 3 of the market rules; and
  - (ii) recommend that the proposed rule modifications come into force **one business day** after the date on which the approval of the Authority is published by the EMC.

**Legal Sign-off**

- Text of rule modifications has been vetted by EMC’s
services licensee is an affiliate of Temasek Holdings (Private) Limited.

| of Temasek Holdings (Private) Limited. | December 2004 (i.e. two years from the market commencement date). It is thus proposed that the exemption period be extended for one more year, i.e. until end of 31 December 2005. |

**Impact on Market Participants**

An extension of the exemption is required so that the gencos and their affiliates can be concurrently represented on the RCP.

**Comments from MPs**

None

| legal counsel whose opinion is that the modifications reflect the intent of the rule modifications. |