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Dear

PROPOSED ELECTRICITY SAFETY (GENERAL) REGULATIONS 2019

Thank you for reviewing and commenting on the proposed Electricity Safety (General) Regulations 2019.

The policy intention of proposed regulation 205 is to:

- 1. have a second competent person check over the work of the designer; and
- provide the electrical installation worker who will carry out the installation or modification of the high voltage electrical installation that the work will comply with AS 2067 if the designed is followed.

We note your concerns regarding training and certification and point out that competency to verify that a high voltage installation design will comply with AS 2067 can be obtained through experience working with AS 2067 and/or an ability to understand and apply standards that are similar in complexity correctly.

We also note that it may be that once the **Professional Engineers Registration Act 2019** commences operation in Victoria this work will need to be carried out by a registered professional engineer. However, this is not a requirement in the proposed Regulations and, if implemented, would be a separate requirement of that legislative regime.



We have not received any feedback from any other high voltage installation designers and would be interested in receiving further feedback from you with respect to any difficulties you have complying with this new regulation after it commences.

We appreciate the time you have taken to review and comment on the proposed regulations.

Yours sincerely

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