

## RESERVE CAPACITY INFORMATION PACK

The Independent Market Operator (IMO) is required under the Wholesale Electricity Market Rules (Market Rules) to publish on the market website/s the Reserve Capacity Information Pack.

The Reserve Capacity Information Pack sets out the requirements for the Reserve Capacity Cycle. It also describes the availability curve and results of the Expression of Interest (EOI) process, which was conducted in December 2004 by the Office of Energy, on behalf of the IMO.

The following outlines the Reserve Capacity Information:

1. The Reserve Capacity Requirement for the Reserve Capacity Cycle as determined in accordance with clause 4.6.1 of the Wholesale Electricity Market Rules is **4000 MW**
2. Availability curve for 2007/08:
  - a. Reserve Capacity that may be available 24 hours per year: **261 MW**
  - b. Reserve Capacity that may be available 48 hours per year: **269 MW**
  - c. Reserve Capacity that may be available 72 hours per year: **309 MW**
  - d. Reserve Capacity that may be available 96 hours per year: **347 MW**
3. The Request for Expressions of Interest is available on the website of the Office of Energy's Electricity Reform Implementation Unit at [www.eri.energy.wa.gov.au/eoi/login.htm](http://www.eri.energy.wa.gov.au/eoi/login.htm).

Please note in obtaining some information you may be required to register as an interested party. You may register on the website.

4. The Report described in Clause 4.2.7 of the market rules which is the summary of results from the EOI, is available on the IMO website at [www.imowa.com.au/Res\\_Capacity.htm](http://www.imowa.com.au/Res_Capacity.htm).

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