## Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009

## **Explanatory Table**

## **Western Harbour Tunnel – Retail Electricity Supply Contract**

## Contract Number: CW2569836

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- (b) weighed each redaction against the following key public interest considerations for disclosure:
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  - (ii) creating public awareness and understanding on issues of public importance;
  - (iii) enhancing government transparency and accountability;
  - (iv) informing the public about the operations of the agency;
  - (v) ensuring effective oversight of the expenditure of public funds and the best use of public resources; and
  - (vi) ensuring fair commercial competition within the economy.

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PART	A – RED ENERGY E	LECTRICITY SUP	PLY CONTRACT SCHEDULE (LARGE SITES)	
1.	Contact Details	The information redacted are part of the 'Customer' and 'Red Energy' details	Section 32(1)(d), item 3(a) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information would reveal an individual's personal information. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because the redacted information would disclose personal information of individuals, including names and signatures. The Principal considers that any public interest in favour of the disclosure is not significantly advanced by the disclosure of this information, and is outweighed by the public interest against the disclosure as identified above.
2.	Terms, Payment Terms, Estimated Load, Energy Charges	The information redacted are payment terms and bank account details	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
3.	Energy Tariffs, Embedded Network Service Fee, LREC Amount, IREC Amount,	The information redacted is the monetary amount.	Section 32(1)(a), paragraphs (b) and (e) of the definition of "commercial-in-confidence provisions" at section 1 of Schedule 4 The disclosure of this information discloses the Contractor's cost structure or profit margins and would place the Contractor at a substantial commercial disadvantage in relation to potential	<ul> <li>The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because:</li> <li>a) the redacted information is the key commercial aspect of the contract and discloses the Contractor's cost structure; and</li> </ul>

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	SREC Amount ESS Amount, PRC Amount,		<ul> <li>contractors and provide visibility on the contractor's profit margins.</li> <li>Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14</li> <li>The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests.</li> <li>There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.</li> </ul>	revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
4.	Execution Pages	The information redacted are part of the execution blocks.	Section 32(1)(d), item 3(a) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information would reveal an individual's personal information. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because the redacted information would disclose personal information of individuals, including names and signatures. The Principal considers that any public interest in favour of the disclosure is not significantly advanced by the disclosure of this information, and is outweighed by the public interest against the disclosure as identified above.
5.	Part A, Appendix 1	The information redacted are Estimated Load and relationship with payment periods.	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors.

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			There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
6.	Part A, Annexure A.	The information redacted are Estimated Load and relationship with payment	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
7.	Part A, Annexure B, Clause 1 - relating to the definition of a redacted clause	The information redacted is a definitions that relate to clauses that have been redacted in their entirety.	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
8.	Part A, Annexure B, Clause 2.1 & 2.2 - relating to the	The information redacted are	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would

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	calculation of charges	commercial calculations	The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore, the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
9.	Part A, Annexure B, Clause 3 - relating to the calculation of charges (special)	The information redacted are commercial calculations for a specific scenario.	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore, the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
PART	B – ELECTRICITY S	SUPPLY CONTRAC	T TERMS AND CONDITIONS	
10.	Section 1, Supply & Sale of Electricity (2)	The information redacted are commercial terms specific to this contract.	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore, the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial

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11.	Section 4, Charges (4)	The information redacted are commercial calculations for a charging of fees.	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore, the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
12.	Section 5.1 – relates to energy charge variations	The information redacted are commercial calculations for a specific scenario.	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore, the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
13.	Section 7 – relates to billing and data sharing (2)	The information redacted are related to sharing of	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as

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	and payment (4)	commercial data and Payment requirements	commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore, the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
14.	Section 9 (all) relates to special commercial offering	The information redacted are specific to the Red Energy offering.	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore, the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
15.	Section 18 related to the commercial liability	The information redacted are specific to Red Energy insurance arrangements	Section 32(1)(a), paragraphs (b) and (e) of the definition of "commercial-in-confidence provisions" at section 1 of Schedule 4 The disclosure of this information discloses the Contractor's cost structure or profit margins and would place the Contractor at a substantial commercial disadvantage in relation to potential contractors and provide visibility on the contractor's profit margins. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	<ul> <li>The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because:</li> <li>a) the redacted information is the key commercial aspect of the contract and discloses the Contractor's insurance structure; and</li> <li>revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future, as the information would be readily accessible to potential litigants, competitors or subcontractors.</li> <li>Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial</li> </ul>

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16.	Part B, Clause 29, (17) definition redacted Part B, Clause 29 (21) and (22) – definition partly redacted	The information redacted relates the contract term The information redacted is the monetary amount.	Section 32(1)(a), paragraphs (b) and (e) of the definition of "commercial-in-confidence provisions" at section 1 of Schedule 4 The disclosure of this information discloses the Contractor's cost structure or profit margins and would place the Contractor at a substantial commercial disadvantage in relation to potential contractors and provide visibility on the contractor's profit margins. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	<ul> <li>The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because:</li> <li>a) the redacted information is the key commercial aspect of the contract and discloses the Contractor's cost structure; and</li> <li>revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors.</li> <li>Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.</li> </ul>
17.	Part B, Clause 29 (34) definition partly redacted	The information redacted relates to the definition of insurance related term (limitations)	Section 32(1)(a), paragraphs (b) and (e) of the definition of "commercial-in-confidence provisions" at section 1 of Schedule 4 The disclosure of this information discloses the Contractor's cost structure or profit margins and would place the Contractor at a substantial commercial disadvantage in relation to potential contractors and provide visibility on the contractor's profit margins. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	<ul> <li>The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because:</li> <li>b) the redacted information is the key commercial aspect of the contract and discloses the Contractor's insurance structure; and</li> <li>revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future, as the information would be readily accessible to potential litigants, competitors or subcontractors.</li> <li>Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial</li> </ul>

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18.	Part B, Clause 29 (42), (43) and (44) – Definition redacted in full.	The information redacted are definitions that relate to clauses that have been redacted in their entirety from Part B, cl. 9	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
19.	Part B, Clause 29 (49), (50), (51) and (52) – Definition redacted in full.	The information redacted are definitions that relate to clauses that have been redacted in their entirety from Part A, and Part B, cl. 5, and 9.	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.
20.	Part B, Clause 29 (54) & (55) – Definition redacted in full.	The information redacted are definitions that relate to	Section 32(1)(d), items 4(b), 4(c) and 4(d) of the table in section 14 The disclosure of this information could reveal commercial-in-confidence provisions of a government contract, diminish the competitive	The Principal weighed the competing public interest considerations and determined that there was an overriding public interest against disclosure of this information because revealing the information would place the parties at a substantial commercial disadvantage in future projects of a similar nature, as

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		Charges and losses.	commercial value of information to a person and prejudice a person's legitimate business and commercial interests. There is an overriding public interest against disclosure.	the information would be readily accessible to potential future clients, competitors and contractors. Therefore the disclosure of the information would reduce the information's competitive commercial value and prejudice the parties' legitimate business, commercial or financial interests.