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# ENERGY AND UTILITIES ADMINISTRATION (ENERGY CONTRIBUTIONS) ORDER 2020

I, Matt Kean MP, Minister for Energy and Environment, with the concurrence of the Hon Dominic Perrottet MP, Treasurer, make the following Order under section 34J of the *Energy and Utilities Administration Act 1987*.

This Order takes effect on the date that it is published in the Gazette.

Dated at Sydney, this 20th day of August 2020

Matt Kean MP

Minister for Energy and Environment

## **Explanatory note**

Section 34J of the *Energy and Utilities Administration Act 1987* provides that the Minister may, by order published in the Gazette, require any one or more licensed distributors to make an annual contribution for a specified financial year to the Climate Change Fund. The purpose of this Order is to require defined licensed distributors to make an annual contribution to the Climate Change Fund for the financial year commencing 1 July 2020.

#### 1. Name of Order

This Order is the Energy and Utilities Administration (Energy Contributions) Order 2020.

#### 2. Commencement

This Order commences on the date that it is published in the Gazette.

### 3. Interpretation

The Explanatory Note to this Order does not form part of the Order.

#### 4. Definitions

licensed distributor means a licensed distributor listed in column 1 of Schedule 1.

#### 5. Annual contribution

- (1) A licensed distributor is required to make an annual contribution to the Climate Change Fund for the financial year commencing 1 July 2020.
- (2) The amount of the annual contribution to be paid by a licensed distributor is as set out in column 2 of Schedule 1.

# 6. Time for payment

The annual contribution is to be paid by quarterly instalments (each being equal to one-fourth of the annual contribution payable) on or before the first day of September 2020, November 2020, February 2021 and May 2021.

#### Schedule 1

Column 1	Column 2
Licensed distributor	Contribution for 2020/21
Ausgrid	\$ 133,474,553
Endeavour Energy	\$ 85,505,918
Essential Energy	\$ 56,757,833

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