

## Unit Category Data – January to March (Q1) 2026 - Revised

Clauses 4.5, 5.3 and 15.1 of the Auction Rules require AEMO to advise Auction Participants of the following information concerning the auction of the inter-regional settlement residue units for a given quarter:

- Proportions.
- Maximum number of units.
- The dates on which auctions will be held.
- Auction expense fee (allocation/cancellation) per unit.

In accordance with Clause 15.3 of the Auction Rules, AEMO has revised the forward expenditure and adjusted the auction expense fees accordingly. The revised auction expense fees for 2026 Quarter 1 are presented below.

### Proportional entitlement, Maximum number of units and Fees

Unit Category data for 2026Q1				Allocation Units		Auction Expense Fee
Unit Category	Directional Interconnector	Proportion (%)	Maximum Units	Expected units per tranche	Additional units expected in tranche 12 <sup>1</sup>	
NSWQLD	New South Wales to Queensland	0.18181	550	45	10	\$18.61
QLDNSW	Queensland to New South Wales	0.08333	1,200	100	0	\$32.83
SAVIC	South Australia to Victoria	0.12987	770	64	2	\$12.95
VICSA	Victoria to South Australia	0.11363	880	73	4	\$26.48
NSWVIC	New South Wales to Victoria	0.07692	1,300	108	4	\$10.31
VICNSW	Victoria to New South Wales	0.06666	1,500	125	0	\$39.78

<sup>1</sup>Due to rounding, additional units were added to the final tranche for the directional interconnectors indicated

These adjusted Auction Expense Fees for 2026 Quarter 1 were approved by the Settlement Residue Committee on 11 August 2023.

## Auction Dates

Expected auction dates for 2026 Quarter 1 are outlined below. These dates are dependent on public holidays and therefore dates in the future are subject to change.

Tranche	ContractID	AuctionID	Auction Date
Tranche 01	C2026Q1T01	A202303	15 March 2023
Tranche 02	C2026Q1T02	A202306	15 June 2023
Tranche 03	C2026Q1T03	A202309	15 September 2023
Tranche 04	C2026Q1T04	A202312	15 December 2023
Tranche 05	C2026Q1T05	A202403	15 March 2024
Tranche 06	C2026Q1T06	A202406	17 June 2024
Tranche 07	C2026Q1T07	A202409	16 September 2024
Tranche 08	C2026Q1T08	A202412	16 December 2024
Tranche 09	C2026Q1T09	A202503	17 March 2025
Tranche 10	C2026Q1T10	A202506	16 June 2025
Tranche 11	C2026Q1T11	A202509	15 September 2025
Tranche 12	C2026Q1T12	A202512	15 December 2025

Dated: 16 August 2023

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