Energy Forecasting Metric 2018/19

Targets update

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## Context

This document sets out the updated day ahead demand forecast and day ahead BMU wind forecast targets for the last quarter of this financial year 2018/19.

## Summary

* Provisional targets were published in the 2018/19 ESO Forward Plan as final forecasting errors for the last quarter of FY 2017/18 were not available at the time of calculation.
* Energy Forecasting have updated the targets by using the final forecasting errors figures of December 2017, January, February and March 2018.
* All targets have been updated by following the methodology described in the 2018/19 ESO Forward Plan, Energy Forecasting section.

## Day Ahead Demand Forecast

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| Month | Overnight minimum (MW) | Daytime peak (MW) | Daytime minimum (MW) | Evening peak (MW) |
| January-19 | 561 | 751 | 856 | 784 |
| February-19 | 477 | 789 | 1069 | 744 |
| March-19 | 458 | 834 | 1159 | 571 |

## Day BMU wind forecast

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| Month | Period | Target (%) |
| Winter target | 1 December 2018 - 28 February 2019 | 5.46% |
| Spring target | 1 March 2019 - 31 March 2019 | 4.54% |