

# Default Price Quality Path Annual Compliance Statement

For the assessment period ending 31 March 2011

### Pursuant to

The Commerce Act (Electricity Distribution Default Price-Quality Path)
Determination 2010 and Amendment Determination 2011

11 July 2011



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### 1 COMPLIANCE WITH THE PRICE PATH

### 1.1 Compliance with the Price Path (Clause 11.1(a))

Centralines does comply with the price path at the assessment date, 31 March 2011, as specified in the Commerce Act (Electricity Distribution Default Price-Quality Path) Determination 2010 (including all amendments as at 31 March 2011) and the Amendment Determination 2011 (the Gazette Notice).

## 1.2 Allowable Notional Revenue (Clause 8.4)

The notional revenue (NRt) of a Non-exempt EDB at any time during the Assessment Period must not exceed the allowable notional revenue (Rt) for the Assessment Period.

Compliance is demonstrated in the following tables. The first table demonstrates that notional revenue derived using posted prices at the end of the Assessment Period is less than allowable notional revenue. The second table demonstrates that the maximum notional revenue during the Assessment Period does not exceed allowable notional revenue illustrating that at no time during the Assessment Period is the price path breached.

Test:  $\frac{NR_{2011}}{R_{2011}} \le 1$ 

NR<sub>2011</sub>: \$ 7,251,078 R<sub>2011</sub>: \$ 7,467,911

Result: 0.9710 < 1

Result: Price path has not been breached

Test:  $\frac{NR_{Max}}{R_{2011}} \leq 1$ 

NR<sub>Max</sub>: \$ 7,251,078 R<sub>2011</sub>: \$ 7,467,911

Result: 0.9710 < 1

Result: Price path has not been breached

Supporting evidence is provided in Appendices A, B and C.



# 2 ASSESSMENT WITH THE QUALITY STANDARDS

# 2.1 Compliance with Quality Standards (Clause 11.1(a))

Under clause 9.1, compliance with quality standards is not applicable in the First Assessment Period. We report our annual reliability assessment in section 2.2.

# 2.2 Annual Reliability Assessment (clause 9.2)

A non-exempt EDB's Assessed Values for an Assessment Period must not exceed its Reliability Limits for that Assessment Period.

Compliance is demonstrated in the following tables. The first table demonstrates compliance with the SAIDI limit and the second table compliance with the SAIFI limit.

Test	SAIFI <sub>Assess 2011</sub> ≤ 1 SAIFI <sub>Limit</sub>
SAIFI Assess 2011	4.716
SAIFI <sub>Limit</sub>	4.526
Result:	1.0419 > 1
Result: The	SAIFI Limit has been exceeded



# 3 CERTIFICATION OF ANNUAL COMPLIANCE STATEMENT

I, James Aitken, being Director of Centralines Limited certify that, having made all reasonable enquiry, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the attached Annual Compliance Statement of Centralines Limited, and related information, prepared for the purposes of the Commerce Act (Electricity Distribution Default Price-Quality Path) Determination 2010 and the Amendment Determination 2011 are true and accurate.

James Aitken

Director

Centralines Limited

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11 July 2011



### AUDITOR'S REPORT



# Independent Auditors' Report

to the readers of the Annual Compliance Statement of Centralines Limited for the Assessment Period ended on 31 March 2011

We have audited the attached statement, which is an Annual Compliance Statement in respect of the default price-quality path prepared by Centralines Limited for the period ended 31 March 2011 and dated 11 July 2011 for the purposes of clause 11 of the Commerce Act (Electricity Distribution Default Price-Quality Path) Determination 2010 ("the Determination").

In relation to the price path set out in clause 8 of the Determination, our audit included examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures contained on pages 3 and 8 to 12 of the Annual Compliance Statement.

In relation to the SAIDI and SAIFI statistics for the Reference Period and the Assessment Period ended on 31 March 2011, including the calculation of the Reliability Limits and the Assessed Values, which are relevant to the quality standards set out in clause 9 of the Determination, our audit included examination, on attest basis, of evidence relevant to the Determination, our audit included examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures contained on pages 4 and 13 to 18 of the Annual Compliance Statement.

Our audit also included assessment of the significant estimates and judgments, if any, made by Centralines Limited in the preparation of the Annual Compliance Statement and assessment of whether the basis of preparation has been adequately disclosed.

### Directors' Responsibilities

The Directors of Centralines Limited are responsible for the preparation of the Annual Compliance Statement in accordance with the Determination and for such internal control as the Directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of an Annual Compliance Statement that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### **Auditor's Responsibilities**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Annual Compliance Statement based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand). Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Annual Compliance Statement is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the Annual Compliance Statement. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the Annual Compliance Statement, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of the Annual Compliance Statement in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the Annual Compliance Statement.





# Independent Auditors' Report Centralines Limited

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

We have no relationship with or interests in Centralines Limited other than in the provision of other professional advisory services. We are not aware of any relationships between our firm and Centralines Limited that, in our professional judgment, may reasonably be thought to impair our independence.

### Opinion

In our opinion, the Annual Compliance Statement of Centralines Limited for the Assessment Period ended on 31 March 2011, has been prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the Determination.

Our audit was completed on 11 July 2011 and our opinion is expressed as at that date.

PricewaterhouseCoopers
CHRISTCHURCH



# APPENDIX A - PRICE PATH COMPLIANCE CALCULATIONS (Clause 11.1 (b) (i))

Clause 8.4

Notional Revenue for the year ending March 2011						
Term	Description		Value \$			
P 2011 *Q 2009	Prices at 31 March 2011 multiplied by 31 March 2009 Base Quantities	\$	9,575,599			
	Transmission Charges for year ending 31 March 2011	\$	2,259,458			
	Avoided Transmission Charges for year ending 31 March 2011	\$	-			
v	Rates for year ending 31 March 2011	\$	19,904			
K 2011	Electricity Authority Levies for year ending 31 March 2011	\$	16,583			
	Commerce Act Levies for year ending 31 March 2011 + 1/5 of Commerce Act Levies for year ending 31 March 2010	\$	28,576			
NR <sub>2011</sub>	Notional Revenue for the year ending 31 March 2011	\$	7,251,078			

Supported by P\*Q schedules presented in Appendix B

Maximum Notional Revenue for the year ending							
March 2011							
Term	Description	Value \$					
P <sub>Max</sub> *Q <sub>2009</sub>	Maximum Prices between 1 April 2010 and 31 March 2011 multiplied by 31 March	\$ 9,575,599					
	Transmission Charges for year ending 31 March 2011	2,259,458					
	Avoided Transmission Charges for year ending 31 March 2011	-					
V	Rates for year ending 31 March 2011	19,904					
K 2011	Electricity Authority Levies for year ending 31 March 2011	16,583					
	Commerce Act Levies for year ending 31 March 2011 + 1/5 of Commerce Act Levies for year ending 31 March 2010	28,576					
NR <sub>Max</sub>	Notional Revenue for the year ending 31 March 2011	7,251,078					

Supported by P\*Q schedules presented in Appendix B



# Clause 8.5

Allo	owable Notional Revenue	2011		
Term	Description	Value \$		
P 2010 *Q 2009	Prices at 31 March 2010 multiplied by 31 March 2009 Base Quantities	\$	9,575,598.99	
	Transmission Charges for year ending 31 March 2010	\$	2,256,884	
K 2010	Avoided Transmission Charges for 2010		-	
X 2010	Rates for year ending 31 March 2010	\$	15,516	
	Electricity Commission Levies for year ending 31 March 2010	\$	14,946	
X	X Factor		-	
$(1 + \triangle CPI_{2011})$	Average change in Consumer Price Index		1.0247	
R 2011	Allowable Notional Revenue under the CPI- X Price Path for the year ending 31 March 2011		7,467,911	

Supported by P\*Q schedules presented in Appendix B

∆CPI <sub>2011</sub>						
Numerator		Denominator				
CPI <sub>Dec2008</sub>	1072	CPI <sub>Dec2007</sub>	1037			
CPI <sub>Mar2009</sub>	1075	CPI <sub>Mar2008</sub>	1044			
CPI <sub>Jun2009</sub>	1081	CPI <sub>Jun2008</sub>	1061			
CPI <sub>Sep2009</sub>	1095	CPI <sub>Sep2008</sub>	1077			
Total	4323	Total	4219			
∆CPI <sub>2011</sub>	2.47%					



# APPENDIX B - PRICE AND QUANTITY SCHEDULES (Clause 11.1(b)(i))

/		2009 - 2010	2008	- 2009 Q * 2009-		2008	- 2009 Q * 2010 -
Tariff Code	2008 - 09 Quantity	Price Charge type		2010 P	2010 - 2011 Price		2011P
E-C-PRE	2,033,086	\$0.0685 \$/kWh	\$	139,266	\$0.0685	\$	139,266
F-C-T1P	6,087	\$0.9800 \$/day		5,965	\$0.9800		5,965
E-C-T1P-24UC	18,982	\$0.1072 \$/kWh	\$	2,035	\$0.1072		2,035
E-C-T1P-24UC	15,518	\$0.1072 \$/kWh	\$	1,664	\$0.1072	\$	1,664
F-C-CH1	430,521	\$0.1500 \$/day		64,578	\$0.1500		64,578
E-C-CH1-AICO	3,895,098	\$0.1065 \$/kWh	\$	414,828	\$0.1065		414,828
E-C-CH1-CTRL	206,400	\$0.0835 \$/kWh	\$	17,234	\$0.0835		17,234
E-C-CH1-CTUD	69,565	\$0.1500 \$/kWh	\$	10,435	\$0.1500		10,435
E-C-CH1-CTUN	40,086	\$0.0230 \$/kWh	\$	922	\$0.0230		922
E-C-CH1-NITE	8,235	\$0.0563 \$/kWh	\$	464	\$0.0563		464
E-C-CH1-24UC	163,910	\$0.1217 \$/kWh	\$	19,948	\$0.1217	\$	19,948
F-C-CH2	2,431,622	\$0.9800 \$/day		2,382,990	\$0.9800		2,382,990
E-C-CH2-24UC	27,359,413	\$0.0837 \$/kWh	\$	2,289,983	\$0.0837		2,289,983
E-C-CH2-AICO	20,263,198	\$0.0685 \$/kWh	\$	1,388,029	\$0.0685	\$	1,388,029
E-C-CH2-CTRL	2,680,822	\$0.0458 \$/kWh	\$	122,782	\$0.0458	\$	122,782
E-C-CH2-CTUD	1,804,999	\$0.1072 \$/kWh	\$	193,496	\$0.1072	\$	193,496
E-C-CH2-CTUN	983,086	\$0.0133 \$/kWh	\$	13,075	\$0.0133	\$	13,075
E-C-CH2-NITE	61,790	\$0.0186 \$/kWh	\$	1,149	\$0.0186	\$	1,149
E-C-CH2-24UC	3,442,786	\$0.0837 \$/kWh	\$	288,161	\$0.0837	\$	288,161
F-C-CH3	10,234	\$14.5700 \$/day		149,116	\$14.5700		149,116
E-C-CH3-24UC	1,897,131	\$0.0624 \$/kWh	\$	118,381	\$0.0624	\$	118,381
E-C-CH3-CTRL	0	\$0.0376 \$/kWh	\$	(7.)	\$0.0376	\$	÷
E-C-CH3-CTUD	1,133,828	\$0.0797 \$/kWh	\$	90,366	\$0.0797	\$	90,366
E-C-CH3-CTUN	730,374	\$0.0099 \$/kWh	\$	7,231	\$0.0099	\$	7,231
E-C-CH3-DMND	2,754	\$4.9700 \$/kW/month	\$	13,687	\$4.9700	\$	13,687
E-C-CH3-24UC	1,127,262	\$0.0624 \$/kWh	\$	70,341	\$0.0624	\$	70,341
E-C-CH3-SOPD	1,381	\$3.9000 \$/kW/month	\$	5,386	\$3.9000	\$	5,386
E-C-CH3-WOPD	1,342	\$14.0900 \$/kW/month	\$	18,909	\$14.0900	\$	18,909
F-C-CH4	2,555	\$29.1400 \$/day		74,441	\$29.1400		74,441
E-C-CH4-24UC	236,890	\$0.0560 \$/kWh	\$	13,266	\$0.0560	\$	13,266
E-C-CH4-CTUD	254,173	\$0.0717 \$/kWh	\$	18,224	\$0.0717	\$	18,224
E-C-CH4-CTUN	91,379	\$0.0090 \$/kWh	\$	822	\$0.0090	\$	822
E-C-CH4-DMND	3,160	\$4.3700 \$/kW/month	\$	13,809	\$4.3700	\$	13,809
E-C-CH4-24UC	0	\$0.0560 \$/kWh	\$	( <u>-</u>	\$0.0560		-
E-C-CH4-SOPD	1,958	\$3.7100 \$/kW/month	\$	7,264	\$3.7100		7,264
E-C-CH4-WOPD	1,107	\$13.3800 \$/kW/month	\$	14,812	\$13.3800	\$	14,812
F-C-CH5	1,460	\$36.4200 \$/day		53,174	\$36.4200		53,174
E-C-CH5-24UC	278,560	\$0.0467 \$/kWh	\$	13,009	\$0.0467		13,009
E-C-CH5-CTUD	305,058	\$0.0598 \$/kWh	\$	18,242	\$0.0598		18,242
E-C-CH5-CTUN	103,160	\$0.0074 \$/kWh	\$	763	\$0.0074		763
E-C-CH5-DMND	2,734	\$3.4800 \$/kW/month	\$	9,514	\$3.4800		9,514
E-C-CH5-24UC	0	\$0.0467 \$/kWh	\$	12	\$0.0467		
E-C-CH5-SOPD	1,704	\$3.4100 \$/kW/month	\$	5,811	\$3.4100		5,811
E-C-CH5-WOPD	1,020	\$12.3100 \$/kW/month	\$	12,556	\$12.3100		12,556
F-C-CH6	1,095	\$52.4500 \$/day		57,437	\$52.4500		57,437
E-C-CH6-CTUD	47,400	\$0.0564 \$/kWh	\$	2,673	\$0.0564		2,673
E-C-CH6-CTUN	16,800	\$0.0070 \$/kWh	\$	118	\$0.0070		118
E-C-CH6-DMND	3,031	\$3.2200 \$/kW/month	\$	9,760	\$3.2200		9,760
E-C-CH6-24UC	319,800	\$0.0428 \$/kWh	\$	13,687	\$0.0428		13,687
E-C-CH6-SOPD	1,770	\$3.3300 \$/kW/month	\$	5,894	\$3,3300		5,894 14,368
E-C-CH6-WOPD	1,189	\$12.0000 \$/kW/month	\$	14,268	\$12.0000 \$51.6600		14,268 37,707
F-C-CH7	730	\$51.6600 \$/day	_	37,707	\$4.2400		37,707 10,630
E-C-CH7-DMND	2,507	\$4.2400 \$/kW/month	\$	10,630	\$4.2400		2,558
E-C-CH7-SOPD	1,003	\$2.5500 \$/kW/month	\$	2,558	\$10.8000		2,556 8,856
E-C-CH7-WOPD	820	\$10.8000 \$/kW/month	\$	8,856	\$10.0000	Y	0,030



		2009 - 2010	2008	8 - 2009 Q * 2009-		2008 - 2009 Q * 2010 -
Tariff Code	2008 - 09 Quantity	Price Charge type		2010 P	2010 - 2011 Price	2011P
F-C-CH8	730	\$67.1600 \$/day		49,024	\$67.1600	49,024
E-C-CH8-DMND	3,133	\$4.0700 \$/kW/month	\$	12,751	\$4.0700	\$ 12,751
E-C-CH8-SOPD	1,842	\$2.5400 \$/kW/month	\$	4,679	\$2.5400	\$ 4,679
E-C-CH8-WOPD	1,259	\$10.7200 \$/kW/month	\$	13,496	\$10.7200	\$ 13,496
F-C-CH9	365	\$72.3300 \$/day		26,399	\$72.3300	26,399
E-C-CH9-DMND	1,921	\$3.9500 \$/kW/month	\$	7,588	\$3.9500	\$ 7,588
E-C-CH9-SOPD	1,050	\$2.5200 \$/kW/month	\$	2,646	\$2.5200	\$ 2,646
E-C-CH9-WOPD	763	\$10.6500 \$/kW/month	\$	8,126	\$10.6500	\$ 8,126
F-C-CH10	365	\$67.0600 \$/day		24,476	\$67.0600	24,476
E-C-CH10-DMND	3,005	\$2.2100 \$/kW/month	\$	6,641	\$2.2100	\$ 6,641
E-C-CH10-SOPD	1,666	\$3.0500 \$/kW/month	\$	5,081	\$3.0500	\$ 5,081
E-C-CH10-WOPD	1,207	\$8.9700 \$/kW/month	\$	10,827	\$8.9700	\$ 10,827
F-C-CH11	365	\$450.8600 \$/day		164,563	\$450.8600	164,563
E-C-CH11-DMND	17,293	\$2.1200 \$/kW/month	\$	36,661	\$2.1200	\$ 36,661
E-C-CH11-SOPD	10,030	\$3.0400 \$/kW/month	\$	30,491	\$3.0400	\$ 30,491
E-C-CH11-WOPD	6,932	\$8.9200 \$/kW/month	\$	61,833	\$8.9200	\$ 61,833
E-C-CH1-24UC	1,332,774	\$0.1217 \$/kWh	\$	162,199	\$0.1217	\$ 162,199
F-C-CH12	365	\$1,012.2600 \$/day		369,476	\$1,012.2600	369,476
E-C-CH12-DMND	50,521	\$1.2200 \$/kW/month	\$	61,636	\$1.2200	\$ 61,636
E-C-CH12-SOPD	29,688	\$2.9000 \$/kW/month	\$	86,095	\$2.9000	\$ 86,095
E-C-CH12-WOPD	20,125	\$8.5500 \$/kW/month	\$	172,069	\$8.5500	\$ 172,069
F-CH2	- 975	\$0.9800 \$/day	-\$	955	\$0.9800	
Under Veranda Lights	305,455	\$0.0330 \$/day	\$	10,080	\$0.0330	\$ 10,080
Grand total			\$	9,575,599		\$ 9,575,599



# APPENDIX C - PASS THROUGH COSTS (Clause 11.1(b)(ii))

Pass Through Costs for year ending March 2011								
K 2011 Actual (\$) Forecast (\$) Variance (\$) Varian								
Transmission	2,259,458	2,256,528	2,930	.13%				
Avoided Transmission	-	-	-	-				
Rates	19,904	18,623	1,281	6.43%				
Electricity Authority Levies	16,583	14,655	1,928	11.63%				
Commerce Act Levies	28,576	35,131	(6,555)	(22.94)%				
Total Pass Through Costs	2,324,520	2,324,937	(416)	(.02)%				

## **Explanation of variances**

- Transmission immaterial variation, no explanation available.
- Rates in 2010/11 Centralines received rates for system fixed assets, which had not been budgeted for at Tamumu Road and 17 and 22 Coughlan Road.
- Electricity Authority levies actual Electricity Authority levies are determined after Centralines has determined its charges. Forecast levies were based on the prior year levies.
- Commerce Act levies the forecast was based on the 2009-10 total plus one fifth of the 2009/10 total. Actual Commerce Commission levies are determined subsequent to Centralines' finalising its forecasts and prices.



# APPENDIX D - QUALITY STANDARD COMPLIANCE CALCULATIONS (Clause 11.1(b)(iv))

# Reliability Data (Before Normalisation)

Year	SAIDI (Interruption Duration)			SAIFI (Interruption Frequency)		
1 cai	Class B	Class C	Total	Class B	Class C	Total
2005	15.60	155.79	171.39	0.07	3.38	3.44
2006	41.19	99.54	140.73	0.14	3.76	3.91
2007	38.97	148.08	187.05	0.12	3.06	3.17
2008	49.57	105.64	155.21	0.15	2.50	2.65
2009	66.24	132.52	198.76	0.26	4.69	4.95
	Reference Period Total SAIDI		853.14	Reference Peri	od Total SAIFI	18.12
	Reference Perio	d Average SAIDI	170.63	Reference Period	d Average SAIFI	3.62
2011	84.81	106.64	191.45	0.42	4.30	4.72

# **Reliability Limit Calculations**

# SAIDI Boundary Calculations

α SAIDI	-1.0592	The average of the natural logarithm (In) of each daily SAIDI Value in the non-zero data set
etasaidi	1.6883	The standard deviation of the natural logarithm (In) of each daily SAIDI Value in the non-zero data set

$B_{SAIDI} = e^{(\alpha SAIDI + 2.5^* \beta SAIDI)}$	23.6089 SAIDI Boundary Valu

# SAIFI Boundary Calculations

αsaifi	-0.0001	The average of the natural logarithm (In) of each daily SAIFI Value in the non-zero data set
$oldsymbol{eta}$ SAIFI	1 8502	The standard deviation of the natural logarithm (In) of each daily SAIFI Value in the non-zero data set

$B_{SAIFI} = e^{(\alpha SAIFI + 2.5^* \beta SAIFI)}$	0.4641 SAIFI Boundary Value



# Event Days exceeding SAIDI Boundary Value within the Reference Dataset

Date	Pre-Normalised SAIDI	Pre-Normalised SAIFI	Normalised SAIDI	Normalised SAIFI
30-Jun-04	42.3883	0.6694	23.6089	0.4641
			-	-
			-	-
			_	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
10			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
		41.00	-	-
			-	-



μsaidi	166.8715
<b>OSAIDI</b>	30.6772

The average annual SAIDI Value in the Normalised Reference Dataset

The standard deviation of daily SAIDI Values in the Normalised Reference Dataset multiplied by √365

SAIDI<sub>Limit</sub>= <sub>μSAIDI</sub> + <sub>σSAIDI</sub> 197.5487

197.5487 SAIDI Limit Value

### SAIFI Limit

μsaifi	3.5838
<b>OSAIFI</b>	0.9422

The average annual SAIFI Value in the Normalised Reference Dataset

The standard deviation of daily SAIFI Values in the Normalised Reference Dataset multiplied by √365

 $SAIFI_{Limit} = \mu_{SAIFI} + \sigma_{SAIFI}$  4.5260

4.5260 SAIFI Limit Value

## Reliability Assessment Calculations

# Event Days exceeding SAIDI Boundary Value within the Assessment Dataset

Date	Pre-Normalised SAIDI	Pre-Normalised SAIFI	Normalised SAIDI	Normalised SAIFI
			-	-
			-	
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	
			-	
		300.5	-	-

# Assessed SAIDI Value

SAIDI <sub>2011</sub>	The sum of daily SAIDI Values in the 1 April 2010 - 31  March 2011 Normalised Assessment Dataset
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### Assessed SAIFI Value

SAIFI <sub>2011</sub>	4.7156 The sum of daily SAIFI Values in the 1 April 2010 - 31 March 2011 Normalised Assessment Dataset
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# APPENDIX E - POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR RECORDING SAIDI AND SAIFI (Clause 11.1(b)(v))

### **Outage Data Capture Process**

The capture of outage data uses the following data sources and utilities

### **Data**

1) Numbers of ICPs connected to the system - GIS

2) Transformers connected between Isolation Points - GIS

3) Real time data. - RealFlex SCADA

The data from SCADA is accurate within the abilities of operators and field staff to report and record each manual event. The logging of SCADA connected devices is automatic.

### **SCADA Timing**

Automatically recorded SCADA data is time stamped at the remote terminal units (RTU). These RTUs are time corrected to the master station each half hour.

### **Utilities**

### RealFlex SCADA

Centralines SCADA is part of Unison's Taupo-Rotorua SCADA System, with all Zone Substation 33kv and 11kv CBs linked by RTUs that report automatically and time stamp all changes of state of devices directly to the SCADA Daily Log File.

Each Zone Substation and 11kv Feeder is represented by a schematic picture, a SCADA tile, or series of SCADA tiles if the feeder is extensive in the real world.

The SCADA Event Search tool is used to search and print a report for each unplanned outage.

The resulting report is used with GIS data to compile a report, in preparation for entry into the Faults database.

### **Faults Access Database**

All Unplanned and Planned Outages are processed from their initiation to completion using Access modules contained in the Faults database.



Each unplanned or planned outage has a unique identifier, the Sheet Number / Record Number.

A summary of general details for each unplanned and planned Outage is recorded by the operator.

For planned outages, the Switching Update form is used to collate all relevant data entered on the Switching Instruction.

Times of power off, power restored, ICPs affected, are entered in the database from the data entered on the Switching Instruction.

All ICP data comes from GIS.

Supply Off and Supply Restored times are annotated on the Switching Instruction in real time.

At the end of the process the calculator checks that the total number of ICPs restored is correct before final calculations are made.

The record cannot be saved until both values are equal.

Only the final, calculated data is held in the table 'Datafile'.

All the incremental step values are held in a common table, 'Outage Calculator'.

Both tables are linked using the Sheet No field of the Datafile record.

For unplanned outages, the Network Update Form is used to collate all relevant data.

The times of restoration or interruption, are taken from an extract of the SCADA Daily Log File.

The operator enters the total number of ICPs affected, time of Supply Fail, and time of Total Restoration of Supply.

In the case of faults where sequential restorations and further interruptions to supply occur, the elapsed times, interruption times, ICPs and feeder amps restored or interrupted at each step, are entered in a custom-built calculator.

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