

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

ENERGY AND OTHER LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (RESILIENCE REFORMS
AND OTHER MATTERS) BILL 2026

(Amendments and New Clause to be proposed in Committee by DAVID DAVIS)

1. Clause 1, page 2, lines 16 and 17, omit all words and expressions on these lines.
2. Clause 1, page 2, after line 24 insert—
 - "(ca) to amend the **Electricity Industry Act 2000** to impose on electricity retailers, by statutory licence condition, a requirement to itemise on the first electricity bill of a customer issued in a calendar year, the proportion of that customer's charges (and the amount of that proportion) referable to amounts paid by a transmission company to VicGrid for payment into the Traditional Owners Fund, or to traditional owners or certain traditional owner entities, that the transmission company recovers through its charges; and".
3. Clause 16, omit this clause.
4. Clause 17, omit this clause.
5. Clause 18, omit this clause.
6. Clause 19, omit this clause.

NEW CLAUSE

7. Insert the following New Division after Division 4 of Part 6—

'Division 5—Other amendments to the Electricity Industry Act 2000

33A New section 40EC inserted

After section 40EB of the **Electricity Industry Act 2000** insert—

"40EC Certain amounts payable by customers to be itemised on customer electricity bills

- (1) Without limiting the generality of section 20(2) or (3) or 21, the conditions to which a licence to sell electricity held by a retailer is subject include a condition that the retailer must itemise on the first electricity bill of a customer issued in a calendar year, the proportion of that customer's charges (and the amount of that proportion) referable to amounts—
 - (a) paid by a transmission company in the previous calendar year to—
 - (i) VicGrid for payment into the Traditional Owners Fund; or

- (ii) traditional owners; or
- (iii) a Traditional Owner group; or
- (iv) Gellung Warl; and

(b) recovered by a transmission company through its charges as a pass through event or otherwise.

(2) In this section—

Gellung Warl has the same meaning as in the **Statewide Treaty Act 2025**;

pass through event has the meaning given by Chapter 10 of the National Electricity Rules for a transmission determination;

traditional owner means has the same meaning as in the **Aboriginal Heritage Act 2006**;

Traditional Owners Fund means the fund established under section 94 of the **National Electricity (Victoria) Act 2005**;

Traditional Owner group has the same meaning as in the **Statewide Treaty Act 2025**;

transmission determination has the same meaning as in the National Electricity (Victoria) Law.".'.