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*Stock exchange listings: NZX (MEL) ASX (MEZ)*

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# Notice pursuant to clause 20(1)(a) of schedule 8 of the Financial Markets Conduct Regulations 2014

**11 June 2018**

Meridian Energy Limited ("**Meridian**") gives notice under clause 20(1)(a) of schedule 8 of the Financial Markets Conduct Regulations 2014 ("**Regulations**") that it proposes to make an offer for the issue of fixed rate bonds due 27 June 2025 ("**New Bonds**") in reliance upon the exclusion in clause 19 of schedule 1 of the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013 ("**FMCA**").

The main terms of the offer and the New Bonds are set out in the attached Terms Sheet. Except for the interest rate and maturity date, the New Bonds will have identical rights, privileges, limitations and conditions as Meridian's fixed rate bonds maturing on 14 March 2023 which are quoted on the NZX Debt Market under the ticker code MEL030 and Meridian's fixed rate bonds maturing on 20 March 2024 which are quoted on the NZX Debt Market under the ticker code MEL040 (together the "**Existing Bonds**") and therefore are of the same class as the Existing Bonds for the purposes of the FMCA and the Regulations. The Existing Bonds have been continuously quoted on the NZX Debt Market over the preceding 3 months.

As at the date of this notice, Meridian is in compliance with:

- (a) the continuous disclosure obligations that apply to it in relation to the Existing Bonds; and
- (b) its financial reporting obligations (as defined in the Regulations).

As at the date of this notice, there is no excluded information required to be disclosed for the purposes of the Regulations.

As at the date of this notice, there is no other information that would be required to be disclosed under a continuous disclosure obligation or which would be excluded information required to be disclosed for the purposes of the Regulations if the Existing Bonds had had the same redemption date or interest rate as the New Bonds being offered.

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