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Notice of event affecting securities

NZSX Listing Rule 7.12.2. For rights, NZSX Listing Rules 7.10.9 and 7.10.10.

For change to allotment, NZSX Listing Rule 7.12.1, a separate advice is required.

Number of pages including this one (Please provide any other relevant details on additional pages)

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of Issuer Meridian E	nergy Limit	ed										
Name of officer authorised to make this notice Jason Stein					Authority for event, e.g. Directors' resolution							
Contact phone number +64 4	4 381 1200		Contact fa number	х				Date	19) /	8 /	2015
Tick as appropriate	Bonus Issue Rights Issue non-renouncabl	If ticked, state whether: Capital Call change	<i>Taxable</i> Dividen	_	Non Taxable ked, state her: Int	Co	onversio Full Year		Interest	DRP	Rights Issue Renouncable Applies	·
EXISTING securities affected by this If more than one security is affected by the event, use a separate form.												
Description of the class of securities						ISIN NZMELE0002S7 If unknown, contact NZX						
Details of securities issued pursuant to this event If more than one class of security is to be issued, use a separate form for each class.												
Description of the class of securities								ISIN	If	unknown, c	ontact NZX	
Number of Securities to be issued following event						Minimum Entitlement				atio, e.g	fe	or
Conversion, Maturity, Call Payable or Exercise Date		Enter N/A if not		Tick	if	Treatment of						
Strike price per security for any issue in lieu or date Strike Price available. Strike Price available. Tick if provide an OR explanation of the ranking												
Monies Associated with Ev	<u>/ent</u>	Dividend p	ayable, Call pa	ayable, Exe	rcise price, Co	nversion price	e, Redei	mption price,	Application n	noney.		
	In dollars	and cents		1 c.	ourse of							
Amount per security (does not include any excluded income)					ource of ayment	Retained Earnings						
Excluded income per secu (only applicable to listed P.												
Currency		NZ Dollars		Supplementary dividend details -		dend in dollars and cents ails -			\$0.0079			
Total monies		\$207,090,400			NZSX Listing Rule 7.12.7		7	Date Payable		15 October, 2015		
Taxation					Amo	ınt per Securi	ty in Do	llars and cen	ts to six decir	nal places		
In the case of a taxable bonus issue state strike price		\$	Resident Withholdin	g Tax	\$0.0151				tation Credits details)	\$0.017	3	
			Foreign Withholdin	g Tax					Credits details)			
Timing (Refer	Appendix 8 in th	e NZSX Listing Rules)										
Record Date 5pm For calculation of entitlements -		30 September, 20	015		Also, Intere Conv of ap	ication Date Call Payable, est Payable, E ersion Date. In olications this usiness day o	xercise In the ca must be	Date, ase e the	15 Octobe	er, 2015		
Notice Date Entitlement letters, call notices, conversion notices mailed OFFICE USE ONLY					For ti Must	ment Date ne issue of ne be within 5 bu plication closin	usiness	days				

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Ex Date:
Commence Quoting Rights:
Cease Quoting Rights 5pm:
Commence Quoting New Securities:
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