## **Announcement Summary**

# **Entity name**

MERIDIAN ENERGY LIMITED

## Security on which the Distribution will be paid

MEZ - ORDINARY FULLY PAID FOREIGN EXEMPT NZX

#### **Announcement Type**

New announcement

#### Date of this announcement

Wednesday August 26, 2020

#### **Distribution Amount**

NZD 0.12899800

#### **Ex Date**

Tuesday September 29, 2020

#### **Record Date**

Wednesday September 30, 2020

# **Payment Date**

Friday October 16, 2020

Refer to below for full details of the announcement

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#### **Announcement Details**

# Part 1 - Entity and announcement details

#### 1.1 Name of +Entity

MERIDIAN ENERGY LIMITED

#### 1.2 Registered Number Type

**ARBN** 

#### 1.3 ASX issuer code

MEZ

#### 1.4 The announcement is

☑ New announcement

#### 1.5 Date of this announcement

Wednesday August 26, 2020

# 1.6 ASX +Security Code

MEZ

#### **ASX +Security Description**

ORDINARY FULLY PAID FOREIGN EXEMPT NZX

Part 2A - All dividends/distributions basic details

# 2A.1 Type of dividend/distribution

Ordinary

#### 2A.2 The Dividend/distribution:

relates to a period of six months

# 2A.3 The dividend/distribution relates to the financial reporting or payment period ending ended/ending (date)

**Registration Number** 

151800396

Tuesday June 30, 2020

#### 2A.4 +Record Date

Wednesday September 30, 2020



2A.5 Ex Date

Tuesday September 29, 2020

#### 2A.6 Payment Date

Friday October 16, 2020

2A.7 Are any of the below approvals required for the dividend/distribution before business day 0 of the timetable?

- Security holder approval
- Court approval
- Lodgement of court order with +ASIC
- ACCC approval
- FIRB approval
- Another approval/condition external to the entity required before business day 0 of the timetable for the dividend/distribution.

☑ No

2A.8 Currency in which the dividend/distribution is made ("primary currency")

NZD - New Zealand Dollar

2A.9 Total dividend/distribution payment amount per +security (in primary currency) for all dividends/distributions notified in this form

NZD 0.12899800

2A.9a AUD equivalent to total dividend/distribution amount per +security

AUD

2A.9b If AUD equivalent not known, date for information to be released

**Estimated or Actual?** 

Actual

Monday October 5, 2020

2A.10 Does the entity have arrangements relating to the currency in which the dividend/distribution is paid to securityholders that it wishes to disclose to the market? 

Yes

2A.11 Does the entity have a securities plan for dividends/distributions on this +security? ☑ We do not have a securities plan for dividends/distributions on this security

2A.12 Does the +entity have tax component information apart from franking? 
☑ No

2A.13 Withholding tax rate applicable to the dividend/distribution (%)

15.000000 %

Part 2B - Currency Information

2B.1 Does the entity default to payment in certain currencies dependent upon certain attributes such as the banking instruction or registered address of the +securityholder? (For example NZD to residents of New Zealand and/or USD to residents of the U.S.A.).

Yes

2B.2 Please provide a description of your currency arrangements

Payment to shareholders on the Australian register will be calculated on the AUD/NZD foreign exchange rate.

2B.2a Other currency/currencies in which the dividend/distribution will be paid:

Currency

Payment currency equivalent amount per security

AUD - Australian Dollar

AUD

2B.2b Please provide the exchange rates used for non-primary currency payments

2B.2c If payment currency equivalent and exchange rates not known, date for information to be released

**Estimated or Actual?** 

Actual

Monday October 5, 2020

2B.3 Can the securityholder choose to receive a currency different to the currency they would receive under the default arrangements?

☑ No

Part 3A - Ordinary dividend/distribution

3A.1 Is the ordinary dividend/distribution estimated at this time?

☑ No

3A.1a Ordinary dividend/distribution estimated amount per +security

NZD

3A.1b Ordinary Dividend/distribution amount per security

NZD 0.11200000

3A.2 Is the ordinary dividend/distribution franked? 

⊗ No

3A.3 Percentage of ordinary dividend/distribution that is franked

0.0000 %

3A.4 Ordinary dividend/distribution franked amount per +security

3A.5 Percentage amount of dividend which is unfranked

NZD 0.00000000

3A.6 Ordinary dividend/distribution unfranked amount per +security excluding conduit foreign income amount

NZD 0.11200000

100.0000 %

#### Part 3F - NZD declared dividends/distributions - supplementary dividend/distribution

3F.1 Is a supplementary dividend/distribution payable?

Yes

3F.2 Is the supplementary dividend/distribution estimated at this time?

☑ No

3F.2b Supplementary dividend/distribution amount per +security

NZD 0.01699800

3F.3 Is the Supplementary dividend/distribution franked?

☑ No

3F.4 Percentage of Supplementary dividend/distribution

that is franked

3F.4a Applicable corporate tax rate for franking credit

(%)

0.0000 % %

3F.5 Supplementary dividend/distribution franked

amount per +security

3F.6 Percentage of Supplementary dividend/distribution

that is unfranked

NZD 0.00000000

100.0000 %

3F.7 Supplementary dividend/distribution unfranked amount per security

NZD 0.01699800

Part 5 - Further information

#### 5.1 Please provide any further information applicable to this dividend/distribution

The total dividend / distribution amount per security referred to in 2A.9 refers to an ordinary dividend of NZD 0.11200, plus a supplementary dividend of NZD 0.016998 payable to non-New Zealand resident shareholders.

#### 5.2 Additional information for inclusion in the Announcement Summary