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Wednesday has been added as an option, it opened up this evening.

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Thanks Daniel

We will canvass options in the table below – it is a bit clunky but it works ok if everyone adds their availability and does a "reply all".

With the am and pm option please indicate if there are times that if avoided would still allow an option to work.

Cheers
Hamish

	MFE	MBIE	Martin	Meridian	Contact	Mercury	Manawa	Genesis	NZWEA	
Mon 23 am				?						
Mon 23 pm				Y						
Wed 25 am				Y						
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Subject: [EXTERNAL] further workshop on NPS-REG options

Good afternoon everyone.

We'd like to set up a further meeting to discuss the options for the NPS-REG. The week beginning 23 September looks best for us – can you please swap diary info and let us know the best days/times that suit then we'll confirm a time? Let's give it two hours.

In the time being the teams will work up an agenda/material to discuss.

Regards

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Subject: ESEG Feedback on RM Reform & NPS REG Paper [UNCLASSIFIED]

Hi Hamish – thanks for the constructive phone call last night on this.

I'll circle round with the different teams working in this area and get back to you on next steps.

Regards

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Subject: ESEG Feedback on RM Reform & NPS REG Paper

Kia ora koutou

Thank you for meeting with us and for sharing the paper on draft policy thinking regarding RM Reform and NPS-REG review on 6 August.

The memorandum attached has been prepared this week and as we are about to send it we have seen the press release by Minister Bishop on these issues and note that the supporting material contains "*Electrify NZ changes – announcements to be made shortly*" placeholders.

We are seeking urgent engagement for key advisors to discuss the legal basis for the policy approach that is outlined in the paper of 6 August, particularly regarding the NPS-REG.

We expect that our Chief Executives will also want to engage at a Ministerial level.

Regards
Hamish