RETAIL COMPETITION AND OPEN ACCESS (RCOA)

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ABOUT IEMOP



- Independent Market Operator of the Wholesale Electricity Spot Market (WESM)
- Central Registration Body (CRB) for Retail Competition and Open Access

OUTLINE

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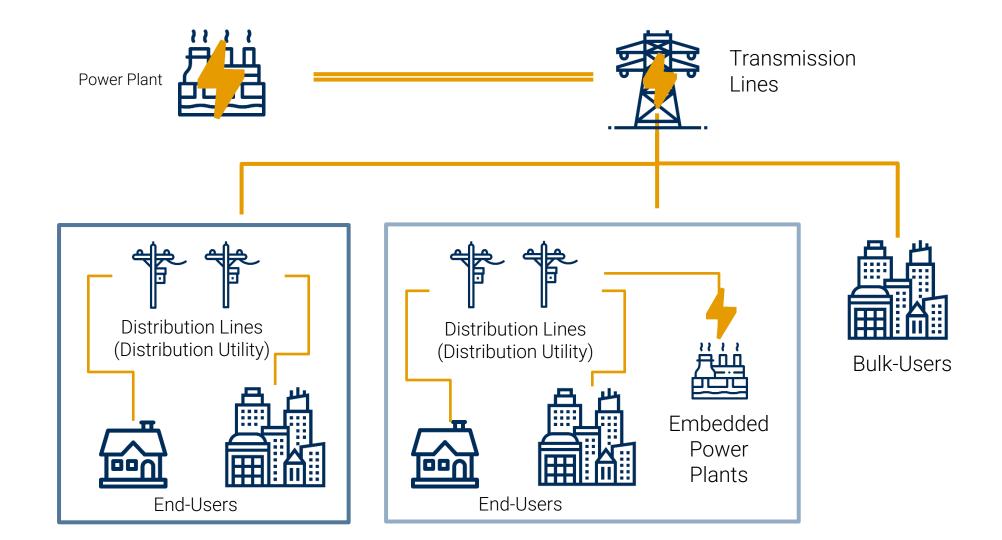
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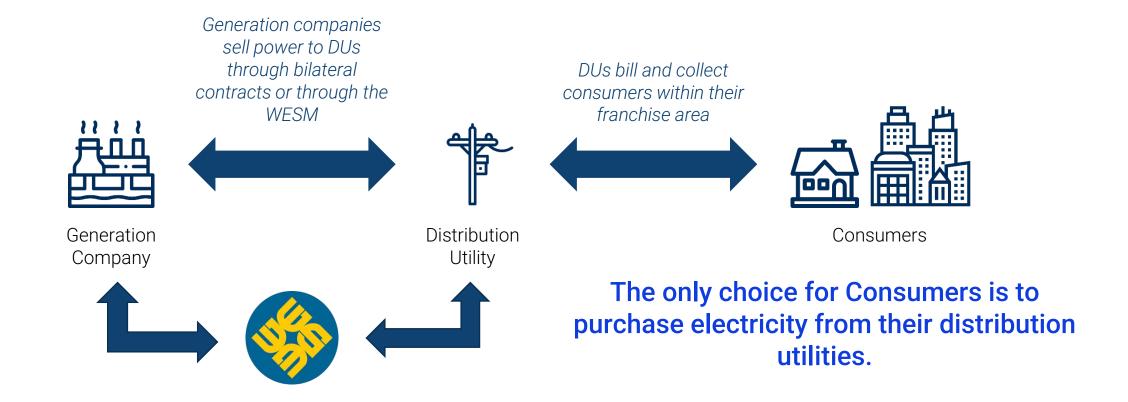
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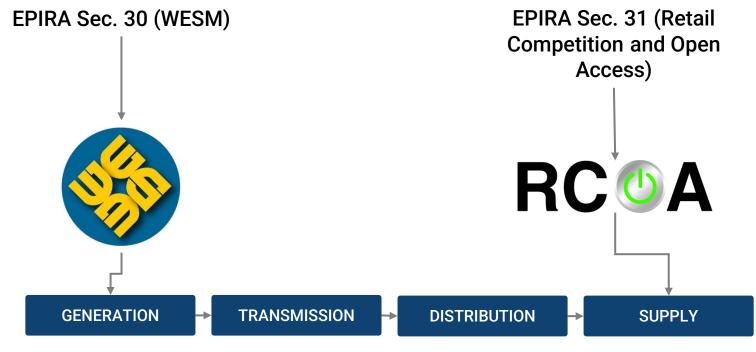
BEFORE RCOA



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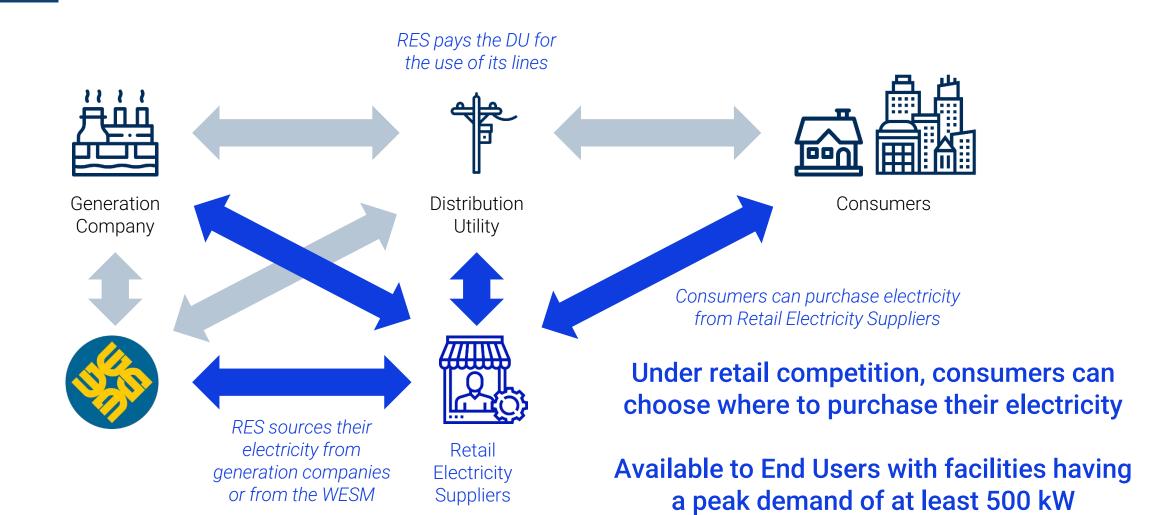


Legal Basis



Power Industry Sectors

WITH RCOA



RCOA EMPOWERS ELECTRICITY END-USERS

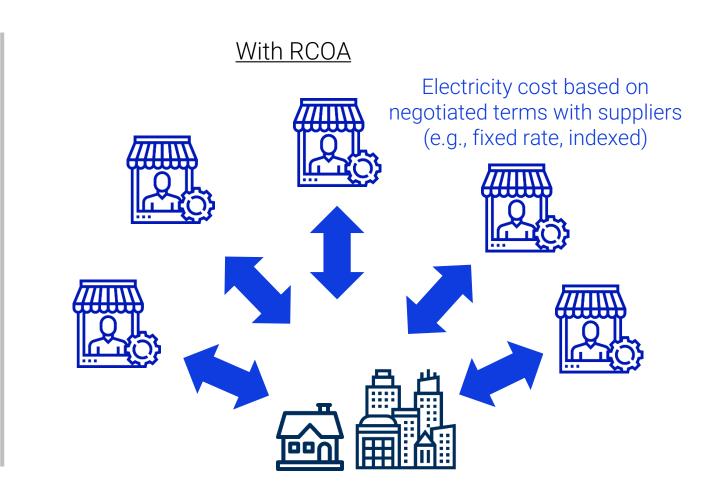
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Electricity cost based on DU contracts and supply management – all costs are pass-on







BENEFITS OF RCOA



End-Users are empowered to choose a Retail Supplier for:

- Better prices
- Value added services
- Renewable/Sustainable Energy Options



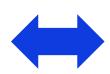
Promotes efficiency and competition in the power industry

- Competitive prices
- Boosts innovation

HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN RCOA?

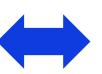
Enter into a Retail **Supply Contract** (RSC)











RES submits

switch request to



- RES submits all required documents to IEMOP
- IEMOP notifies DU on completion of switch
- Switches are executed every 26th of the month

RCOA STATISTICS

1,657
Registered Contestable
Customers
1170 (1 MW)
396 (750 kW)
91 (500 kW)







633 Electricity End-Users have switched Suppliers since 2014

NEXT STEPS

- > Implementation of Retail Aggregation
- > Reduction of the threshold levels below 500 kW
- > Full Retail Competition

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