

ACCESS AND CONNECTION STAGES OVERVIEW-FLOWCHART

A broad overview of the Access and Connection process is depicted in this chart - representation below is generic and for context only.

	STAGE 1 FEASIBILITY ASSESSMENT) /	STAGE 2 APPLICATION ASSESSMENT	STAGE 3 CONNECTION ASSESSMENT
CONNECTION APPLICANT	connection enquiry request		 connection application 	connection and compliance assessment
HOST NSP	 high level feasibility study & assessments feasibility study scope feasibility assessment report (optional) 		 due diligence on connection application preliminary access study scope preliminary access study report project network model 	 due diligence detailed design access studies report test plan network model validation report & validated network model Notice 270(1)
ISO	 due diligence on Host NSP findings & suggested outcome NWIS power system model letter of review of feasibility assessment report (optional) 		 due diligence on Host NSP findings and suggested outcome NWIS power system model 	 due diligence on Host NSPs findings and suggested outcome letter of findings Notice 270(2) embed validated model into NWIS power system model