A PDRS Method Specific Audit Scope Items – BESS5

A.1 Scope Item 1: Eligibility (Activity Definition Requirements)

This document should be used in conjunction with the SASC Audit Scope, which can be found on the Auditing ACPs webpage.

Requirement	Audit Procedure	Audit tier
Eligibility requirements • The EUE must NOT be installed in a Residential Building or Data Centre • An implementation of either Activity Definitions BESS4 or BESS5 must not have previously been conducted at the Site	Check that: • The EUE is not installed in a Residential Building or Data Centre • No prior BESS4 or BESS5 implementations have taken place at the Site.	1 1
The eligibility requirements must be met immediately prior to the Implementation Date • The site must be a Commercial or Industrial Business Site	• Check the building type through a phone survey of the purchaser	Subset of Tier 2
Equipment requirements • The Implementation must meet the Equipment Requirements: • Any battery installed as part of an Implementation must be tested and pass the performance criteria in accordance with UL9540A – The EUE must have a Usable Battery Capacity greater than 200 kWh and less than or equal to 30,000 kWh – The Usable Battery Capacity of the EUE in kWh must not exceed 6 times the Battery Inverter Output of the EUE in kW – The New Solar Photovoltaic Capacity must not be less than a quarter of the Usable Battery Capacity of the EUE – The EUE must be internet connectable and controllable by a Demand Response Aggregator	Check that: • the EUE has been tested and passed the performance criteria in accordance with UL9540A • the total Usable Battery Capacity of the EUE is greater than 200 kWh and less than or equal to 30,000 kWh • the Usable Battery Capacity in kWh does not exceed 6 times the Batter Inverter Output of the EUE in kW • the New Solar Photovoltaic Capacity is at least a quarter of the Usable Battery Capacity of the EUE • the EUE is internet connectable and controllable by a Demand Response Aggregator	2

Implementation Requirements: • The activity must be performed by a suitably Licensed person in compliance with the relevant standards and legislation. • The installation of the EUE has received the required planning and network approvals	Check that: • the ACP has collected each item of evidence listed for this requirement in the relevant table of evidence requirements in the PDRS Method Guide. • the installer holds an unrestricted electrician licence and that person is included in the ACP's register of installers. *You must notify IPART and the ACP of any installers with an expired, suspended, restricted or cancelled license.* Check that: • the installer has a current SAA accreditation for Design and Install or install only of 'Grid Connected Battery Storage' (GCBS), and that it is not expired, suspended or cancelled. • the ACP has collected the relevant geo-tagged photos proving the installer was at the site for the two stages of installation. *You must notify IPART and the ACP of any installers with expired, suspended or cancelled accreditations.*	1 2
Site visit requirements	Confirm with the Purchaser: - where the implementation date is on or after 12 September 2025, how it/they heard about the offer, and the activity was not 'connected with Unsolicited Doorknocking' - that a copy of the Nomination Form was provided to the Purchaser - that the Purchaser signed the Nomination Form - the date work was performed and completed, to assist in confirming the implementation date(s) of the implementation(s) - that the implementation was not undertaken at a residential building or data centre - the nature and extent of the implementation works, including confirmation that EUE is still in place and operational - that the Purchaser was provided an installer declaration signed by the installer - – that the Purchaser is satisfied with the implementation and has not experienced issues such as product failure.	3

Refer to the DSW for Scope Items A.2 to A.6