

Notice

Publication of Draft Determination for Consultation

Having just completed an investigation of the prices currently charged for the supply of electricity in Sark, I have reached the preliminary conclusion that the current prices in SEL's tariff are not fair and reasonable.

My analysis, which may be found at www.epc.sark.gg, indicates that a fair and reasonable standard unit electricity price in Sark would be around 64 p/kWh, rather than the current 74 p/kWh. It also found that an average price in the range 47-51 p/kWh might be sufficient to build and finance a completely new system using wind and solar generation along with new diesel generators.

There are some uncertainties in the above figures. In particular, I am still awaiting confirmation from SEL concerning the amount of electricity it sold during January to June 2022.

I would like to receive representations concerning this Draft Determination from interested parties by 15th September 2022. I will then make a formal Determination whether, or not, the current prices are fair and reasonable.

Anthony White Commissioner

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