

A regulatory perspective: Australia's offshore wind journey

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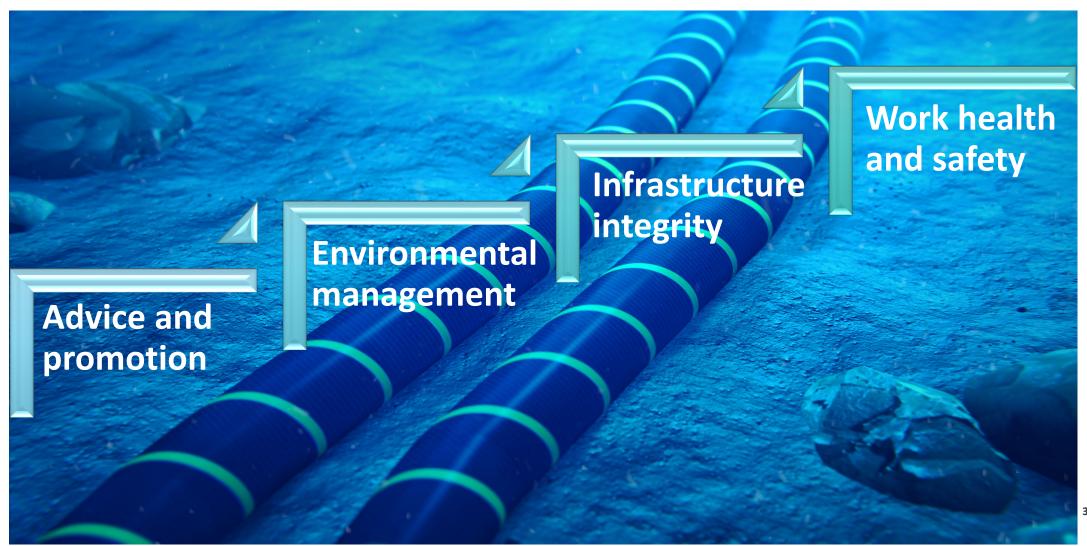
Developing a successful industry



- The pace at which the Commonwealth has established a legislative framework for offshore renewables has put a spotlight on Australia.
- Numerous renewable energy companies are looking at Australia as an attractive market.
- Decision makers must strike a careful balance as they consider a range of technical, political, environmental, safety and social factors.
- Proactive collaboration across industry and government will be key to developing a successful new sector in Australia.



Key pillars & priorities for the regulator



Effective engagement



- Right information, in the right format at the right time.
- Be open and honest about what a project involves.
- Genuinely listen to what stakeholders and communities' value
- What can be done collectively?



Looking ahead

- Vison for a safe, environmentally responsible and sustainable Australian offshore wind industry.
- Community acceptance of offshore wind contingent on genuine engagement and collaboration.
- Developing trust to do our job effectively and maintain a social licence to regulate.





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