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Subject: RE: Activity 21A - Non Omni-directional lamp transition period extension: Consultation paper

## **Dear VEU**

LT would like to thank VEU on the opportunity for our input in deciding whether to extend Non-Omni Directional lamps transition period extension.

LT is of the view the transition period should be extended until 31<sup>st</sup> October 2019 as the current extension period will result in considerable financial loses to our company due to the following.

LT had arranged our stock purchases shortly after DWELP had released the guidelines about 21A activities.

At the time of ordering products no mention or requirement for product approval required 21A products to be Omni-Directional.

In our case VEU several months after the DWELP announcement mentioned 21A lamps must be Omni –directional.

VEU also made numerous changes from the existing 21A frame work including the mandatory use of electricians and other requirements which has made it harder in our case to roll out the activity

LT believes it will suffer significant financial loses if the transition period isn't extended as thousands of dollars' worth of stock would need to be disposed of

Should you require any further details please advise.

Kind regards,

**Martin Salazar**