

Welcome to Gas Industry Co's *News Bulletin*, a periodic advisory of new and current consultations, workstream developments, publications and presentations.

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GTAC Final Assessment Paper released.

The Gas Industry Company has today released its final assessment of First Gas' proposed Gas Transmission Access Code (GTAC). The assessment is made pursuant to MPOC s22.16(b), and is one of the conditions that must be satisfied before the GTAC can take effect.

The Final Assessment Paper (FAP) concludes that the package submitted by First Gas on 31 October 2018 is materially better than the existing terms and conditions for access to and use of gas transmission pipelines. We thank stakeholders for their submissions on the preliminary assessment paper issued in December.

The FAP is available on our website [here](#).

REMINDER – Industry training and annual test exercise.

The annual test exercise under the Critical Contingency Management Regulations is scheduled for **Wednesday, 8 May**.

In advance of the test exercise, the Critical Contingency Operator will hold training sessions so that industry participants can refresh their understanding of what happens during a critical contingency and how they are required to respond. The following sessions are planned:

Location	Date	Time	Venue
New Plymouth	Wednesday, 3 April	10.00am – 12.00 noon	First Gas 42 Connett Road West Bell Block
Auckland	Tuesday, 9 April	1.00pm – 3.00pm	Genesis 660 Great South Road Greenlane
Wellington	Wednesday, 10 April	10.00am – 12.00noon	Gas Industry Co 95 Customhouse Quay Level 8 The Todd Building

Reminder notices will be sent out closer to the time inviting you to RSVP accordingly.

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