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#### **MBIE and Energy Security**

#### MBIE Structure

• Established as federation of the four former agencies:

– MED	– MSI

- DOL DBH
- New structure will take effect from 19 November 2012.
- Integrated into 37 branches in 8 broad business groups.



#### **MBIE: Business Groups**

MBIE
- Strategy & Governance
Corporate Services
Labour & Commercial Environment
Sience, Skills & Innovation
<ul> <li>Infrastructure &amp; Resource Markets</li> </ul>
Immigration NZ
- Safety & Regulatory Practice
Market Services



# Infrastructure and Resource Markets Group

Infrastructure and Resource Markets

NZ Petroleum and Minerals

Resources, Energy and Communications

Building System Performance

Construction and Housing Markets

Office of Deputy CE



#### Energy Security Strategy

• Prioritises secure and affordable energy



- Review of New Zealand's Oil Security
- International supply disruption
- Domestic supply disruption



#### • Domestic supply disruption:

- fuel supply network is reasonably robust
- industry adept at responding to most supply disruptions
- processes in place to manage severe disruptions
- significant capital expenditure is not justified
- steps ensure re-establishment of supply in an emergency supply disruption.



- International supply disruption:
  - Maintain IEA membership
  - Obligations met by ticket contracts
  - Funded by levy on fuel



- The paper seeks feedback on:
  - proposal to impose a small levy on fuel consumers
  - various proposals to improve domestic security
  - Various questions throughout paper
- Submissions close 27 November

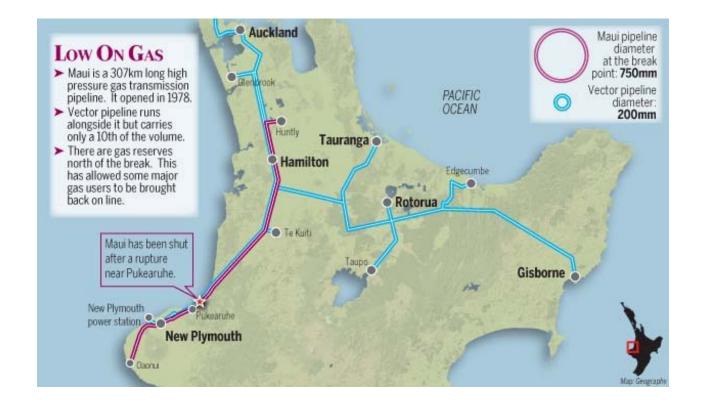


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- Report released 18 October
- Caused by landslide
- More public assurance needed
- Critical contingency system worked well, but...
- A number of gas consumers not well prepared



# Maui pipeline outage review Next steps

- Labour inspector
- Pipeline owner to present risk management practices to gas customers



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- Amending the Gas Governance (Critical Contingency Management) Regulations 2008
- GIC proposal
- New curtailment bands?
- Customer preparedness

