



**Gas Appliance
Manufacturers
Association of
Australia**

Standards Australia Updates

1. The following Standards Australia publication has been published.
Publication Number: AS 3645:2017
Title: Essential requirements for gas equipment
Publishing Date: 19-09-2017
Project Committee: AG-001 Gas Appliances
2. Please note that the following draft is open for public comment:
Draft Number: AS 4631
Title: Limited flexibility connectors for gas
Project Committee: AG-013 Components used for Gas Appliances and Equipment
Public Comment Closing Date: 27/12/2017 23:59

If you have any queries regarding the submission of comments, please contact Ross Jamieson rjamieson@sitgas.com.au or contact the relevant SA Project Manager.

GAMAA Christmas Lunch - Tuesday 5 December Sandringham Yacht Club

GAMAA's Christmas Lunch will be held the lunch at the Sandringham Yacht Club which has proven to be a very popular venue over the last few years.

The festivities start with Christmas Drinks kicking off at 12 noon and the sumptuous 3 course lunch will commence at 12.30.

The cost is \$95 per head which includes our 3-course lunch and drinks are included.

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Government unveils NEG

GAS Today Thursday 19 October 2017

The Australian Government has this week revealed its National Energy Guarantee (NEG) policy after ditching the recommended Clean Energy Target (CET).

The Turnbull Government will accept the recommendation of the Energy Security Board (ESB) for a new National Energy Guarantee to deliver more affordable and reliable electricity while meeting our international commitments. Read full article [here](#)

Five millionth customer to connect to gas

ENA 27 October 2017

The five millionth customer is due to connect to Australia's gas network next month, demonstrating the continued value of clean, reliable and affordable gas to households across the nation.

A new Energy Networks Australia fact sheet brings together key statistics on the use of gas in Australian homes for heating, hot water and cooking.

Energy Networks Australia Interim CEO, Andrew Dillon, said 70% of Australian households are connected to gas and this number continues to grow.

"National gas connections have grown from 3.8 million in 2005 to 4.8 million in 2015," Mr Dillon said. Access the Energy Networks Australia fact sheet [here](#)

GEA responds to Standards Australia technical governance review

GEA 26 October 2017

The GEA Safety Standards and Technical Committee in August 2017 discussed the Standards Australia Technical Governance issues paper. The Committee identified the following key areas to be included in GEA's response. Read more [here](#)

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