



Legislative Council Environment and Planning Committee

Inquiry: Inquiry into Climate Resilience

Hearing Date: 20 November 2024

Question[s] taken on notice

Directed to: PowerCor

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1. **Additional QON from Wendy LOVELL**

Question Asked:

Does PowerCor and AusNet have a record of all power outages overtime from 1974 to the present?

Response:

Powercor does not have records for all power outages overtime from 1974. Powercor has records of all power outages from 1 January 2001 to present.

Powercor deployed its first Outage Management System between 1999 to 2000 to record all power outages, and has maintained records since.

The underlying reliability over this period has improved with the significance of extreme weather events increasing materially in 2021 and 2024.

Figure 1 – Total Customer Minutes off supply (SAIDI) from 2001-2024

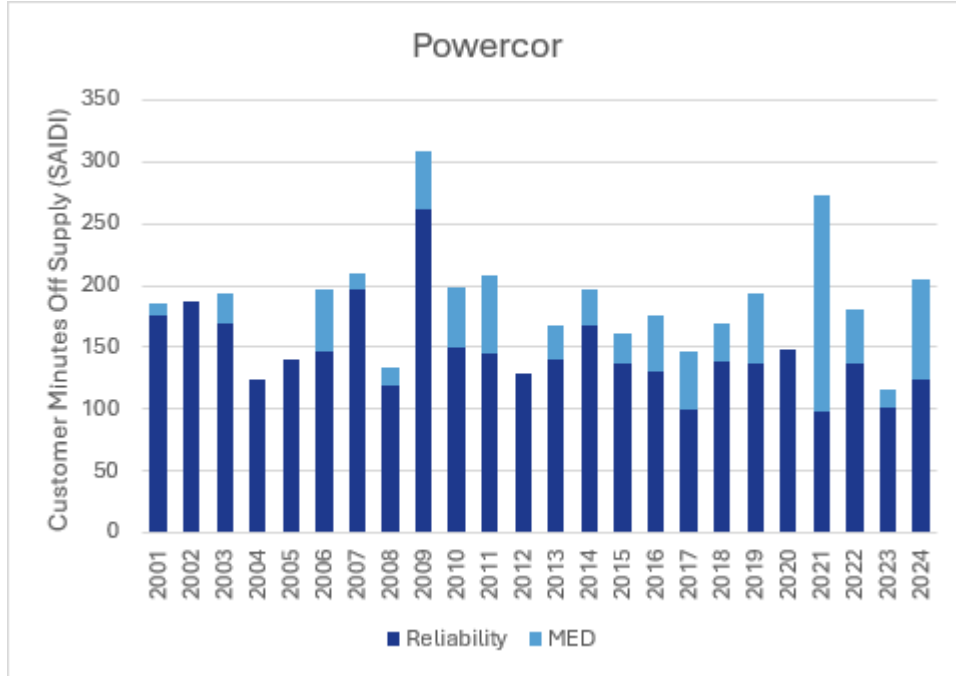


Figure 2 – Trends in underlying reliability & excluded major events (SAIDI) from 2021-2024.

