



Received: 1/11/10

29 October 2010

Director-General
Department of Planning
GPO Box 39
Sydney NSW 2001

Attention: Mr Daniel Keary
Director - Major Infrastructure Assessment

Dear Daniel

**Re: Uranquinty Gas-fired Power Station (DA-31-2-2004-i)
Proposed Development Consent Modification - Re-engineering of UPS Process
Water System**

I am writing to seek a modification to the Development Consent for the Uranquinty Power Station (UPS), located in Uranquinty NSW and operated by Uranquinty Power PTY LTD.

The proposed modification is in regard to the water system currently operating on-site.

Proposed Water System Modification.

The proposed modification to the UPS water system is designed to improve the performance of the UPS water system that was detailed in the 2004 UPS EIS and as constructed on-site. The proposed upgrades are to improve water use efficiency and recycling and to allow the waste water system to operate as envisioned in the 2004 UPS Water Management Strategy.

The proposed works to be undertaken as part of the re-engineering of the UPS process water system include:

1. a New Demineralised Water Treatment Plant;
2. converting the Existing Demineralised Water Treatment Plant for its new purpose as a Waste Water Treatment Plant;
3. a New 1957 kL Demineralised Water Tank;
4. a Shed Extension (including associated civil and electrical work) in which the New Demineralised Water Treatment Plant and Waste Water Treatment Plant are to be housed;
5. New Buffer Tanks (3x 50KL) as a buffer storage for the Waste Water Treatment Plant;

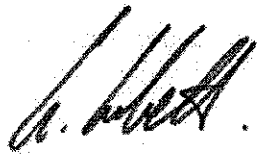
6. General Piping, Mechanicals and Civils, to modify the existing water piping system for the new locations and throughput of equipment that is required for this upgrade.

Attached to this letter is a Proposed UPS Water System Modification Report which provides greater detail on the planned modification but also an assessment of the on-site and off-site impacts of the proposed modification.

This request for Development Consent Modification is as per section 75W of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 and as such attached to this letter is a completed request to Modify a Major Project Form.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact myself on 0419 648 171.

Yours sincerely



Guy Corbett
Environmental Advisor
Origin Energy Uranquinty Power Pty Ltd

Attached:

DOP - Application to Modify a Development Consent form

DOP - Political Donations Form

Proposed Re-engineering of UPS Water System Report.

Request to modify a major project



NSW GOVERNMENT
Department of Planning

Date duly made: 1/11/10

Modification No. DA-31-2-2004-i MOD9

1. Before you lodge

This form is required under section 75W of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* (the Act) in order to request the Minister to modify the Minister's approval to carry out a project or concept plan to which Part 3A of the Act applies.

Before making this request, it is recommended that you first consult with the Department of Planning (the Department) concerning your modification. The Director-General may issue environmental assessment requirements that must be complied with before your request will be considered by the Minister.

If the changes proposed by the modification will result in a project that is consistent with the existing approval, the Minister's approval for a modification is not required.

Disclosure Statement

Persons making a request to modify a project or concept plan are required to declare reportable political donations (including donations of or more than \$1,000) made in the previous two years.

Note: For more details about political donations disclosure requirements, including a disclosure form, go to www.planning.nsw.gov.au/donations.

Lodgement

All modification requests must be lodged with the Director-General of the Department of Planning, by courier or mail. An electronic copy should also be e-mailed to the assessment contact officer assigned to the project.

NSW Department of Planning
Ground floor, 23-33 Bridge Street, SYDNEY NSW 2000
GPO Box 39 SYDNEY NSW 2001
Phone 1300 305 695

2. Details of the proponent

Company/organisation/agency

Origin Energy Uranquinty Power Limited

ABN

93 008 289 398

☒ Mr ☐ Ms ☐ Mrs ☐ Dr ☐ Other

First name

Matthew

Family name

Hallam

Position

Site Manager

STREET ADDRESS

Unit/street no.

293

Street name

Uranquinty Cross Roads

Suburb or town

Uranquinty

State

NSW

Postcode

2652

POSTAL ADDRESS (or mark 'as above')

GPO Box 46

Suburb or town

Uranquinty

State

NSW

Postcode

2652

Daytime telephone

02 6927 0101

Fax

2 6927 0150

Mobile

0417 600 237

Email

matthew.hallam@originenergy.com.au

3. Identify the land

STREET ADDRESS (where relevant)

Unit/street no.

280

Street or property name

Uranquinty Cross Road

Suburb, town or locality

Uranquinty

Postcode

2652

Local government area(s)

Uranquinty

State Electorate(s)

Wagga Wagga

REAL PROPERTY DESCRIPTION

Lot 1 DP 1098910

Note: The real property description is found on a map of the land or on the title documents for the land. If you are unsure of the real property description, you should contact the Department of Lands.

Please ensure that you place a slash (/) to distinguish between the lot, section, DP and strata numbers. If the proposed modification applies to more than one piece of land, please use a comma to distinguish between each real property description.

OR: detailed description of land attached: ☐

MAP: A map of the site and locality should also be submitted with this request.

4. Details of the original major project or concept plan

Briefly describe what the original approval allows

10/06/2005 - 600MW Gas Fired Power Station - DA-31-2-2004-i

What was the original project application no.?

DA-31-2-2004-i

What was the date of the approval?

10/6/2005

What was the original application fee?

\$2656.50

Note: Clause 245K of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000* provides information on calculating the maximum fee for a request for modification.

5. Describe the modification you propose to make to the approval

Describe the proposed modification

The proposed modification:

Proposed water system modification

Full report on the proposed modification attached

Your modification request may need to be accompanied by an Environmental Assessment, including plans. An electronic and hard copy of this document will be required.

ESTIMATED CAPITAL INVESTMENT VALUE

Please indicate the estimated capital investment value (CIV) of the modification to the project approval or concept plan (excluding GST).

\$6,000,000

FULL TIME EQUIVALENT JOBS

Please indicate the number of jobs created by the proposed modification. This should be expressed as a proportion of full time equivalent (FTE) jobs over a full year.

Construction jobs (FTE)

10

Operational jobs (FTE)

0

6. Landowner's consent (where required)

As the owner(s) of the above property, I/we consent to this request being made by the proponent.

Land

N/A - applicant is owner

Land

Signature

Signature

Name

Name

Date

Date

Note: Under Clause 8F of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000* (the Regulation), certain applications for approval under Part 3A of the Act do not require consent of the landowner, however, the proponent is required to give notice of the application (e.g. linear infrastructure, mining & petroleum projects, and critical infrastructure).

7. Political donation disclosure statement

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Have you attached a disclosure statement to this request?

☒ Yes

☐ No

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8. Proponent's signature

As the proponent(s) of the project and in signing below, I/we hereby:

- provide a description of the modification to the project approval or concept plan and address all matters required by the Director-General pursuant to Section 75W of the Act, and
- declare that all information contained within this form is accurate at the time of signing.

Signature

In what capacity are you signing if you are not the proponent



Name

Matthew Hallam

Name, if you are not the proponent

Date

29/10/2010