

Our ref: Lake Lyell Pumped Hydro Energy Storage (SSI-77018220)

Ms Sarah Harris
Approvals Manager
Lake Lyell Project Pty Ltd
By email

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Subject: Lake Lyell Pumped Hydro Energy Storage Response to Submissions

Dear Ms Harris

The exhibition of the environmental impact statement (EIS) for the Lake Lyell Pumped Hydro Energy Storage project (SSI-77018220) ended on 28 April 2026.

All submissions received by the Department during the exhibition can be viewed at:

<https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/projects/lake-lyell-pumped-hydro-energy-storage>. Any outstanding government agency advice will be forwarded to you once received.

We now require a written response to issues raised in the submissions, including the full range of matters and recommendations raised in the agency advice by **31 August 2026**. If you cannot meet this deadline, please advise the Department via the NSW planning portal as soon as possible.

The written response must be in the form of a submissions report that has been prepared having regard to the *State Significant Infrastructure Guidelines* including *Appendix C - Preparing a Submissions Report*.

If you have any questions, please contact Jess Watson, on 02 9373 2845 or via email at jess.watson@dpie.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,



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