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Dear Mr Kim,

Bonshaw Solar Farm (SSD-9438) – Response to Submissions

The exhibition of the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Bonshaw Solar Farm concluded on 4 December 2019.

The Department received 13 submissions on the project, including eleven from government agencies and two from the general public. The Department notes that Dol Water, NRAR and Rural Fire Services, are finalising their submissions, which will be provided under separate cover.

The submissions received by the Department during the exhibition are available on the Department's website at https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/project/9936.

The Department requires that you prepare and submit a report detailing your responses to the full range of matters and recommendations raised in all submissions, in accordance with clause 85A(2) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000.

Please provide a response to the Department by **Monday 20 January 2020**. Following your consideration of the submissions, please contact the Department if you consider that this timeframe is not achievable.

If you have any questions, please contact Tatsiana Bandaruk on 02 8275 1349 or at tatsiana.bandaruk@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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