

Department of Planning and Environment



Our ref: SSD-14757962

Mr Patrick Dale
EDIFY Energy Pty Ltd
34-35 South Steyne
Manly NSW 2095
By email

28/10/2022

Subject: Peninsula Solar Farm - Response to Submissions

Dear Mr Dale

The exhibition of the Environmental Impact Statement for the Peninsula Solar Farm concluded on 26 October 2022.

All submissions received by the Department during the exhibition can be viewed at the Department's website at www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/projects/peninsula-solar-farm. Comments from Forbes Shire Council (Council) and advice from NSW Rural Fire Service are still outstanding and will be forwarded to you once received.

You are requested to prepare a written response to the full range of matters and recommendations raised in the submissions (including from Council once received) and agency advice by **Thursday 1 December 2022**. The written response must be in the form of a submissions report that has been prepared having regard to the *State Significant Development Guidelines* including *Appendix C - Preparing a Submissions Report*.

Please lodge your response by progressing the application on the major projects planning portal <https://majorprojects.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/>.

Note that the time between the date of this letter and the date the Planning Secretary receives your response is not included in the 'assessment period' under section 94(1) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2021*.

If you have any questions, please contact Andy Nixey, on 02 9274 6379 or via email at Andy.Nixey@planning.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'NB', written over a faint blue line.

Nicole Brewer
Director
Energy Assessments

as delegate for the Planning Secretary