

**I am submitting an objection to the to Application No.SSD-8911 by Sundown Solar Pty Ltd**

**Cumulative Impacts:**

The cumulative Impacts of multiple renewable projects have not been assessed. The cumulative impacts of several renewable energy projects earmarked for the Swan Vale district and surrounding areas including the Sundown Solar project, Sundown Solar Farm, White Rock Wind and Solar and Transgrid electricity lines have failed to manage social impacts. There has been poor or no engagement with the community and neighbouring landholders, including the sensitivity to local residents' social life, connections to land, livelihoods and property values. The State Significant Development Assessment process for renewables projects should include measures to coordinate projects at the regional level and the cumulative impact must be assessed independently, not by proponents.

**Decommissioning:**

There is a lack of guaranteed responsibility for the disposal of the solar panels and associated infrastructure.

**Socio-Economic:**

The majority of the economic benefits of the Project will primarily go to the people who do not live in the local area. They will go to offshore companies who own the development and manufacture the components for construction of the project.

**I have not made any reportable political donations in the previous two years.**