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Dear Sir/Madam,

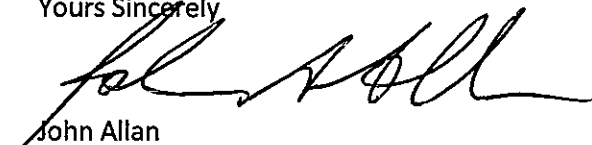
**SUBMISSION IN RESPONSE TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT OF THE
HUMELINK PROJECT**

I hereby submit this response to the HumeLink Environmental Impact Statement report.

I object to the HumeLink proposal on several grounds, as follows:

- a) The IES states that they have consulted with landowners as regards the positioning of the towers. This is not so. I have asked the Transgrid access consultant a number of times about this, but we just get a "no answer", and he has always sidetracked saying that we need to drill in the allocated spots. I repeatedly point out to him that drilling in a spot that may not be the correct position is a waste of time and money, as well as further impact on the environment.
Moving the Towers :The adjustment we're suggesting involves a relatively modest linear movement, measured in tens of metres rather than hundreds. Ground conditions are comparable this change significantly reduces the visual and psychological impact.
- b) HumeLink noise and vibration assessment has not included our residence, a building built circa 1860s, though we are well within the 400m distance from the transmission easement. This means that noise may exceed noise limits at our dwellings that are enforced by the NSW Environmental Protection Authority
- c) The EIS has our residence incorrectly listed as moderate to low visibility whereas it is actually high.

Yours Sincerely



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