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**RE: S02/00615 – Proposed Malting Plant, Minto
Response to ING Submission**

I am writing in reply to the submission made by ING in relation to electricity supply after construction of the proposed malting plant.

Joe White Maltings have discussed this request with their electricity consultants for the project, Current Consulting. A letter from the consultant on this matter is attached.

Integral Energy (IE) supply electricity to new customers on a 'first come, first served' basis. When a new customer requests electricity supply IE will assess the existing network and if additional capacity is required it is normally the responsibility of the new customer to pay for such works.

Due to this method of operation, and regular changes to electricity supply to any given location, IE do not provide information on current electricity supply. Should such information be given out, it could not be relied upon as IE have no way of forecasting when electricity supply may increase or decrease as this is based on customer use and future developments.

The appropriate approach is for ING to contact IE at a suitable time in accordance with their required electricity supply and request information on network capacity at this time.

In accordance with the contents of this letter, we request the Department of Planning (DoP) & Campbelltown City Council to continue with the determination of this application without requiring the requested information from ING.

If DoP or Council have any questions on this matter please contact me on (02) 4228 4133.

Yours faithfully

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