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Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure

Via: Major Projects Portal

EPA Advice on Modification Report – Liverpool Range Wind Farm Mod 3 – SSD-6696-Mod-3

Dear Emma-Rose

I am writing in response to your request for the NSW Environment Protection Authority (EPA) to review the modification report for the proposed wind turbine and infrastructure refinements for the Liverpool Range Wind Farm (SSD-6696-Mod-3) located within the Central-West Orana Renewable Energy Zone.

The EPA has reviewed the following documents:

- *Liverpool Range Wind Farm Modification 3* – Umwelt (Australia) Pty Limited – March 2026.
- *Appendix C Updated Mitigation and Management Measures* – Umwelt (Australia) Pty Limited – March 2026.
- *Appendix M Conditions to be Modified* – Umwelt (Australia) Pty Limited – March 2026.
- *Appendix J Noise Impact Assessment* – Umwelt (Australia) Pty Limited – March 2026.

The EPA understands the modification is for:

- Reducing the maximum number of wind turbines from 185 to 173.
- Removing the proposed external transmission line that extends to Ulan and associated infrastructure.
- The construction of seven communication towers and the revised location of ancillary infrastructure including permanent met masts, substations, concrete batch plants and operation and maintenance facilities.

Based on the information provided, the proposal will require an environment protection licence under section 43 of the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* (POEO Act) for Electricity Generation clause 17 of Schedule 1 of the POEO Act.

The EPA has reviewed the modification report and understands there are no changes to the level of predicted noise impacts for non-associated residential receivers when compared to the development approval. The EPA also notes that the management and mitigation measures proposed under the

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approval remain appropriate to address any potential impacts. The EPA has no additional comments to provide on the modification.

If you have any questions about this request, please contact Nick Vlasoff via email at environmentprotection.planning@epa.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jackson', written in a cursive style.

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