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Dear Ms Dunn

Request for Advice – Limondale Solar Farm (SSD-8025-MOD-2)

Thank you for your referral dated 25 May 2022 requesting advice from Heritage NSW on the above State Significant Development (SSD).

In preparing this advice, Heritage NSW has considered the Aboriginal cultural heritage assessment component presented within the report 'Limondale Solar Farm Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) – Modification Report' prepared by ERM (March 2022).

We note that the proposed modification is entirely within the approved SSD area. The assessment has determined that the modification will not extend into the boundary of block 84 or the established human remains exclusion zones associated with burial site 51-5-0319. Five previously identified sites within the SSD project area (47-5-0045, 47-5-0046, 47-6-0833, 47-6-0605 and 47-6-0606) were salvaged under the consent and are listed as destroyed in AHIMS. The assessment has determined that modification 2 will have no impact to recorded Aboriginal cultural heritage.

If unanticipated Aboriginal cultural heritage is identified during modification works, this would be managed under the existing Heritage Management Plan (Biosis 2018) or the area specific Heritage Management Plan Update (EMM 2020) prepared in response to the identification of human remains with Blocks 84 and 85. Heritage NSW supports the approach presented.

If you have any questions regarding the above advice, please contact Lyndon Patterson, Senior Assessment Officer, Heritage Assessments at Heritage NSW, on 02 6022 0619 or Lyndon.Patterson@environment.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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