



NSW RURAL FIRE SERVICE

Department of Planning and Environment (Parramatta)
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Your reference: SSD-60575715
Our reference: DA20230727003296-SEARS-1

ATTENTION: Jai Reid

Date: Friday 28 July 2023

Dear Sir/Madam,

Development Application

State Significant - SEARS - Electricity Generating Works

463 Merotherie Road Merotherie NSW 2852, 55//DP750761, 22//DP750761, 69//DP750761, 26//DP750761, 25//DP750761, 18//DP750761, 33//DP750761, 48//DP750761, 47//DP750761, 54//DP750761, 41//DP750761, 53//DP750761, 10//DP750761, 11//DP750761, 52//DP750761

I refer to your correspondence regarding the above proposal which was received by the NSW Rural Fire Service on 26/07/2023.

The New South Wales Rural Fire Service has reviewed the information provided and advises that a bush fire assessment report shall be prepared which identified the extent to which the proposed development confirms with or deviates from the relevant provisions of *Planning for Bush Fire Protection 2019*.

In addition to the aim and objectives of *Planning for Bush Fire Protection 2019*, the bush fire report must also address the requirements for wind and solar farm developments under section 8.3.5 of *Planning for Bush Fire Protection 2019*.

For any queries regarding this correspondence, please contact Bryce Pascoe on 1300 NSW RFS.

Yours sincerely,

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