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Maison Dieu Solar Farm (SSD-48160216) – EIS Exhibition

Dear Ms Hatem,

Thank you for your Major Projects Planning Portal referral dated 6 September 2024 seeking WaterNSW's comment on the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the Maison Dieu Solar Farm Project located north-west of Singleton.

WaterNSW has reviewed the EIS and found that the proposal is not located near any WaterNSW land, assets or infrastructure, therefore we have no particular comments or requirements regarding the proposal.

Should the extraction of water from existing or new groundwater bores or water from other sources covered under the relevant water sharing plan be required, the proponent will need to apply for a Water Access Licence (WAL). Any such request will be assessed at time of application and are subject to availability.

WaterNSW requests that the Department continues to notify us of all developments that may impact on our assets, infrastructure or land, by emailing Environmental.Assessments@waternsw.com.au.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at justine.clarke@waternsw.com.au.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "JC" followed by a flourish.

JUSTINE CLARKE
A/ Environmental Planning Assessments & Approvals Manager