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Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure (Major Projects)
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Your reference: SSI-72887208
Our reference: DA20250801003077-EIS & DA Exhibition-1

ATTENTION: Anthony Ko

Date: Wednesday 3 September 2025

Dear Sir/Madam,

**State Significant Development - Industry
Request for comments - exhibited Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)
Victoria to New South Wales Interconnector West (VNI West), (none)**

Reference is made to correspondence dated 30/07/2025 seeking comments regarding the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) currently being exhibited, for the above State Significant Development in accordance with the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*.

The New South Wales Rural Fire Service (NSW RFS) has reviewed the EIS and provides the following comments;

The RFS recommends that the measures outlined in Table 7.1 of *Technical paper 12 - Bushfire impact assessment* (prepared by Australian Bushfire Protection Planners Pty Ltd dated July 2025) be adopted as part of any subsequent submissions.

For any queries regarding this correspondence, please contact David Webster on 1300 NSW RFS.

Yours sincerely,

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