

Our ref: Project EnergyConnect (NSW - Eastern Section) (SSI-9172452)

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Subject: Project EnergyConnect (NSW - Eastern Section)  
Request for Information

Dear Ms O'Hare

I refer to the Submissions Report and Amendment Report for Project EnergyConnect (NSW - Eastern Section) (SSI-9172452). The Department requests that you provide additional information on the matters below:

## Visual

- Provide photomontages with and without proposed screening for receivers R186, R233, R385, R422, R432, R450, R461, R501, R26749 and R534.
- Table 2 of the *Revised landscape and visual impact assessment* includes receivers that were previously identified as residences and are now identified 'as not being a dwelling'. Update Table 2 as follows:
  - clarify the receiver type; and
  - assess any receiver that is considered to be a 'public viewpoint'.
- In addition, confirm that all public viewpoints located <500 m from the transmission line easement have been assessed.

## Traffic and Transport

- Consolidate information detailing the proposed intersection upgrades and proposed Access Point (minor access tracks) upgrades.

## Biodiversity

- Ensure all outstanding biodiversity matters are resolved, including the proposed Biodiversity Offset Strategy and details around provision of security in lieu of implementing this strategy, in consultation with BCS and the Department where relevant.

Please provide the requested information by Tuesday 5 July 2022. If this timeframe is not achievable, you are requested to provide, and commit to, an alternative timeframe.

If you have any questions, please contact Tatsiana Bandaruk on 02 8275 1349 or via email at [Tatsiana.Bandaruk@planning.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Tatsiana.Bandaruk@planning.nsw.gov.au).

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'NB', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Nicole Brewer  
Director  
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