

Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure



Our ref: Bullawah Wind Farm (SSD-50505215)

Mr Aidan O'Mahony

Major Developments Leader NSW

BayWa r.e. Projects Australia Pty Ltd

by email

24/04/2025

Subject: Request for Additional Information

Dear Mr O'Mahony

I refer to the assessment for the Bullawah Wind Farm project (SSD-50505215).

The Department requests you provide the following additional information:

- EnergyCo announced the South West REZ access rights on 23 April 2025 and that as one of four projects, Bullawah Wind Farm has been granted access to new transmission lines for a maximum connection capacity of 262.3 MW. EnergyCo has stated that, at this stage, there is no additional capacity available on the South West REZ transmission network (Project Energy Connect (PEC) or Victoria NSW Interconnector West (VNI West). Can you please provide comment on how this relates to the current development application for 803.7 MW.
- A preliminary investigation for contamination in accordance with *State Environmental Planning Policy Resilience and Hazards 2021*, Chapter 4.

You are requested to provide the information to the Department by Thursday 15 May 2025. Please contact the Department if you are not able to meet this timeframe.

The assessment period ceases to run between the date of this letter and the date you provide the additional information (or notification that the information will not be provided), in accordance with Part 4 Division 4 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2021*.

If you have any questions, please contact Lauren Clear on 02 8229 2974 or via email at lauren.clear@dpie.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Nicole Brewer'.

Nicole Brewer

Director

Energy Assessments