

Our ref: Valley of the Winds Wind Farm (SSD-10461)

Ms Megan Richardson

NSW Wind Team Lead

ACEN Australia

By Email

07/11/2024

Subject: Valley of the Winds Wind Farm - Amendment of Application

Dear Ms Richardson

I refer to the Amendment Letter which was submitted on 1 November 2024 in accordance with the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000* (the Regulation) for Valley of the Winds Wind Farm (SSD-10461).

The Amendment Letter has requested the following changes to the project application:

- removing the site access through the Uarbry Village for the Girragulang Road turbine cluster;
- updating the project boundary to reflect the final project layout and the intersection designs for access to both the Leadville and Girragulang Road turbines clusters;
- removing one meteorological mast in the Girragulang Road turbine cluster;
- removing the intersection upgrade for the Black Stump Way/Golden Highway intersection; and
- making minor refinements to the project boundary to remove land not utilised by the development.

The Department has considered the information provided and notes that the proposed amendments are in line with community submissions on the project, and aim to reduce the overall impacts of the project.

Accordingly, as delegate of the Independent Planning Commission, I agree to the amendment of the development application for the project as detailed in the Amendment Letter.

If you have any questions, please contact Jess Watson on 02 9373 2845 or via email at jess.watson@dpie.nsw.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,



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